Hi everyone – there are two required readings for Thursday’s class session. Please read them before then, as we’ll expect you to have a basic fluency in these materials going into class. Moving forward, we will have some required readings. The classroom lectures will be designed around the assumption that you've already read the assigned material.

1) Read the documentation for IPython notebooks: <http://ipython.org/ipython-doc/stable/notebook/notebook.html>

2) Read chapters 3, 5, 6, and 7 of Downey’s Think Python. Don’t worry, each chapter is only around eight or nine pages in length. <http://www.greenteapress.com/thinkpython/thinkpython.pdf>

Lastly, if you feel like you’ve been struggling at all to keep up with the in-class workshops and exercises, make sure you also read chapters 1, 2, and 4 of Think Python as well sometime this coming weekend.