# Greetings & Welcome to Chem 108 Introductory Chemistry

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/



Please hold ALL of your questions. They will ALL be answered shortly in the slides that follow.

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Office Hours (PS 235): MW 10:00 - 11:00; Tuesday, Thursday, Friday by appointment, daily e-mail replies usually within 24 hours. Class: MW 11:10-12:35 (PS 275)

Discussion/Lab: 12:45-3:55 M (PS 221) sec. 2102 12:45-3:55 W (PS 221) sec. 2116

# **CONNECTIONS**

Show of hands

I personally have or have easy (24/7) access to:

- A. a smart phone
- B. a personal computer
- C. the Internet
- D. a printer

If you DO NOT have or have access to B.), C.), or D.), they are available on the DVC campus. Please make an appointment to meet with Dr. R. as soon as possible to get more information and work out a plan to conveniently use

Take out your smart phone.

If you don't have it with you, introduce yourself to a class mate and share theirs.

Open DVC wifi. Connect to the Internet.

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/

Click on Syllabus link

# Chem 108

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/108syl19s.html

### **Syllabus** link



- Please sign the roster next to your name on the clipboard that is circulating
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  If you are not listed, or here to add Chem 108, clearly print your name, DVC id & e-mail address on the last page and nex to your name indicate the lab section you wish to add: M (2102) or W (2116, or both (M/W) if you are flexible.
- Class size is limited to 28 max due to lab safety. Anyone on the roster who is absent today will be placed last on Class size in limited to 2 in link due to lide Salety. Anytone on the roster who is above; today will be placed as the roster after the wait listed and new sign-ins. 28 lab drawers will be assigned in lab to the first 28 on the completed list after today's class. Add codes will be provided at the end of the first lab. Pick up a hard copy of the course syllabus on leaving class today.



### Go to:

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/Connections Guide.html

Enter your Last Name, and First Name

Then the following 2 questions.

# **CONNECTIONS** Chemistry, STEM & Applications

Why am I enrolling in CHEM 108?

- A. It is a required course that is needed to meet my higher education goals. I have to take it.
- B. Chemistry is very easy to me and I need the 4 credit A to boost my GPA.
- C. I am very interested in science and chemistry.
- D. I'm not sure.

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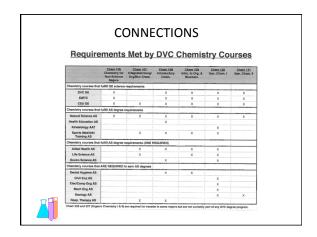
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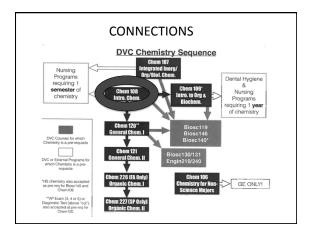
### Chemistry, STEM & Applications

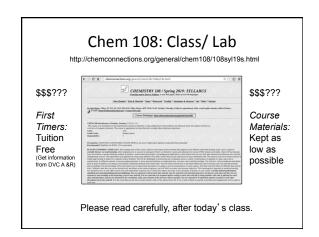
My plan after completing Chem 108 is to:

- A. take General Chemistry: (If @ DVC: Chem 120)
- B. take Integrated Inorganic, Organic, and Biological Chemistry: (If @ DVC: Chem 107)
- C. take Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry: (If @ DVC: Chem 109).
- D. NOT take other chemistry courses after Chem

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# Resources: (REQUIRED/MUST HAVE)

- Chem 108 Lab Manual (Available in the DVC Bookstore: \$17.95)
   Webassign: Class Key, dvc 1518 5716, provides access to all of
- the Webassign resources through your account, which includes An Introduction to Chemistry e-book with associated questions and supporting resources (\$41.00) DVC \$56.70 (?) (Hard copies of An Introduction to Chemistry, Atoms First ISBN978-0-9778105 can be purchased @ \$74.45.)
- 3. i<cli>clicker: The older version is acceptable, as well as the newer. 2 and i-clicker+ versions (\$5.00-\$40.00 on-line & DVC); i-clicker
- Reef Access Card for smartphone (\$16.20) DVC Bookstore
  4. Personal e-mail account. (DVC/CCCCD "Insite" account not recommended, but ok.)
- Notebook: 3 ring recommended Access to the Internet (Can be limited, such as only on the DVC Campus or at free WiFi hotspots)
- Lab safety glasses with side shields or goggles on sale by DVC Chem Club



# Chem 108 http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/108assign.html From Homepage Reading / Homework / Vocabulary Click on Resources link Resources: Reading / Textbook: CHEMISTRY Homework: Unit #1, #2, #3 Exams 1-3 Active Vocabulary/ Guiding Questions / Simulations & Molecular Modeling

# Libretext aka ChemWiki

alternative to or additional resource for textbook

https://chem.libretexts.org



Must enroll in Webassign regardless of choice.

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### Grading:

- i-clicker questions/in-class participation + answers to on-line Guiding Questions + on-line simulations/ quizzes are valued at 15% of the TOTAL grade.
- Webassign completed work is valued at 15% of the TOTAL grade.
- Laboratory experiments, activities, pre- & post-lab questions, worksheets and simulations are valued at 25% of the TOTAL grade.
- 4. 3 exams, each comprising 15% of the TOTAL grade, and, in total, equal to **45%** of the TOTAL grade.

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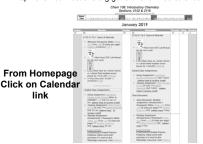
Exam Dates: 3/4, 4/15, 5/22. [Cell phones will not be allowed during exams and quizzes.]

Final letter grades will be assigned based on an overall average in the following ranges: 87-100 A; 75-86 B; 60-74 C; 50-59 D; <50 F, using normalized class averages.

NOTE: The DVC Code of Conduct will be strictly enforced.
Cheating and plagiarism are unacceptable and will
unconditionally result in a failing grade
SEE: DVC Academic College Policies

# Chem 108: Beginning of a Journey

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/calendar-108-s19.html



Follow the Hearing/Viewing-Reading-Doing links in the calendar to lead you on your path.

### Chem 108

Refer to the course calendar page **TODAY** & **frequently**. The current week's calendar is set the beginning of the week, and is then static. Plan by each week...... *Execute day-by-day. Meet all due dates!!* 

Before coming to each class/lab meeting: Hear/Read, View & Do the scheduled activity links: Videos, Powerpoint Class Slides, Notes, Worksheets, Simulations, etc.

- 1. Answer all on-line Guiding Questions.
- Review and consider logical answers & explanations for the embedded Powerpoint i-clicker questions, then refer to the correct answers, which are presented in class. Bring any questions for discussion to the class meetings and Office Hours.
- 3. Complete WEBASSIGN Homework, all lab assignments, activities & worksheets.
- Individually and collaboratively use all available resources to develop a sufficient level of mastery of the class/lab vocabulary, problems, and topics to understand the chemistry / science and be able to explain concepts clearly to someone else.

### Hearing/Viewing: Guiding Questions (GQ)

Measurements & Relative Scale http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/Powers%200f%20Ten-Guide.html

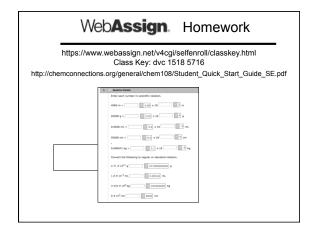
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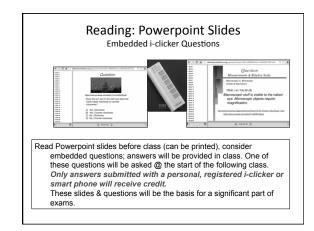
1. Answer all online Guiding Questions.

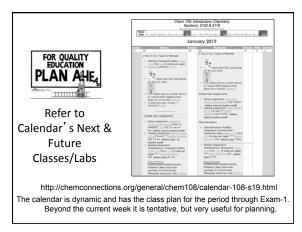
> First GQ assignment Due before next class.

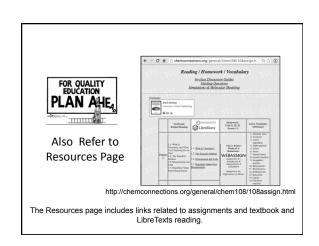


From the calendar links, submit responses on-line; graded weekly.









# How much time beyond class & lab time will all of this take? http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/calendar-108-f18.html All of the outside assignments & homework are designed for ~1.5-2 hrs/day, but the answer will depend on you! Budget your time & get help when needed!! DON' T WAIT!!