

# Astronomy 7b – Introduction to Astrophysics

Discussion Section: Friday 10-11 am, 264 Evans

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## Section:

Section is designed to help reinforce the lecture material. There will be time for general questions about the material, problems to further elucidate topics, and sometimes more group discussion about particular nuances. Please give me feedback: this will ensure section is as productive as possible!

**For each section:** please bring your textbook (Carroll & Ostlie) and a calculator.

## TALC:

The Astronomy Learning Center is held **Mondays, 5-6pm** and **Wednesdays, 5-6pm** in **HFA B-5**. You know the drill, but if for some reason you haven't gone, the rules of TALC are at <http://astro.berkeley.edu/resources/campbell/talc/rules.pdf>, and you should go this semester!

## Homework:

Homework is generally due alternating Tuesdays at 5pm in the boxes in the Astronomy Main Office (Building B, Hearst Field Annex) – but always double check due dates. Make sure to put it in the correct section box, and include all the requested information at the top.

## Evaluation:

*For students taking the course Pass/Fail:* 100% of the grade is based on the midterms and final exam.

*For those taking the course for a letter grade, the breakdown is:*

Midterm 1	20 %
Midterm 2	20 %
Final Exam	35 %
Homework	20 %
Discussion Section	5 %

## Cheating:

Don't do it! The official department policy is at <http://astro.berkeley.edu/academics/cheating.html>