

Dr. Gibbons & Mrs. Awan,

The purpose of this letter is to notify you

- Where I am at knowledge base wise within the course sequence of material/topics.
- What my plan of action is leading forward to catch up in the course.
- Have this document be a basic reference guide to my plan of action for the week of the 27th.

Late for the following Lab Assignments

- Lab02
- Lab03

Status for Topic Comprehension

Red Not antiquated
I have listened to the lecture, completed a boardwork, but have not done any further study

Orange Familiarized, Unpracticed
I have read about the topic, reviewed and made notes, but I have not made any mini practice programs on the topic

Green Well Studied, Well Practiced
Revisited Boardwork, Read, Reviewed, Built mini practice program(s)

Plan of Action

- Withdrew from a separate course to ensure time allocation could be better suited for this course.
- Will attend office hours, TA Office Hours, and ACM Tutoring for Specified Topics and Lab Expectations
- Will generate a reading list for topics
- Will focus on one thing at a time, and look at the overall picture solely for the purpose of concrete planning (i.e. lab drawing prep-work, study guides, review, etc.). Will also implement good study habits by visiting topics daily, even if it's for just for a minimum amount of time. ~~precrastination.~~

Topic Schedule

Date	General Topic	Lab	
08/23	Introduction		
08/30	Exceptions	Assigned	Lab 01: Board Games
09/01	Templating		
09/03	Intro to Inheritance		
09/08	Inheritance, Classes & Dynamic Arrays		
09/10	Polymorphism		
09/13	Polymorphism, Pure Virtual, Class Pointers	Due Assigned	Lab 01: Board Games Lab02: Shape Interface
09/15	Nodes		
09/17	Nodes and Stack Interfaces		
09/20	Nodes and Stack Interface Continued	Due Assigned	Lab02: Shape Interface Lab03: Stacks
09/22	Requirements for Templated Classes		
09/24	Stacks, Queues, Enqueue, Dequeue, Nodes		
09/27	Lists	Due Assigned	Lab03: Stacks Lab04: Elevator Action
09/29	Lists		
10/01	Recursion		
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Topics requisite for Lab02

General Problems for Incompletion of Lab02:

- Unidentified Inheritance Structure for Classes
- Unidentified Flow of Control Sequence, from File I/O, Data Initialization, Implementation, to final Cout.
- Conceptualization issues with pointer array of shape pointer
- Lack of preparation for procedure steps for starting lab02

Pointers & Dynamic Arrays

Free-store basics and

Classes

Defining Classes and Member Functions

Properties of Public and Private Members

Constructors for Initialization

Default Constructor

Constructors with No Arguments

Member Initializers and Constructor Delegation

Arrays and Classes

Arrays of Classes

Arrays as Class Members

Pointers of Class Type

Classes and Dynamic Arrays

Destructors

Pointers as Call-by-Value Parameters

Copy Constructors

Operator Overload

Classes to Produce Abstract Data Types

Class Implementation

Class Interface

Exception-Handling Basics

Throw Statement

Catch Block

Try Block

Catching Multiple Exceptions

Throwing an Exception in a Function

Exception Specification

Exception Specification in Derived Classes

When to throw an Exception

Nested try-catch blocks

Exception Class Hierarchies

Testing for Available Memory

Re-throwing an Exception

std::runtime_error

Inheritance

Derived Classes

Defining Derived Classes

Constructors in Derived Classes

Redefining an Inherited Function

Implementation for a Derived Class

Overloading an Inherited Function

Function Signature

Inheritance Details

Assignment Operators

Copy Constructors in Derived Classes

Destructors in Derived Classes

The const Parameter Modifier

Virtual Functions

Interface & Implementation for Base Classes

Use of Virtual Functions

Overriding

Polymorphism

Late Binding

Topics requisite for Lab03

General Problems for Incompletion Lab03:

- Incomplete Lab02
- Unfamiliarized with the Topics

Pointers and Linked Lists

Nodes

nullptr

Linked Lists

Searching a Linked Lists

Pointers as Iterators

Inserting and Removing Nodes Inside a List

Structures

Linked Structors

Node Pointers

Stacks and Queues

Stack Classes

Queues

Interface for Queue Class

Implementation for Queue Class

Queue Class

push(), pop(), peak(), empty()

Last-in/first-out Data Structure

Interface for Stack Class

Stack Class Implementation

-> Operator

Front of the List

Back of the List

Templates

Templates for Algorithm Abstraction

Templates for Functions

A Template overloads a Function Name

Templates with more than one type parameter

How to Define Templates

Function Template Declaration and Definition

Algorithm Abstraction

Type Parameters for Function Templates

Declaring Objects after a Class Template is Defined

Syntax for Class Templates

Defining member functions for a Class Template

Class Template Definition, Declaration

Type Definitions

Interface for Class Template

Implementation for Class Template

Interface for Class Template without Implementation

Implementation of Class Templates with Overloaded Operators