ASTR 200 Weekly Homework Rubric

	Insufficient (1 point)	Sufficient (2 points)	Exemplary (3 points)	Comments
Part 1 - Conceptual Quest	tion			
Clarity	main points are obscured by grammatical or spelling errors, unclear wording, etc.	grammatical/spelling errors or unclear wording make some parts difficult to follow	Explanation is clear and well-written	
Effort/Completeness	little effort is apparent in the explanation	some effort is apparent, but explanation is incomplete or cursory	a thoughtful and effortful attempt was made to formulate a thorough explanation	
Part 2 - Calculation				
Correctness of Calculation	The answer is incorrect or unreasonable	The answer is mostly correct or reasonable	The answer is correct/reasonable to within a margin appropriate to the nature of the question	
Interpretation/Explanation	The answer is not interpreted, or interpretation is illogical or incomplete	Interpretation of the answer is attempted, but there are some errors in logic or completeness	The answer is logically and completely interpreted	
Part 3 - Code				
Clarity	it would be difficult for an outsider to divine the purpose of all or most of the code	code is commented, though some pieces may be difficult for an outsider to follow	code is clearly commented such that an outsider could easily divine its purpose and implement it	
Compiles/Efficiency	the code submitted does not compile	the code compiles, but there are errors, inefficiencies, or other issues present	the code compiles efficiently and without errors	
Output	required output (figures, tables, explanations, etc.) is missing or incomplete	required output is all or mostly present, though there are one or more areas for improvement	required output is all present, thorough, and well-designed	