

Student Course Guide

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How to succeed in this course?





Make Sure to Attend **All** Lectures

During the lecture



Do not wander in what you will be eating or doing after class!

During the lecture



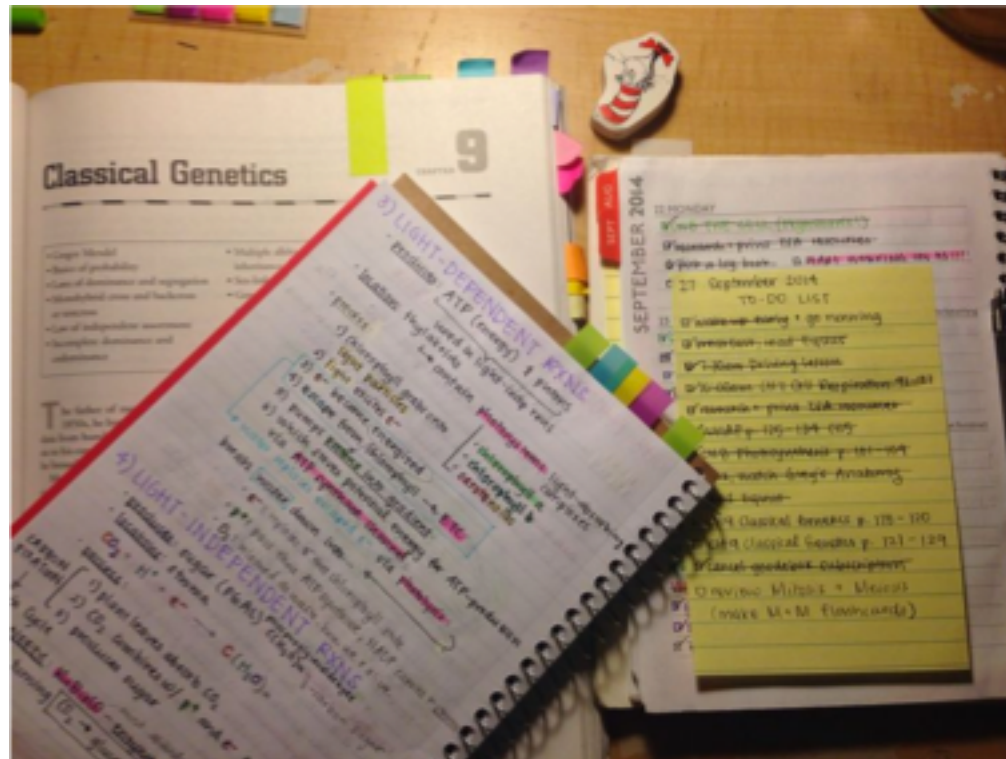
Do not talk to your colleagues

During the lecture



Always **ask your instructor**, *participate, participate, participate!*

During the lecture



Note down any notes that you see important. **Bring your book** and **markup** proper annotations for better understanding – **Do your homework**



- In case you did **not** make it to class:
 - **Study** the lecture from the assigned textbook.
 - **Note down** the things that you feel that are **ambiguous** and not **understandable**.
 - **Ask** your **instructor** about the things that you marked ambiguous or not understandable

Procrastination



the longer you wait the worse it gets

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DO NOT PROCRASTINATE
studying until the exam night...

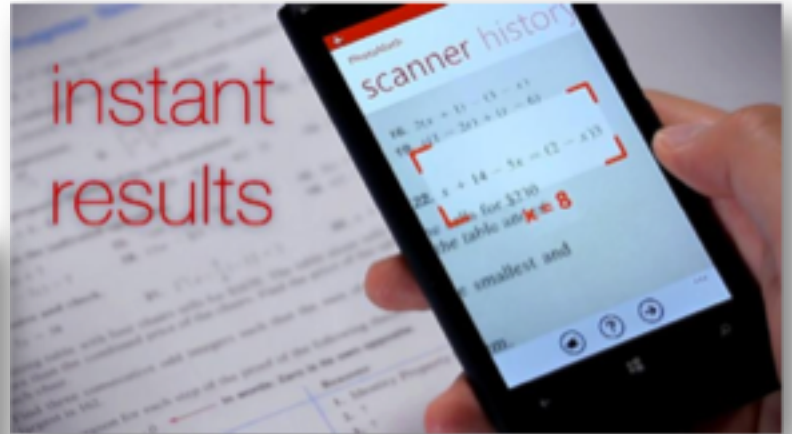
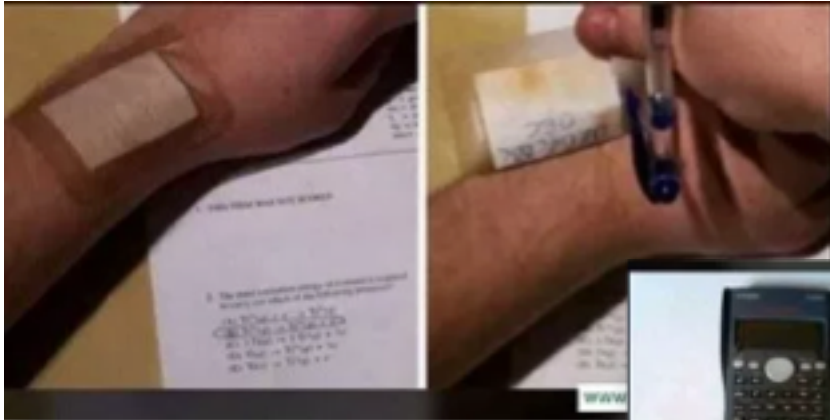
YOU WILL FAIL!



DO NOT RELY
on instructor's slides...
YOU WILL FAIL!



DO NOT RELY
on your colleagues' understanding...
YOU WILL FAIL!



DO NOT CHEAT

Its against humanity!

YOU WILL FAIL!



Important FAQs

Can I study only from the instructor's slides?

Definitely no, you need to study from the assigned textbook and other online resources.

Do I need to memorize or contemplate studied concepts?

You need to memorize and understand what you memorize.

Exam Style?

Everything is expected so prepare for the worst.

Exam Time/Date?

Will be determined soon.

I am graduating this semester, Will I fail?

Definitely, yes!

I am majoring in biomedical/power/civil/telecommunication engineering and this is a computer engineering course?

A computer engineer is not better than you, and you may end up needing this course way more than the computer engineer!

**I have spent a lot of effort on this course and I
have taught my colleagues but my grades are low**

*You spent a lot of effort, you taught your colleagues and your grades
are very low! **this is a contradiction!** You need to rethink the whole
studying process*

As an instructor, I am not responsible for the following:

Graduating this semester?

*Do your best to remember this statement the whole semester not
at the end of the semester... You will fail otherwise*

As an instructor, I am not responsible for the following:

This is your second-time taking the course?

*Do your best to remember this statement the whole semester not
at the end of the semester... You will fail otherwise*

As an instructor, I am not responsible for the following:

Fund-Shortage?

*Do your best to remember this statement the whole semester not
at the end of the semester... You will fail otherwise*

As an instructor, I am not responsible for the following:

**Your GPA is low, academic probation, or will be
dismissed this semester from your major?**

*Do your best to remember this statement the whole semester not
at the end of the semester... You will fail otherwise*

As an instructor, I am not responsible for the following:

**Married and/or working? Special Funding
and/or in military?**

*May Allah bestow His blessings on you, however, you will never
ever be given special treatment at all circumstances*