DAT-119 – Python 1

Fall 2019

**Week 1**

**Agenda:**

* Introductions
* Blackboard tour
  + How to submit assignments
* Textbook
* Syllabus/course policies
  + No Google – we have a resource page
  + Cite your sources
  + Read chapter 🡪 discuss/practice in class 🡪 homework
* Talking about programming in general and Python, specifically

**Due before the end of class:**

We won’t usually have assignments that have to be completed before class is over, except at the very beginning and very end of the semester.

* If you haven’t done the [pre-course survey](https://forms.gle/Q55EGiQWASEXenuY7), yet, please do.
* If you didn’t see my email about the pre-course survey, please make sure you know how to get to your campus email. If you don’t want to log in to campus email regularly, [here are directions](https://technologyrediscovery.net/coursesGen/emailForward.html) to forward everything to another address.

**Due at start of class next week:**

The assignment that’s due next week will be listed as “Homework” in Blackboard.

Everything in the assignment is open game for you to work on during our in-class lab time; in general, I recommend you pick the most challenging thing, since help is immediately available from other students and from me. In this one case, it’s best to do them in order.

A note about lab time: **I will expect you to stay until 9pm**, or until you finish the assignments, whichever comes first, every week. If you need to make alternate arrangements, talk to me, and we’ll figure it out. If you leave before 9pm without turning in your assignment in Blackboard and without making arrangements with me, that will affect your grade.