

CISC 3310 MW0
Principles of Computer Architecture

MW 10:35-12:15 232 NE

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Required Textbooks (See separate sheet for textbook rental or purchase options)

Essentials of Computer Organization and Architecture, Third Edition, Null and Lobur.
Essentials of 80x86 Assembly Language, Second Edition (or first edition), Detmer.

Tests, Grading Policy

midterm	35%
programs & other homework	10%
quizzes	20%
final exam	35%

Homework will be assigned and collected, but individual problems will not be graded. Problem sets should be submitted on paper. **Programming projects** will be done in 32-bit assembler. Programming assignments **MUST** be submitted by email. Use the following header when doing so: A# 3310. For example: A1 3310. Please submit ONE assignment per email, since I file them in different folders. No homework will be accepted more than 1 week past the due date, and no homework will be accepted after it has been gone over in class.

Quizzes: There will be short weekly quizzes, perhaps weekly, based on the assigned homework.

Incompletes will not normally be given. **Attendance** is mandatory. More than three absences for the term will result in a reduction of your final grade by one letter grade. No make-ups will be given on tests or the final unless you have informed me in advance that you will miss a test, and I have approved the makeup.

Academic Integrity: The faculty and administration of Brooklyn College support an environment free from cheating and plagiarism. Each student is responsible for being aware of what constitutes cheating and plagiarism and for avoiding both. The complete text of the CUNY Academic Integrity Policy and the Brooklyn College procedure for implementing that policy can be found at this site: <http://www.brooklyn.cuny.edu/bc/policies>. If a faculty member suspects a violation of academic integrity and, upon investigation, confirms that violation, or if the student admits the violation, the faculty member **MUST** report the violation. This means that if you cheat on a test or an assignment, I must file a report which will initiate academic penalties.

Important Dates

Midterm exam	Monday, Oct 27
Final exam	Monday, Dec, 22, 10:30-12:30

No classes: Sept. 1, Sept. 24-26, Oct. 3-4, Oct. 12-13, Nov. 27-30

Conversion day: Tuesday, Sept. 23 follows a Friday schedule

Last day to file to take a course pass/fail:	Wednesday, Sept. 10
Last day to drop a course without a grade:	Wednesday, Sept. 17
Last day to withdraw from a course with a W grade:	Thursday, Nov. 6