

Physics 1, Spring 2006

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Discussion Sections:

Wednesday, 3:00-4:50 pm, ARTS 1427

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Office Hours:

Tuesdays 9:30-11 am in the Physics Study Center. The PSC is located on the first floor of Broida behind the elevators.

Class policies:

Problem solving is THE most important part of this class, and the discussion section will be focused on learning problem solving techniques and clarifying concepts from lecture. So its important. That being said,

- I will not take attendance in discussion section or give you a grade for your participation in discussion section.
- I will do at least one homework problem in discussion section
- I will bribe you with midterm/final review guides if you come to section
- I promise to remember your name if you come more than once :o)
- See below for what I won't do over email . . .

Email policies:

Please feel free to email me with questions or problems. I will make every effort to respond within 24 hours. A few common sense guidelines for email:

1. If I answered a question in discussion section and you weren't there, then I won't answer the same question in an email.
2. I won't answer an email about a specific homework question that is due within 24 hours. (Because I can't guarantee I'll check my email within that time.)
3. Its a good habit to keep the tone of your emails to TAs and profs. reasonably formal -- I won't care, but other professors might.

A note on problem solving:

I put together a web page on problem solving strategies for physics, which links from the webpage above. Since this is your first college physics class, you probably don't know exactly what to expect. As long as you follow the steps (even when the problems are easy and it seems like overkill), you will do fine in this class.

Students with disabilities, please see me after class or in office hours so I can accommodate you.