

# **Physics 110 (6959) Fall 2020 Syllabus - Hunter College of CUNY**

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**Class Time/Room:** T/ F 8:10 am – 9:25 am, 8/26/2020 - 12/20/2020, Room: Zoom

**Office Hours:** T/F 9:25 am – 9:55 am, Zoom (by appointment)

**No Classes:** F 09/18/2020, T 09/29/2020, and F 11/27/2020

**Last Class before Final Exam:** T 12/08/2020

## **Course Description**

Topics include mechanics, fluids, vibration and waves, and heat and thermodynamics. Students are expected to do all the reading assignment before the lecture. Homework problems are assigned through Mastering Physics. It is required that students do all the problems. There is tutoring available at the Physical Science Learning Center in the Library

## **Textbook**

Physics: Principles With Applications 7th Edition, Giancoli, Mastering Physics with Pearson eText -- ValuePack Access Card ISBN 13- 9780321909770

## **Mathematics Pre-requisite**

MATH 12000, MATH 12400, MATH 12500, MATH 12550 or MATH 15000.

## **Attendance**

Attendance is required: In addition to lectures, important information regarding exams, homework, schedule etc. are also communicated during class. It is your responsibility to find out what information is disseminated in class if you miss a class.

## **Homework**

Homework assignments are assigned via Mastering Physics. No late assignment is accepted.

## **Lab**

1. The lab is an essential part of the course, and no grade is given without completion of the lab.
2. The lab is 15% of the total grade.
3. Student must complete a minimum of 9 labs out of 11 to get a lab grade. If a student completes less than 9 labs, he/she will receive a zero for the missing lab(s).
4. Students who repeat the course must repeat the lab.

## Course grade

There are six pop quizzes (unannounced, each covering 2-3 chapters, 13 questions) The grading policy is described in the table below.

Quizzes (best 5 out of 6, 13% each)	65%
Homework (Mastering Physics, no late work accepted)	10%
Class Participation	10%
Lab (see lab instructor for details)	15%
Total	100%

**The exam questions are problem solving and conceptual types. There is no make-up exam!**

## Credit/No Credit Grading Option

You may choose to be graded in this course on a Credit/No Credit basis. Before selecting this option, check with your departmental adviser and be aware that many colleges, professional schools, and employers may look with disfavor on Credit/No Credit grades and may even convert Credit to C and No Credit to F for their purposes, as described in the Hunter Catalog.

## Academic Integrity

Hunter College regards acts of academic dishonesty (e.g., plagiarism, cheating on examinations, obtaining unfair advantage, and falsification of records and official documents) as serious offenses against the values of intellectual honesty. The college is committed to enforcing the CUNY Policy on Academic Integrity and will pursue cases of academic dishonesty according to the Hunter College Academic Integrity Procedure

## Accessibility

In compliance with the American Disability Act of 1990 (ADA) and with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Hunter College is committed to ensuring educational parity and accommodations for all students with documented disabilities and/or medical conditions. It is recommended that all students with documented disabilities (Emotional, Medical, Physical and/ or Learning) consult the Office of AccessABILITY located in Room 1214 B East building to secure necessary academic accommodations.

Hunter College does not discriminate against any student on the basis of pregnancy or related conditions. Absences due to medical conditions relating to pregnancy will be excused for as long as deemed medically necessary by a student's doctor and students will be given the opportunity to make up missed work. Students needing assistance can seek accommodations from the Office of AccessABILITY

## **Sexual Harassment**

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Hunter College has a sexual harassment panel, appointed by the President, which consists of faculty, staff, and students. The panel is charged with ensuring that the college community is familiar with the sexual harassment policies of Hunter College and the City University. Other responsibilities include investigating reports of sexual harassment and forwarding findings and recommendations to the college President. A member of the faculty, staff, or a student should report sexual harassment occurrences to a member of the Sexual Harassment Panel or to the Dean of Students, and, if required, to the local city police precinct. Reporting information can also be found in college catalogs and schedule of classes. The entire Hunter College Sexual Harassment Policy can be found on the Human Resources website.

[http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/publicsafety/repository/files/Sexual\\_Assault\\_PolicyBOTAugust20103.pdf](http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/publicsafety/repository/files/Sexual_Assault_PolicyBOTAugust20103.pdf)

## **Special note**

It is strictly prohibited to submit any course materials, test and your work in this course to any other site. If it is found, you will receive a zero for the test or assignment at a minimum and will be reported as academic dishonesty.

## Materials to be covered (as of 08/02/2020)

Week	Chapter	Exams	Additional problems
1	2: Kinematics in 1-D	Ch 2, 3	8, 11, 16, 19, 21, 30, 31, 32, 36, 46, 48, 53
2	3: Kinematics in 2-D, Vectors		5, 9, 10, 12, 13, 21, 23, 31, 32, 36, 48, 56, 58
3	4: Dynamics: Newton's Laws	Ch 4, 5	7, 9, 11, 16, 23, 24, 27, 34, 42, 47, 50, 65,
4	5: Circular Motion		7, 8, 9, 12, 15, 17, 22, 31, 32, 50, 52, 56, 68
5	6: Work and Energy	Ch 6, 7	19, 22, 24, 25, 29, 39, 40, 41, 44, 48, 69, 90
6	7: Linear Momentum		10, 11, 18, 21, 29, 31, 35, 39, 42, 52, 77, 78
7	8: Rotational Motion	Ch 8, 9	14, 20, 22, 23, 27, 29, 35, 39, 46 58, 69, 72
8	9: Static Equilibrium		1, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 27, 29, 30
9	10: Fluids	Ch 10, 11	13, 14, 18, 25, 26, 35, 40, 50
10	11: Oscillations and Waves		5, 8, 20, 22, 23, 25, 30, 40, 42, 52, 55
11	13: Temperature and kinetic theory	Ch 13 – 15	2, 7, 17, 20, 25, 27, 31, 37, 53, 54
12	14: Heat		2, 6, 12, 13, 14, 17, 28, 30, 34, 38, 47
13	15: Thermodynamics		1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 10, 13, 25, 30, 39, 41