Grading and Workload

Grading

There are 4 homework assignments; all involve a substantial amount of programming. There will be one untimed quiz that covers prerequisites and the first week of material, it has unlimited attempts. We'll also give three 45 minute quizzes. You can only take each quiz once, but if you like, you can submit a homework multiple times to revise your answer based on feedback from the automatic grader. Breakdown:

- Each of the 4 homework assignment will be worth 10% of the final grade.
- Quiz 0 and Quiz 3 will each be worth 10% of the final grade.
- Quiz 1 and Quiz 2 will each be worth 20% of the final grade.

Homework Assignments turned in between one minute and one week late will receive a penalty of 25%, eg. an assignment that would have scored 100 points would only receive 75 points if it was late. Assignments turned in more than a week late will receive no points, but will still receive feedback from the autograder.

Quizzes must be turned in by the end of the day on their due date. Late quizzes will receive 0 points.

To earn a certificate for this class you must achieve a score of at least 50% overall.

Workload

In terms of workload, 50% of the students in a previous course spent 6 or less hours a week on the course, 40% used 6 to 12 hours a week, and 10% spent more than 12 hours a week.