Lecture: MWF 8:00-9:07 am, 195 HHS
Recitation: Thursday 12:00-12:55 pm, 195 HHS
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Midterm #1: Friday February 5th
Midterm #2: Friday March 12th
Midterm #3: Friday April 9th
Final Exam: Wednesday April 21st 8-11 am

Required:
2. Mastering Chemistry Student Access Kit (included with textbook at the OU Bookstore or available for purchase at www.masteringchemistry.com).
4. Scantron form 882 for exams and Scantron form 815 for the quizzes.

Laboratory (CHM 157 only)
All students must register for the laboratory section. If you are repeating this course, you may waive the laboratory portion of the current course. You may use your lab grade from the first course if: (1) your average in the lab was at least 75% and (2) you were enrolled in that course no more than three years ago. If you wish to apply for a waiver, you must complete a General Chemistry Laboratory Waiver form which is available in the Department of Chemistry office, 260 Science and Engineering Building (SEB). This laboratory waiver form must be completed and returned to your current lecture instructor during the first week of the current semester. You must attend the laboratory portion of the course until the waiver is approved.

Assignments, Exams, and Grading
9 Mastering Chemistry homework assignments (10-12 points each, 100 points total)
3 Midterm examinations (100 points each)
Best 8 of 9 quizzes (25 points each, 200 points total)
The final exam (200 points)

All quizzes will be given during the Thursday recitation section. Exams will be given during the regular lecture time and the regular lecture room. The final exam will be a standardized ACS (American Chemical Society) exam. For CHM 157, the lecture grade will account for 80% of your final grade and the lab score will account for 20%.

Grades for each component will be posted to Moodle.

The grading scale will then be 90% and above is a 4.0, while 50% will be assigned a 1.0 grade, with a linear grade scale between. Below 50% is a 0.0.
Recitation
This time will be used for review of material from lecture, study of additional problems, discussion of
difficult homework problems, and pre-midterm review sessions. With the exception of the first recitation
session, no new material will be presented. A series of quizzes will also be administered; each quiz
should take 20-25 minutes.

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Homework
Homework will be assigned weekly and graded. All assignments will be posted at Mastering Chemistry
(www.masteringchemistry.com) at least one week prior to the due date. During the registration process
you must create a student account. Then, registered students should enroll in this course by entering its
unique course ID: FELTON143157. Please use your full name when enrolling in the course.

Homework Assignment Due Dates
Homework #1 Tuesday, Jan 19th at 11 pm  Homework #6 Monday, Mar 8th at 11 pm
Homework #2 Monday, Jan 25th at 11 pm  Homework #7 Monday, Mar 22nd at 11 pm
Homework #3 Monday, Feb 1st at 11 pm   Homework #8 Monday, Mar 29th at 11 pm
Homework #4 Monday, Feb 15th at 11 pm  Homework #9 Monday, Apr 5th at 11 pm
Homework #5 Monday, Mar 1st at 11 pm

Make-up Policy
Make-up exams will be given only under circumstances of excused absences. There will be No make-ups for quizzes and homework.

Should you miss an exam for a non-legitimate reason, you will receive a grade of zero on the missed
examination. If you are too sick to take an exam, you MUST provide a doctor's note or other evidence
that you visited a medical professional. If you miss an examination for a legitimate reason, a date and
time for the makeup exam must be scheduled as soon as possible.

Course Attendance
It is imperative that you avoid missing classes and that you are awake during the class period. All of the
content covered in class or in the assigned homework is important, and any of it could be the subject of
an exam question. When in class, you are expected to remain respectful of the instructor by refraining
from talking during lecture and recitation. Penalties may be imposed for disrespectful behavior. Cell
phones are to be turned off during the class period. You may not leave the classroom to answer phone
calls and return. Laptops may only be used for taking notes.
**Academic Conduct**

Cheating: The University’s regulations that relate to academic misconduct will be fully enforced. Any student suspected of cheating by copying on exams/quizzes, changing answers on exams after they are scored, having another person take an exam, obtaining exam/quiz questions prior to the exam time, use of any previous student’s course work, or by other means will be referred to the Academic Conduct Committee. Students found guilty of misconduct will be given a grade of 0.0 for the course and face possible suspension or permanent dismissal from the university.

**Notes**

No class on January 18\(^{th}\) (MLK)
No classes on February 22\(^{nd}\), 24\(^{th}\), 25\(^{th}\) or 26\(^{th}\) (winter break)

In the event that the University closes on a day that class is held forcing the class to be cancelled, the scheduled events for the class will be conducted in the next class period.

The last day for a 100% tuition refund and a “no grade” drop is January 19\(^{th}\) and the last day for an official withdrawal is March 16\(^{th}\).

Lecture notes posted to Moodle after lecture (each week).

**Quiz, Homework and Exam dates are tentative. Any changes from this schedule will be posted on the calendar on Moodle and announced in class. You are responsible for checking the calendar for date changes**