Chem 108 **Introductory Chemistry**

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



Class (LIVE): MW 11:10-12:35

Lab (WEEKLY), asynchronous: enrolled & registered as

sec. 2341 12:45-3:55 (M) sec. 2343 12:45-3:55 (W)

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- If you have received an e-mail from Dr. R., please enter your name and DVC ID number in the zoom chat box and hit send.
- Follow the presentation slides & audio and submit any questions via the chat box when you think of them.
 The chat questions will be answered in the order posted at the end of the
- Presentation, and the zoom meeting will be opened for discussion.

Welcome to Chem 108 Introductory Chemistry

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CONNECTIONS

The Academic Support Center (ASC) helps students navigate support services on campus

https://www.dvc.edu/current/tutoring-services/academic-support-center.html

Disability Support Services (DSPS) helps students with disabilities

https://www.dvc.edu/student-services/disability-support-services/

DVC Computer & Network Technology: IT Help Desk https://www.dvc.edu/college-support/computer-services.html

There is also a laptop loan program that lets you check out computers for use within the library.

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CHEMISTRY 108 / Fall 2020: SYLLABUS

From Homepage Click on Syllabus link

Access is direct open Internet, using CANVAS is not necessary

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.
- 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.

Zoom Poll



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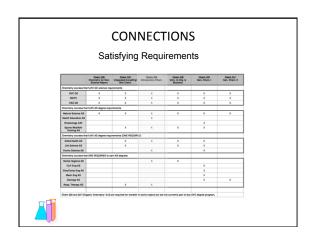
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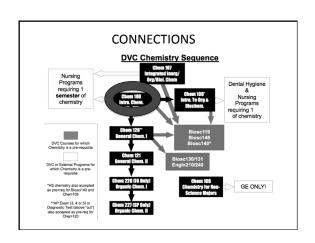
My plan after completing Chem 108 is to:

- A. take General Chemistry : (If @ DVC: Chem 120)
- B. take Integrated Inorganic, Organic, and Biological Chemistry: (If @ DVC: Chem 107)
- take Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry: (If @ DVC: Chem 109).
- D. NOT take other chemistry courses after Chem 108.





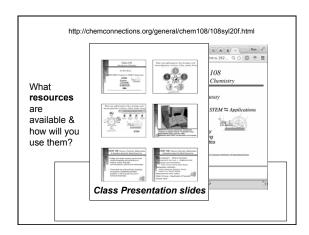


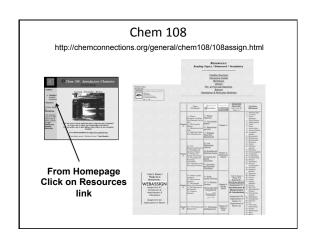


Chem 108: Class/ Lab http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/108syl20f.html CHEMISTRY 108 / Fall 2020: SYLLABUS \$\$\$??? \$\$\$??? Course First Materials: Timers: Kept as Tuition low as Free possible (Get information from DVC A &R) Please read the syllabus carefully after today's class. Important highlights are in the slides that follow.

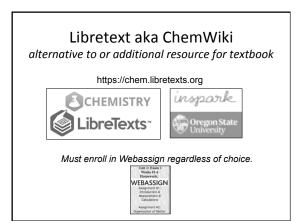
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- 2. Access to the Internet with a computer having audio & video and a recent version of a browser. VERY IMPORTANT
- Personal e-mail account. VERY IMPORTANT (DVC/CCCD "insite.edu" account not recommended, but ok.)
- 4. Notebook: recommended
- 5. Flash Drive recommended





http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/108assign.html From Homepage Click on Resources link Resources: Reading / Homework/ Vocabulary/ Guiding Questions / Discussion Guides/ Quizzes/ Worksheets/ Simulations & Molecular Modeling



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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.

Grades will be posted periodically with a link from the assignments calendar.

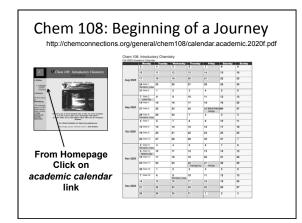
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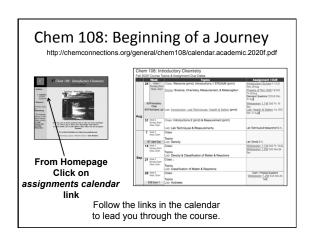
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Exam Dates: 9/28, 11/2, 12/9

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

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.



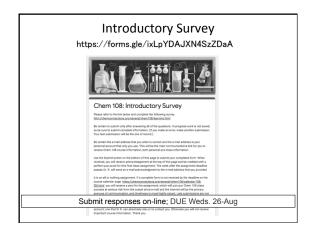


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Refer to the assignments calendar page TODAY & frequently. The current week's calendar is set the beginning of the week, and is then static. Plan by each week...... Execute day-by-day. Meet all due dates!!

Before each class/lab meeting: Read, View & Do the scheduled activities: Videos, Class Presentation Slides, Worksheets, Simulations, etc.

- 1. Check assignment links & DUE dates
- 2. Answer all on-line Guiding Questions.
- Review and consider logical answers for the embedded Discussion
 Questions in the pre-class Presentation slides links, then refer to
 the correct answers in the actual class Presentation.
- 4. 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.



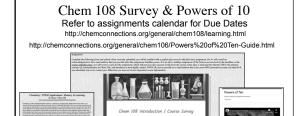
Guiding Questions (GQ) EXAMPLE: Measurements & Relative Scale

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http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/Powers%20of%20Ten-Guide.html



Submit responses on-line; DUE Fri. 28-Aug



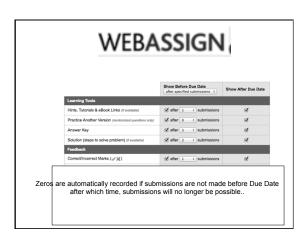
All assignments must be submitted before midnight on the day they are due. LATE ASSIGNMENTS will NOT be accepted and NOT Graded.

Web**Assign**. Homework

https://www.webassign.net/v4cgi/selfenroll/classkey.html Class Key: dvc 2938 8431

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





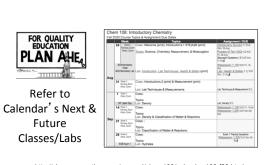






Read the Presentation slides before class (can be printed), consider embedded discussion questions; answers will be provided in class presentations

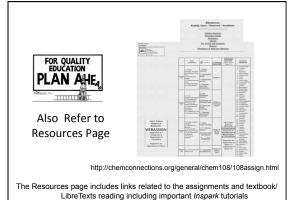
These slides & questions will be your guide and the basis for a significant part of related questions in the 3 exams.



http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/calendar-108-f20.html

The calendar is dynamic and has the class plan for the period through Exam-1.

Beyond the current week it is tentative, but very useful for planning.



How much time beyond class & lab time will all of this take?

http://chemconnections.org/general/chem108/calendar-108-f20.html



Budget your time & get help when needed!! DON' T WAIT!! The course is designed for 6 on-line hours/ week for class & lab, and 9 hours/ week for outside assignments, homework, reading, problems, etc. (~1.5-2 hrs/day), but the total amount of time will vary & depend on you!

Where to get help, if & when needed?

- Dr. R. MW 10:00-11:00 pre-class;
- On-line office hours: TTh 11:00-12:00;
- Other times by appointment (through e-mail request);
- Daily e-mail (replies usually within 24 hours);
- Supplemental Instruction: Fridays (TBA)
- DVC: peer tutoring: (beginning TBA)
 M, T, W, & Th (9 am 7pm) and Fridays (9 am to 1 pm)

(On-line) NetTutor: total of five hours free tutoring for the fall semester through Canvas; must be requested by e-mail through Dr. R.

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