Total Points: 100

What did I do to prepare for this class this week? 5 pts.

To prepare for class this week I participated in all the classwork we did this week.

What evidence can I provide that demonstrates with affirmation statements? 5 pts.

This week we worked on the beginning proposals of the Acorn Project. We also talked about scheduling work and how time frames can be often over or under evaluated.

What concepts from this week are you uncertain of or would like to know more about? 5 pts.

I would like to know more about how to effectively schedule my work so that when I am in a career type of situation I know how to handle my time and how to estimate time needed for work.

What topics were studied this week, and what are their definitions? 5 pts.

We talked about scheduling and commitment. Commitment is being able to truly devote your time towards what you’re working on or what you say you will do.

Where did you put your assignments in GitHub? 5 pts.

<https://mahonriray.github.io/CSE-170---Technical-Teamwork/>

Why is this week’s topic important? 5 pts.

This week’s topic was important because it is important to be able to know how to schedule out work and that you can’t plan for every unforeseen circumstance. Sometimes overconfidence can be a weakness.

What is the most important take-a-way you have gained from your study this week?10 pts.

The most important take-away for me this week was that it’s important to have at least an idea of what you can do within a timeframe. It is also important to know what your work limits are so that you aren’t promising work that can’t be done when you say it can be.

How would you explain this week’s topic to someone who isn’t in this class? 10 pts.

If I were to explain this topic to a person not in this class, I would explain that while it is certainly a great quality to be confident in your abilities, life can make a fool of anyone. You can’t be one hundred percent certain of anything, which includes when a project will be done and what roadblocks you might face. If you need to give an estimate of when a project will be done, take your initial estimate and multiply it by Pi. Gives the illusion of accuracy.

What would you do differently next week? 10 pts.

This upcoming week, I am going to stand closer to my commitments and be more on top of my work by scheduling work out in achievable blocks of work.

Why is this week’s topic important for teamwork? 20 pts.

This weeks’ topic is important for teamwork because it’s important to know when you can and cannot commit to what is being asked of you. Especially when group work is dependent upon the completion of certain work before it can advance it is vital to stay true to your commitments. Knowing when certain commitments are unattainable and when they aren’t gives off the perception that you aren’t just guessing with the work you’re given. Being a yes man can be harmful for productivity.

If this was a religion class, how would you relate this week’s topic to the gospel?

If this were a religion class I would be able to relate this week’s topic because we have a commitment we’ve made to God to live as righteously as we can to make our way back to him. Just like work and teamwork, we don’t know what obstacles we will face on this earth. It is up to us to not just give in but remember what is within our realm of possibility and what we should allow the Lord to handle. We have to honor our commitment and can’t just shirk off all responsibility on Him, this won’t yield any results and doesn’t honor our commitment!