2.1P: In Person Check-in 1 – Answer Sheet

1. Briefly describe your prior experience with programming.

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| In my coding experience, I started my exploration into programming with an introductory to programming course (COS 10009). Additionally, I independently delved into learning Python last month. Through these experiences, I have learned how to design fundamental structures, how the code runs and functions, and how we may offer  customized code after each lesson from that unit. |

1. Based on what you have seen so far, what do you think will be most challenging about COS20007?

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| The new programming language, C#, and learning how to use it with some new requirements, like Splashkit and NUnit, present the biggest challenges for this unit, in my opinion. In contrast to the introduction to programming course, where there's a dedicated page for direct writing and submission of our work, Visual Studio Community will now serve as the platform for saving our code. While I've had prior experience with Visual Studio, this usage feels distinct, and Visual Studio Community appears to be more intricate than the standard Visual Studio environment. |

1. What can you do to prepare yourself for that challenge (resources you can use, approach to studying etc.)?

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| To prepare for the upcoming challenge of learning C#, I need to establish a specific learning plan. I'll explore the various C# resources available on Canvas, thoroughly reviewing all connections, and seek additional learning materials on YouTube. |

1. Is there anything you think the teaching staff should know to best help you this semester?

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| I suggest that instructors actively circulate through the class during practice sessions to identify and assist those who may need help. Additionally, for students genuinely in need of extra time to meet assignment deadlines, it could be beneficial to provide them with a personalized learning plan. |