

Welcome to CMPUT201

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- Assignments - 20%
 - Four assignments each worth 5%
- Lab Exercises - 20%
- Midterm 1 - 10%
- Midterm 2 - 15%
- Final - 35%

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You will have to send an email **in a specific format** in order to use your slip days for an assignment - more details to come in syllabus.

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It's okay if slip days go unused - don't use them frivolously as if you have a week with lots of deadlines, or catch a cold at a future deadline you'll wish you still had some on hand.

Excused Absences

A student who misses coursework (Assignment, Lab Exercise, Midterm) due to incapacitating mental or physical illness, severe domestic affliction or other compelling reasons can apply for an excused absence.

Excused Absences - Weight Shifting

If an excused absence is granted the weight of the missed assessment is shifted to other assessments under the following scheme

- The weight of a missed assignment is shifted to the remaining assignments, or final exam if no assignments remain.
- The weight of a missed Lab Exercise is shifted to the remaining lab exercises, or final exam if no lab exercises remain.
- The weight of a missed midterm 1 is shifted evenly between midterm 2 and the final exam.
- The weight of a missed midterm 2 is shifted to the final exam.

Discussion Forum

Ed Discussion Forum

We will be using an Ed Discussion forum as our primary means of communication for this course.

You will receive an e-mail to join soon - you can also join through this <https://edstem.org/us/join/J5d8Mu>

All questions should be posted to the discussion forum!