

ADTA 5560.701: Midterm

Important Information

1. Overview and Schedule

As shown in the syllabus, the midterm is scheduled in **Week 4**.

The student will have the **whole week** (Monday - Saturday) to work on it.

--> The assignments will be posted at **8:00 AM** on **Monday**.

--> The midterm will be due by **11:00 PM** on **Saturday in the same week**.

During the midterm week, **no** new homework or discussion assignment is assigned.

2. Topics Covered in Midterm

The midterm covers all the topics discussed in:

--> **Lectures** (both PDFs and videos)

--> **Homework** assignments

The contents will cover all of **WEEK 1 - 3**, with the focus on **WEEK 3**

3. Expectation on the Work of Midterm Assessment

In the midterm assessment, when the student is asked to discuss a topic, it is **not** required that the student should write a research paper of dozens of pages.

However, it is expected that **he/she should provide an in-depth discussion**.

For example, the student is asked to discuss the following topic:

--> *Discuss the relationship between A and B.*

To start working on the topic, the student should assume that the **audience (readers) has no idea about what is A or what is B**. It means that the student should provide a work that **shows all relevant details or information** that **make the discussion a complete one**.

It is expected that the student's work should include the following sections:

--) A brief **introduction**

--) A **body** of the discussion that includes all the relevant major ideas

* That can consist of multiple sub-sections, each for one major idea.

--) A short **conclusion**