Learning Objectives Midterm

Chapter	1: Students should be able to:
	Evaluate compound expressions using rules of precedence and order of operations. Assign variables with allowed names and understand how to rebind that variable to new or different values. Utilize assigning multiple variables at the same time and understand when it might be useful to do so. Update variables using shorthand syntax. (A += 1) Define simple functions with inputs and outputs Import and use the math library for mathematical functions. Distinguish between and create Python objects of int, float, bool, string and list types. Identify what operations are viable on different types of basic objects (eg. You can use + for floats, integers, strings and lists). Concatenate items to a string or list Select specific items from a string or list Determine the length of a sequence Identify the resulting object type after an operation is performed (eg. Adding an int to a float results in a float).
	Convert between object types and identify situations in which the interpreter will automatically try to convert object types. Use input to get information from a user and understand what variable type is returned. Print variables or other text to the screen
Chapter 2: Students should be able to:	
	Construct program flow controls through the use of if, elif, and else statements with appropriate syntax. Parse complicated if, elif, else conditionals to decide what the output of a script might be. Evaluate expressions utilizing the logical operators or and and. Construct while loops with appropriate conditionals and which also terminate (no infinite loops!). Understand how nested loops behave and describe the output of each iteration of a set of nested loops. Understand what a predicate function is and be able to both understand and write one. Construct for loops with correct syntax over appropriate sequences. Identify situations where a for loop or a while loop might be more appropriate. Utilize the range function appropriately to construct ranges over desired intervals with valid step sizes.
Chapter 3: Students should be able to:	
	Describe what an algorithm is Utilize the simple english.py library for certain word-related problems. Write a simple test function to test the correctness or output of another function.
Chapter	4: Students should be able to:

Chapter 5: Students should be able to:		
	Define a syntactically correct simple function.	
	Understand and describe the difference between a function definition and a function call.	
	Understand and describe the difference between parameters and function arguments.	
	Utilize return statements in correct places in their code to return the desired value(s) at the desired time (and not earlier!).	
	Call a function utilizing keyword arguments.	
	Define a function utilizing default values for a formal parameter.	
	Identify what variables are defined within a particular scope and what values they possess.	
	Write an appropriate doc-string for a function, including a description of the function, what inputs are required and their types, and what, if anything, the function returns.	
	Import and use functions from other libraries, in particular Python's built-in math or random library.	
	Write functions in a separate file and import them into a desired program.	
Chapter 6: Students should be able to:		
	Use functions as first class objects, assigning them to variable to be later used or returned by another function.	
	Add event listeners to listen for mouse events within a PGL graphics window.	
	Define appropriate call-back functions to be called upon receiving an event.	
	Use the GWindow object to share information between call-back functions when necessary.	
	Create either interval or one-time timers which call a call-back function with some specific timing.	
	$ {\it Create a \ GArc \ object \ with \ desired \ dimensions \ and \ starting \ and \ stopping \ points \ at \ the \ desired \ location \ on \ the \ graphics \ window. } $	
	Create GPolygon objects, with properly placed vertices, at desired locations in the graphics window.	
	Create a GCompound object and add other graphical elements to that object before placing at a desired location.	