

COUNTDOWN TO FINALS!

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3 WEEKS BEFORE: Organization

November 15th – 21st

- Ask instructors about the content and format of final exams.
- Review old tests for cumulative finals.
- Answer questions you didn't know the first time.
- Determine what you know/understand and what you do not know/understand.

2 WEEKS BEFORE: Mini-Review

November 22nd – 28th

- Conduct short reviews of course material.
- Organize your notes for systematic review.
- Develop summary sheets/mind maps of important material.
- Create flash cards for memorization of detail.
- Create a study to-do-list of all material to be reviewed, including textbook chapters, notes, study questions, problems to be practiced, etc.
- Develop a study schedule by estimating how much time each item on your study to-do-list will take to complete. Block out time for each activity. **This is your Plan of Action!**

1 WEEK BEFORE: Intensive Study

November 29th – December 6th

- Follow study schedule developed the previous week.
- Focus on comprehension--summarize course concepts in your own words.
- Take breaks!
- Use mind maps to give visual organization to course material—look for relationships.
- Increase retention by linking new information to things you already know.
- Apply the concepts! Ask—what's an example of this? How would I use this?
- Create mnemonic devices for memorization of vocabulary terms.
- Outline answers for possible essay questions.
- Work practice problems for math-based courses.

EXAM WEEK: Review

December 7th – 11th

- Take time to relax!
- Review summary sheets/mind maps
- Continue to review textbook: look over headings and subheadings; topic, introductory and summary statements.
- Recite information aloud.
- Create and take self-tests.
- Reduce test anxiety by avoiding last-minute cramming right before your exams.
- Eat well and stay active!
- Get plenty of sleep.

EXAM SCHEDULE Fall 2009

Course	Examination Day	Examination Time
ACCT 201, 202	Tuesday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
CES 101, 102	Thursday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
ENGR 141	Thursday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
CH 101	Wednesday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
COMM 250	Monday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
EX ST 301	Monday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
MTHSC 101, 102, 207	Wednesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
MTHSC 104, 106, 108	Monday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
PHYS 122, 221	Wednesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

See more information on Common Testing.

All Other Scheduled Exams

Class Day & Meeting Time	Examination Day	Examination Time
MWF 8:00 am - 8:50 am	Thursday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
MWF 9:05 am - 9:55 am	Friday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
MWF 10:10 am - 11:00 am	Tuesday	3:00 pm - 5:30 pm
MWF 11:15 am - 12:05 pm	Tuesday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
MWF 12:20 pm - 1:10 pm	Monday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
MWF 1:25 pm - 2:15 pm	Friday	3:00 pm - 5:30 pm
MWF 2:30 pm - 3:20 pm	Thursday	3:00 pm - 5:30 pm
MWF 3:35 pm - 4:25 pm	Tuesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
MW 4:00 pm - 5:15 pm	Tuesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
MWF 4:40 pm - 5:30 pm	Tuesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
MW 5:45 pm - 7:00 pm	Monday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
M 6:15 pm - 9:00 pm	Monday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
W 6:15 pm - 9:00 pm	Wednesday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
MW 7:15 pm - 8:30 pm	Friday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
TTH 8:00 am - 9:15 am	Friday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
TTH 9:30 am - 10:45 am	Wednesday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
TTH 11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Wednesday	3:00 pm - 5:30 pm
TTH 12:30 pm - 1:45 pm	Monday	3:00 pm - 5:30 pm
TTH 2:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Thursday	8:00 am - 10:30 am
TTH 3:30 pm - 4:45 pm	Friday	11:30 am - 2:00 pm
TTH 5:00 pm - 6:15 pm	Thursday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
T 6:15 pm - 9:00 pm	Thursday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
TH 6:15 pm - 9:00 pm	Monday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
TTH 6:30 pm - 7:45 pm	Thursday	7:00 pm - 9:30 pm

Mon., Dec. 7	Tues., Dec. 8	Wed., Dec. 9	Thurs., Dec. 10	Fri., Dec. 11
8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.