

# Syllabus

## CSE110 Syllabus

### Instructor Info

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### Catalog Description

This course introduces and explores key concepts of computer science, problem solving, and programming using the Java programming language. Concepts include algorithm design, structured programming, fundamental algorithms, techniques, computer systems concepts, and social and ethical responsibility.

### Lecture & Lab

This course is an introductory programming course. The course requires no previous background in programming, but does require considerable dedication and hard work. The course concentrates on programming concepts, problem solving, and basic program design and implementation. The course consists of an interactive textbook that includes readings, lecture content, videos, activities, challenges, assignments, and lab activities.

### Required Textbook

CSE 110 Principles of Programming with Java zyBook.

Extra material and supplemental material may be made available through Canvas and through other course resources like Inscribe.

The best way to purchase the course textbook is through

**Buy or Register Your zyBook (Required) in Week 0 (<https://asu.instructure.c>**

## CSE110 Principle of Programming zyBook

This is an interactive electronic textbook (no physical copy available). The textbook is required for the course, and you cannot complete the assignments or final exams without it.

*Students can purchase access directly in the class zyBook. Access your class zyBook link in your Canvas course. Purchasing directly provides students with*

- If you are waiting for financial aid, you can request a deferral for your payment process: <https://zybooks.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360007439574> (<https://zybooks.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/360007439574/>).
- ***How do I pay if I don't have a credit card?*** ➡ (<https://support.zybooks.com/us/articles/360035293794-How-can-I-subscribe-if-I-don-t-have-a-credit-card->).
- You will need to purchase the book eventually, but these processes will allow you to use your funds.
- If you are retaking the course, you can request to apply a previous payment to your new purchase. Contact [support@zybooks.com](mailto:support@zybooks.com) (<mailto:support@zybooks.com>).

Questions about accessing your zyBook? Reach out to [support@zybooks.com](mailto:support@zybooks.com) (<mailto:support@zybooks.com>).

**If you must purchase an access key through the ASU Bookstore**, please read the instructions below:

- Select "in-store pickup" instead of entering a shipping address, as all codes are for in-store pickup (selecting in-store pickup ensures you aren't charged for shipping).
- Once you place the order, you will receive an order confirmation.
- The order enters the Bookstore queue and is generally processed in 24 hours.
- After that, you'll receive a second email containing the code and redemption instructions within 1-2 business days of receiving the confirmation email.
- If you have waited longer than that, you can email ASU Bookstore at [sundevils@bkstr.com](mailto:sundevils@bkstr.com) (<mailto:%20sundevils@bkstr.com>) with your order #number and they'll look into it and either resend the code or troubleshoot any problem creating a delay.

**Once you have the code to the book**, follow these instructions:

- Click any zyBooks assignment link in your learning management system (LMS) or the zyBooks website and create a new account
- Enter the 10-character access key on the subscribe page
- Click Subscribe

# Computer Requirements

This is a fully online course; therefore, it requires a computer with internet access technologies:

- Web browsers (**Chrome** → <https://www.google.com/chrome>), **Mozilla Firefox** (<http://www.mozilla.org/en-US/firefox/new/>), or **Safari** → <http://www.apple.com/safari>)
- **Adobe Acrobat Reader** → <http://get.adobe.com/reader/> (free)
- Webcam, microphone, headset/earbuds, and speaker
- Microsoft Office (**Microsoft 365 is free** → <https://myapps.asu.edu/app/microsoft365>) for all currently-enrolled ASU students)
- Reliable broadband internet connection (DSL or cable) to stream videos.

*Note:* A smartphone, iPad, Chromebook, etc. will not be sufficient for completing Online courses. While you will be able to access course content with mobile devices, you will need a desktop computer for all assignments, quizzes, and virtual labs.

## Prerequisites

No courses. Basic computer literacy is useful.

## Online Expectations

CSE 110 is far more rigorous and challenging than other 100-level courses. If you take this course as a 7.5- or 8-week course, you should plan to spend at least 20 hours per week on the various activities. It is highly recommended that you should schedule your time as follows:

- 10 hr/wk – Content (reading, videos, activities) in required textbook
- 2 hr/wk – Lab work
- 6 hr/wk – Individual programming assignments
- 2 hr/wk – Study Hall and Office Hours

You may find that you personally require more or less time for the specific components and your efforts may vary from module to module. However, it is highly recommended that you schedule a full 20 hours per week.

## Major Topics Covered in the Course

- Introduction to Computer Science and problem solving
- Variables, data types and expressions

- Console input and output
- Methods (with parameters and return values)
- Flow control structures (decisions and loops)
- Arrays and Array Lists
- Array algorithms (including searching and sorting)
- File input and output
- Introduction to Object Oriented Programming

## Learning Outcomes

1. Develop Java programs using primitive types
2. Use predefined classes in their programs such as Math, String and Random
3. Read and understand Java programs that include multiple methods, control flow, and arrays
4. Develop Java programs with multiple classes and writing methods with constructors
5. Develop Java programs applying object oriented programming approach
6. Understand the use of static methods and variables
7. Understand searching and basic sorting algorithms


## Tips for Success

One does not learn how to program computers by just reading a book and watching videos. Practice is essential.

Students who are most successful in CSE 110:

- Follow the 20 hr/wk schedule recommended in the **Online Expectations** section above
- Read the upcoming sections in the textbook ahead of time to first introduce concepts
- Complete every lab and participate actively, post your questions in our InSight forum
- Review the material in the text again to make sure it is clear
- Read and begin assignments early so they may ask questions and get help before the deadline
- Use the available help systems when help is needed
- Go to Study Hall and Office Hours
- Review and study past assignments, and textbook content in preparation for the next assignment

## Course Web Site

All documents associated with this course will be made available through your ASU account and ASU's Canvas portal system. All students who are registered in CSE 110 can access the course material through ASU's portal. If you experience any difficulty, contact the **ASU Experience Center**  (<https://uto.asu.edu/experiencecenter>) for technical support. It is your **responsibility to access, complete, and submit your assignments from the course web site**.

web site. Start working on the assignment as soon as possible. You should start assignments so you can get help in time, if you need it. You should also check the announcement page often as the semester progresses.

## Getting Help

This course includes a comprehensive set of help resources to support you and your success. The list of available help resources is provided on the [Get Help](https://asu.instructure.com/courses/176937/pages/get-help) (<https://asu.instructure.com/courses/176937/pages/get-help>) page in Canvas. It is important that you should seek appropriate help as soon as possible. If you are struggling with an assignment, do not expect things to get easier or to make more sense as the semester progresses. Take full advantage of the available help resources. Start early on all assignments and use the available help resources when you need them and to get the help you are able to complete the assignments on time.

## Assignments and Assessment

Your course grade in CSE 110 will be based on the distribution below. Each item is listed in the following sections. There is absolutely no group work allowed in this course as stated by the instructor.

Textbook Reading Activities	10%
Lab Challenges	5%
Lab Participation	5%
Individual Coding Assignments	15%
First Quarter Exam	5%
Midterm Exam	25%
Third Quarter Exam	5%
Final Exam	30%
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Total	100%

## Textbook Reading Activities

These Reading Activities have fixed due dates. Reading Activities must be completed on the due date passes in order to receive any credit for them. There is **no make-up for a Reading Activity**.

## Lab Participation and Lab Challenges

You will not have scheduled lab sessions. You will still have lab assignments, a video instructions that you must follow to complete the lab participation credit. You will have Lab Participation activities each week. Lab Participation will help you to complete your lab assignments.

**No late lab participations will be accepted for any credit.** The lowest Lab P be dropped from your final grade calculation – even if that score is a zero.

There is **no make-up for any missed Lab Challenge**. The lowest Lab Challer dropped from your final grade calculation – even if that score is a zero.

## Individual Coding Assignments

These Individual Coding Assignments **must be done individually**. You may n other students or use any resources outside of those provided in the course m outside sources like Google (or other search tools), or sites like Stack Overflow Hero, etc. will be considered academic dishonesty (i.e. cheating). **Instances of dishonesty will be reported to the Dean's office for disciplinary action**, w on assignments, a zero in the course, and suspension or expulsion from the sc **Academic Integrity** section in this syllabus (below) for more details.

These individual assignments are designed to help you practice the concepts y this class. Everything you need to successfully complete each Individual Codin provided in the course materials prior to the actual Assignment. These Individu Assignments are designed to be challenging, and you will often struggle to suc them. This struggle is expected and normal. When you are stuck or struggling, first course of action should be to review the prior course materials in the textb give you the information you need to resume progress on the assignment, then the provided course help systems that can be found on the **Get Help** page in C advice is that you should start as early as possible on these Individual Assignr time to get any help you may need to successfully complete them before the di **late assignments will be accepted for any credit**.

**The lowest Individual Coding Assignment score will be dropped from you calculation** – even if that score is a zero.

## Exams

There will be multiple exams. We have a first quarter exam as well as a third q this, we have the Midterm and Final exams, these exams are comprehensive. multiple choice, fill-in-the-blank, short answer, programming problems, or any c **There is no make-up for any missed exam**. Any use of outside sources like search tools), or sites like Stack Overflow, Chegg, Course Hero, etc. will be co dishonesty (i.e. cheating). **Instances of academic dishonesty will be reporte office for disciplinary action**, which may include zeros on assignments, a ze suspension or expulsion from the school. See the **Academic Integrity** section (below) for more details.

All exams require you to use Lockdown Browser and Respondus. It is the responsibility of the student to install and check that this software properly works on their computer.

As part of the authentication process for taking an exam, students must show a valid photo ID, such as an official ID, such as driver license or state ID. It is the responsibility of the student to bring the ID to the exam at the time of the exam.

## Makeup Policies

Makeups could be granted due to illness, quarantine or self-isolation related to COVID-19, as determined by a health professional and communicated to the instructor as soon as possible.

Accommodations due to illness do not relieve students from responsibility for a work required during the period of absence. Faculty will provide accommodated students with make-up work.

If there is a disagreement as to whether an absence should be accommodated, the student should contact the academic unit chair immediately for resolution.

## Grade Breakdown

The following scale will be used to determine your final grade:

Final Grade	Percentage
A+	$\geq 98\%$
A	$\geq 90\%$ and $< 98\%$
B+	$\geq 88\%$ and $< 90\%$
B	$\geq 80\%$ and $< 88\%$
C+	$\geq 78\%$ and $< 80\%$
C	$\geq 70\%$ and $< 78\%$
D	$\geq 60\%$ and $< 70\%$
E	$< 60\%$

**No curving or rounding** will be applied to your grades. All students must have both the exam component of the class and the assignments component of the class.

The grade of "I" (incomplete) can be given ONLY when a student, who is doing work (passing grade), is unable to complete a part of work (e.g., the final exam) due to documented illness or other conditions beyond the student's control. In the latter case, the student must discuss with the instructor and complete an application form from the department as soon as the circumstances are known. Please see ASU's policy on Incomplete grades at <https://students.asu.edu/grades>.

# Grading Appeals

Any discrepancy or disagreement in grading must be presented to the instructor **within one week** (7 days) of your receipt of your graded materials (the due date); otherwise, an appeal cannot be made. Your email must include the following: Your full name, Your ASU-Rite course section number, your CSE 110 Lab section #, the name of the assignment, and a justification for challenging the grade you received on this assignment.

If the dispute is not resolved with the instructor, the student may appeal to the Dean of the College. For more information, please refer to the [University Policy for Student Appeal Procedures on Grades](https://catalog.asu.edu/appeal). [↗](https://catalog.asu.edu/appeal)  
(<https://catalog.asu.edu/appeal>)

## Assignment Submissions

Individual Assignment, Lab Participations, and Lab Challenges will be submitted through the required interactive textbook and/or Canvas. Please note that **submissions made after the due date will not be accepted for any credit**. Instructions for submitting assignments will be provided in the course syllabus.

Assignment due dates follow Arizona Standard time. Click the following link to [Convertor](https://dateful.com/time-zone-converter) [↗](https://dateful.com/time-zone-converter) (<https://dateful.com/time-zone-converter>) to ensure you account for Time Zones. Note: Arizona does not observe daylight savings time.

**Important Note:** The instructor reserves the right to change this grading system as the semester progresses and various circumstances develop.

**Withdrawing from the course:** This course adheres to a compressed schedule and is a sequenced program, therefore, there is a **limited timeline** [↗](https://student.asu.edu/academic/withdrawal) (<https://student.asu.edu/academic/withdrawal>) to drop or add the course.

Consult with your advisor and notify your instructor to add or drop this course. If you are considering withdrawal, review the following ASU policies: [Withdrawal from Classes, Meeting Times, and Withdrawal](https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm201-09.html) [↗](https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm201-09.html) (<https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm201-09.html>), and a [Withdrawal from the Course](https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm203-09.html) [↗](https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm203-09.html) (<https://www.asu.edu/aad/manuals/ssm/ssm203-09.html>).

## Communication with the Instructor

This course uses a discussion board for general questions about the course. If you have a question, please check the syllabus, announcements, and existing posts. If you do not find an answer, post your question in the relevant channel. You are encouraged to respond to the questions of your classmates.



ASU email is an official means of communication among students, faculty, and expected to read and act upon email in a timely fashion. Students bear the responsibility for messages and should check their ASU-assigned email regularly. Email questions should be sent to your instructor or assigned TA. You can expect a response within 48 hours. **correspondence will be sent to your ASU email account.**

## Requirements for Success in this Course

The instructor assumes that you are mature and responsible adults, that you are taking this course because you wish to learn the material, that you will read any assigned material, that you will begin, that you will come to class prepared to discuss the reading and ask questions, that you will complete the assignments to the best of your ability on time, that you will actively participate in discussions, and that you will ask questions about material you find confusing.

The instructor believes that college students must be actively involved in their education, that they cannot just sit and listen to lectures and expect to learn the material, that the purposes of college education and the Arizona State University mission is for them to develop skills such as problem solving, independent learning, critical thinking, and spoken communication. To succeed in this course you must:

- Be prepared for every class, engage every lab, and pay attention.
- Read the textbook and any assigned readings prior to class.
- Begin and complete the programming assignments well before the due date.
- Prepare thoroughly for and complete every exam.
- Do any additional exercises you must to understand the material.
- Ask questions through the diverse forums provided through Canvas
- If you do not complete an assignment by the deadline, complete it anyway and remember that there is a no-late policy.
- If you miss points on an assignment or exam, determine why your answer was incorrect and learn the correct answers.
- Seek help from the resources available on the **Get Help** page in Canvas, but do not fall behind on your understanding of the subject.
- Check the course Canvas website every day for new announcements, materials, and updates.

## University Policies

This is an online course. There are no face-to-face meetings. You can access your MyASU. To learn more about online courses please visit [ASU Online Course](https://asuonline-dev.asu.edu/qm-template/CanvasQM/qm-policies.html) (<https://asuonline-dev.asu.edu/qm-template/CanvasQM/qm-policies.html>).

All university and college policies concerning withdrawal deadlines, incomplete procedures are in effect for this course. All students are advised to be aware of these guidelines.

# Academic Integrity

Students in this class must adhere to ASU's academic integrity policy, which can be found at <https://provost.asu.edu/academic-integrity/policy> (https://provost.asu.edu/academic-integrity/policy). Students are responsible for reviewing this policy and understanding the areas in which academic dishonesty can occur. In addition, all engineering students must adhere to both the ASU Academic Integrity Honor Code and the Fulton School of Engineering Academic Integrity Code. All academic integrity violations will be reported to the Fulton Schools of Engineering Academic Integrity Office (AIO). The AIO maintains records of all violations and coordinates the response to academic integrity violations committed in all other ASU colleges/schools.

The Student Academic Integrity Policy of Arizona State University requires each student to be honest and integrity and to respect the rights of others in carrying out all academic activities. There are a number of actions that constitute a violation of the policy. These actions include, but are not limited to:

- practicing any form of academic deceit;
- referring to materials or sources or employing devices (e.g., audio recorder, calculator, sheets, calculators, solution manuals, or commercial research services) not authorized by the instructor for use during tests, quizzes, homework, and class activities;
- acting as a substitute for another person in any academic evaluation or using another person's work in an academic evaluation;
- possessing, buying, selling, or otherwise obtaining or using, without appropriate authorization, any copy of any materials intended to be used for academic evaluation in advance of the evaluation;
- depending on the aid of others to the extent that the work is not representative of the student's abilities, knowing or having good reason to believe that this aid is not authorized;
- providing inappropriate aid to another person, knowing or having good reason to believe that the aid is not authorized by the instructor;
- submitting the ideas or work of another person or persons without customary acknowledgment of sources (i.e., engaging in plagiarism);
- permitting one's own ideas or work to be submitted by another person without authorization, or attempting to influence or change any academic evaluation that is having no relevance to class achievement;
- turning in work/code done by someone else or another pair/group;
- copying work/code done by someone else or another pair/group;
- writing code together with someone else or with another pair/group (unless otherwise authorized by the instructor).

Students should not release (to GitHub, friends, etc.) any of their completed assignments or code to ensure that they do not cause an AIP violation during a future semester. If a student submits your work, you and they will be held accountable.

# Copyright

Course content, including text, videos, assignments, labs, and lectures, are copyrighted and students may not share outside the class, upload to online websites not approved by the instructor, sell, or distribute course content or notes taken during the conduct of the course. See ASU Policy 304–06, “Commercial Note Taking Services” and ABOR Policy 5-308 F.14 for more information.

You must refrain from uploading to any course shell, discussion board, or website any material that is not the student's original work, and you must first comply with all applicable copyright laws; faculty members reserve the right to remove any material on the grounds of suspected copyright infringement.

In general, the instructor believes learning is a collaborative activity - that students learn from each other - and that students should be encouraged to learn from and teach each other.

In completing the Lab Challenges, student collaboration is encouraged and will be rewarded as each student contributes equally to the work. Failure to abide by these rules of zero being assigned to one or more students (if I have a reasonable hunch that a student has copied the work on a Lab Challenge and the other student(s) simply copied it, then the student(s) who copied the work will receive the assignment score and the other students will be given the assignment score). **Collaboration on individual assignments and exams are not permitted**; each assignment and exam must be completed by the individual student.

## Professional and Ethical Behavior

All students in this class are expected to treat others fairly, with respect and consideration for such factors as race, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability, age, or national origin. In this class, you are expected to contribute to the overall campus climate such that all students are respected, and are able to develop to their full potential. This will allow each student to contribute to the success of the class as a whole. ASU and the College of Engineering are committed to maintaining a productive, enjoyable and diverse campus environment.

Students are expected to effectively communicate ideas. Inappropriate language does not effectively communicate your ideas to an audience. Inappropriate language includes not only profanity, but also words that are demeaning to a person or group (racially charged words, etc.). You are expected to participate in the various classroom activities, including:

- coming to each class on time and staying until dismissed;
- following instructions given by the instructor, including actively working on your assignment when instructed; and
- not consuming any food or drink while in the ASU classrooms, and not bringing containers of food or drink into the classrooms; and
- avoiding disruptive side conversations.

You are expected to make appropriate use of ASU facilities and property, including:

- leaving a clean work space – tables, floors and chairs; all trash picked up and treating walls, furniture and floors properly –putting feet on tables and chair upon or disfiguring furniture; and
- leaving computers as you would furniture – clean and ready to use, without software, links, screen savers or settings that will offend or impede the efforts of other users.

These are consistent with university-wide behavioral expectations described in conduct and policies administered through **ASU Office of Student Life - Student Judicial** (<http://www.asu.edu/studentlife/judicial/index.html>).

## Classroom (remote or in-person) Behavior

Students, faculty, staff, and other individuals do not have an unqualified right of access to ASU grounds, property, or services. Interfering with the peaceful conduct of university activities or remaining on campus grounds after a request to leave may be considered a violation. Incidents and allegations of violent or threatening conduct by an ASU student (on or off campus) must be reported to the ASU Police Department (ASU PD) and the Office of the Dean of Students.

The **ASU Student Services Manual (SSM 201-10)** (<http://www.asu.edu/aad/ssm/201-10.html>) permits the instructor to withdraw a student from a course for disruptive behavior (W (withdrawal) or E (failure)). Note that "disruptive behavior" is defined by the University or the student. Violation of conventional and acceptable classroom behavior includes the offender being asked to exit the classroom and notification of the offense to the Dean of Engineering's Dean's Office. A warning may or may not be provided. Any violent or threatening conduct by an ASU student in this class will be reported to the ASU Police Department and the Dean of Students.

Note that in general, you may sit where you wish. However, the instructor has the right to move students whom I suspected were cheating during an exam, and I will do so if I believe you are looking at another student's paper or sharing answers during a


## Harassment and Sexual Discrimination

Arizona State University is committed to providing an environment free of discrimination or retaliation for the entire university community, including all students, faculty, staff, employees, and guests. ASU expressly prohibits discrimination, harassment, or sexual violence against employees, students, contractors, or agents of the university based on any pro


color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, and genetic information.

Title IX is a federal law that provides that no person be excluded on the basis of sex from participation in, be denied benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any education program or activity. Both Title IX and university policy make clear that sexual violence against a person on the basis of sex is prohibited. An individual who believes they have been subjected to sexual harassment on the basis of sex can seek support, including counseling and academic support, from the university. If you or someone you know has been harassed on the basis of sex, you can find information and resources at <https://sexualviolenceprevention.asu.edu/faqs>.

As a mandated reporter, I am obligated to report any information I become aware of regarding alleged acts of sexual discrimination, including sexual violence and dating violence. EOSS Services, <https://eoss.asu.edu/counseling> is available if you wish to discuss an issue confidentially and privately. ASU online students may access 360 Life Services

at <https://goto.asuonline.asu.edu/success/online-resources.html>  <https://goto.asuonline.asu.edu/success/online-resources.html>.

## Statement on Accommodations

The [Student Accessibility and Inclusive Learning Services](https://eoss.asu.edu)  <https://eoss.asu.edu> (480-965-1234; Matthews Center; email: [Student.Accessibility@asu.edu](mailto:Student.Accessibility@asu.edu)) is the central office for students requiring accommodation. Any student requiring accommodation must register with the Center before any accommodation requests can be granted by the instructor. For accommodation, please contact the Center as soon as possible so the instructor can ensure your success.

Suitable accommodations will be made for students having disabilities. Students requiring accommodations must register with the ASU disabilities resource Center and provide proof of that registration to the instructor. Students should communicate the need for accommodations with sufficient time for it to be properly arranged.

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Homepage or [Module](https://asu.instructure.com/courses/1769) <https://asu.instructure.com/courses/1769> to go to the