

Class Schedule

This schedule is meant to give you an idea of the general flow of the class and approximately when we will get to different sections. Although I have given you a day by day schedule, many things can happen during the quarter that will alter it. I will make sure it is **VERY** clear when changes have been made and when assignments are due.

Week 1

Mon	3/30/09	Adds/Drops and How to Succeed in Rat Lab Prepare for the Animal Care Exam – Web course
Tue	3/31/09	Experimental Design / Statistics Handout Excel Assignment #1
Wed	4/01/09	Review animal handling / Lab notebook Animal care and student responsibilities
Th	4/02/09	Guest Lecture: Dr. James Ha “Learning and Companion Animal Behavior”
Fri	4/03/09	Form Groups Assign Rats Collect Completed Medical Screening Forms

Week 2

Mon	4/06/09	Quiz #1 (Learning/Experimental Design/Statistics) Reading Assignment: Ch 3 (All) & Ch 4 (up to page 153) Finish up Excel Assignment
Tue	4/07/09	Class Experiment Background Handout Article Summary Assignment #2 Handout Group Proposal Assignment
Wed	4/08/09	Rat Handling Completion certificate for the Animal Care Web Course Due Excel Assignment #1 Due
Th	4/09/09	Rat Handling / Lab Notebook Entries
Fri	4/10/09	No Class – Work on Article Summary on your own

Week 3

Mon	4/13/09	Class Experiment / Work on Group Proposals
Tue	4/14/09	Class Experiment / Work on Group Proposals Article Summary Assignment #2 Due Handout Article Summary Assignment #3
Wed	4/15/09	Class Experiment / Work on Group Proposals
Th	4/16/09	Class Experiment / Work on Group Proposals
Fri	4/17/09	Class Experiment / Short Preliminary Lecture on Writing your APA paper

Week 4

Mon	4/20/09	Class experiment / Research on Group Proposals
Tue	4/21/09	Class experiment / Research on Group Proposals Last Day to get approval for Group Project Concept from Dr. Ha Article Summary Assignment #3 Due
Wed	4/22/09	Class experiment / Write up Group Proposals

Th 4/23/09 Class experiment / Write up Group Proposals
 Fri 4/24/09 Class experiment / Wrap Up

Group Project Proposals Due**Week 5**

Mon 4/27/09 Lecture – Writing your APA paper
Reading Assignment: Ch 5 (pp. 182-198), Ch 6 (All), Ch 7 (pp. 258-275)
 Tue 4/28/09 Work on APA papers / Start Preconditioning for Group experiment
 Wed 4/29/09 Work on APA papers / Start Preconditioning for Group experiment
 Th 4/30/09 Group experiment
 Fri 5/01/09 Group experiment

Week 6

Mon 5/04/09 Group experiment
 Tue 5/05/09 Group experiment
 Wed 5/06/09 Group experiment
APA Paper Due
Reading Assignment: Ch 11 (All) & Ch 12 (pp. 458-475)
 Th 5/07/09 Group experiment
 Fri 5/08/09 Group experiment

Week 7

Mon 5/11/09 Group experiment
 Tue 5/12/09 Group experiment– *Take Photos of Experiments!*
 Wed 5/13/09 Group experiment
 Th 5/14/09 Group experiment
 Fri 5/15/09 Wrap up Group experiments

Week 8

Mon 5/18/09 Analyze Group Experiment Data
 Tue 5/19/09 Exam Review
 Wed 5/20/09 Video on Applied Animal Behavior
 Th 5/21/09 **In-class Exam**
 Fri 5/22/09 Make Graphs/Conduct Power Analyses

Week 9

Mon 5/25/09 **NO CLASS - HOLIDAY**
 Tue 5/26/09 Write up Results/Discussion Papers
 Wed 5/27/09 Lecture on “Using PowerPoint to create posters”
Results/Discussion Papers Due
 Th 5/28/09 Work on Posters
 Fri 5/29/09 Work on Posters

Week 10

Mon 6/01/09 Work on Posters
 Tue 6/02/09 Finish / Print Posters
 Wed 6/03/09 Poster Session

Posters and In-class Assn Due

Th 6/04/09

Group Oral Presentations

Fri 6/05/09

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Lab Notebooks & Signed Key Return Forms to Me