



Due Dates EAPS 10000 Y01 *Planet Earth* Online Course

Summer 2014

Last updated: July 4, 2014



1. Quizzes and Exams:

Week	Chapters (text)	Assigned Pages	Quizzes*	Due Dates**
1 (Jun. 16-20)	I – Introduction to Earth Science	2 – 21	QuizI ("I" not 1)	June 27
	1 – Matter and Minerals	22 – 43	Quiz1	June 27
2 (Jun. 23-27)	2 – Rocks: Materials of the Solid Earth	44 – 75	Quiz2	July 4
	3 – Landscapes Fashioned by Water	76 – 84, 98 – 110	Quiz3	July 4
	4 – Glacial and Arid Landscapes	118 – 135	Quiz3	July 4
3 (Jun. 30-Jul. 4)	5 – Plate Tectonics: A Scientific Revolution Unfolds	150 – 187	Quiz4	July 11
	6 – Restless Earth: Earthquakes, Geologic Structures, and Mountain Building	188 – 229	Quiz5	July 11
4 (Jul. 7-11)	7 – Volcanoes and Other Igneous Activity	230 – 269	Quiz6	July 18
	8 – Geologic Time	270 – 293	Quiz7	July 18
5 (Jul. 14-18)	<i>Midterm Exam</i> <i>Exam Dates and Times</i> <i>(HAMP 3201):</i> 1. Tu, 7/15: 11:30am-1pm, 2. Tu, 7/15: 1:30pm-3:00pm 3. Wed, 7/16: 5:30pm-7:00pm	Chapters I-8 (assigned pages) You need to sign up for	-	July 14-18 Can be taken off campus by arranging for a proctor.

	4. Th, 7/17: 3:30pm-5pm	these sessions by sending an email to L. Braile (braile@purdue.edu)		
5 (Jul. 14-18)	9 – Oceans: The Last Frontier 10 – The Restless Ocean	294 – 319 320 – 351	Quiz8 Quiz9	July 25 July 25
6 (Jul. 21-25)	11 – Heating the Atmosphere 12 – Moisture, Clouds and Precipitation 13 – The Atmosphere in Motion	352 – 385 386 – 390, 395 – 402, 414 - 419 420 – 441	Quiz10 Quiz11 Quiz11	Aug. 1 Aug. 1 Aug. 1
7 (Jul. 28-Aug. 1)	14 – Weather Patterns and Severe Weather 15 – The Nature of the Solar System	442 – 471 472 – 513	Quiz12 Quiz13	August 8 August 8
8 (Aug. 4-8)	16 – Beyond Our Solar System	514 – 537, 543-545 (Appendix D)	No Quiz	-
8 (Aug. 6-8)	<i>Final Exam</i>	Chapters 9-16 (assigned pages)	-	Aug. 6-8, Can be taken off campus by arranging for a proctor.

* Quizzes are intended to **provide a quick check on your reading** of the assigned pages in the textbook. For learning, study and retention, you should focus on the **main concepts** presented in the chapter (see the important terms and concepts for each chapter in the textbook study guide <http://web.ics.purdue.edu/~braile/eas100/studyguide7th.pdf>, and listed in the chapter PPTs), **not** the specifics that are the subject of many of the multiple choice or true/false quiz questions. Quizzes are **timed**, and can be taken a maximum of **three times** (we allow three times for “mastery,” and because there are sometimes BB Learn, your computer, or internet, problems that could interrupt your completion of the quiz), and must be taken in the prescribed time period (days/weeks – before the deadline).

Be sure to read the assigned chapter before taking the quiz (as the quiz is timed); don’t wait until “the last minute” to take the quiz; and check the grade book after you have completed and submitted the quiz (the online quizzes are graded automatically and score posted on the grade book just after completion) to verify that your score is recorded. Also, if you wait until the due date to take quizzes, you might forget to complete it on that day before 11:59 p.m. (Eastern time, as that is where BB Learn processes at Purdue). Quizzes generally consist of about 10 multiple choice or True/False questions, are open book, and are completed online (open the **Quizzes folder** on the Course Content page of the EAPS 10000 Y01 home page on Blackboard Learn).

**** Because of the 8-week summer semester, course material is covered in about half of the time as compared to a regular, on-campus lecture course in a Fall or Spring semester, so please plan sufficient reading, study and assignment completion time**

appropriate for the compressed schedule of the summer session. Note that there are generally two chapters of reading and two quizzes to complete per week. Week two and week six have parts (assigned pages) of three chapters of reading, and two quizzes to complete during those weeks. Except for the last week of the semester, the due dates for the quizzes are about one week after the assigned chapter reading (to provide sufficient time for unforeseen interruptions, or getting “a little behind” with the course schedule. However, it is strongly recommended that you don’t fall too far behind in the course – **it is very difficult to “catch up” near the end of the semester!**

2. Homework

Due Dates

Homework assignments (1-6) are available in the **Homework (Hw)** folder in the **Course Content** link on the EAS 10000 Y01 home page on Blackboard Learn. Hw 1 and 6 are worth 20 points each; Hw 2, 3, 4 are worth 30 points each and Hw 5 is worth 40 points.

Homework 1 (Hw 1)	Minerals and Mining	Monday, June 23
Homework 2 (Hw 2)	Plate Motions	Monday, July 7
Homework 3 (Hw 3)	Radioactive Decay	Monday, July 14
Homework 4 (Hw 4)	Ocean Basin Profile	Monday, July 21
Homework 5 (Hw 5)	Hurricanes Hugo & Katrina	Wednesday, July 30
Homework 6 (Hw 6)	Geos. Letter or Career Rept.	Tuesday, August 5

3. Writing Assignments

Due Dates

Writing Assignments (1-3) are available in the **Writing Assignment (WA)** folder in the **Content** link on the EAPS 10000 Y01 home page on Blackboard. Each WA assignment is worth 40 points.

Be sure to carefully read and follow the instructions for completing the writing assignments (contained in Writing Assignment 1 [WA 1]). Pay particular attention to the discussion about plagiarism and the requirement for proper **citation** and **referencing** of sources of information for your writing assignments (short research papers).

Writing Assignment 1 (WA 1) Topics in Chapters 1-5 of Text	Friday, July 4
Writing Assignment 2 (WA 2) Topics in Chapters 6-10 of Text	Friday, July 18
Writing Assignment 3 (WA 3) Topics in Chapters 11-16 of Text	Friday, August 1

Late homework and writing assignments are accepted. Some points will be deducted for homework or writing assignments turned in after the due date (listed here). All required work must be completed and submitted by the last day of the semester (before “finals days”), Tuesday, August 5.

See **Directions for Submission** instructions in the **Course Content** area on the EAPS 10000 Y01 home page on BB Learn for instructions on submitting homework and writing assignments. Additional information on the assignments is also included in the **Syllabus**.