

# Syllabus in-class assignment, day 1

Your name \_\_\_\_\_ Check here \_\_\_\_ if you are trying to add into the class.

Work in a group (or on your own, if you insist, but you probably won't finish) and answer ALL of these questions TODAY .

Who worked with you? \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is your teacher's name?
2. What building is your teacher's office in? What's the office number?
3. Does your teacher read email?
4. Is there a webpage for this class?
5. What material will be posted to the web page? What will not?
6. What are vodcasts and why are they relevant to this class?
7. How might a vodcast help you?
8. What is the name of the free astronomy tutor and where can you find him/her?
9. Has the free astronomy tutor taken any classes at El Camino College?
10. What MUST you bring to EVERY test? There should be at least 2 things on your list, and there is one optional (and strongly recommended) item. What is this recommended item?
11. What's an easy and confidential way for you to tell your teacher about any important disability you may have?
12. If students don't want to walk home alone at night, what campus safety service is available and how can you contact the people providing this service?
13. Is there a math requirement for the course? How often will math be used in this course?
14. If you want to learn star names and constellations, is this the right class? If not, what is?
15. What makes up most of your grade in this class? How many will there be?
16. What's a clicker?
17. How much of your grade will be determined by participation and how will participation be measured?
18. Is there a penalty for getting clicker questions wrong during class?

19. Is vocabulary an important part of this class?
20. How often will you have to do homework in this class?
21. What are the rules for submitting homework over email?
22. Name and BRIEFLY describe 3 types of extra credit you can do in this class.
23. Are you allowed to work with classmates in this class? What rules must you follow?
24. Are late homework assignments accepted?
25. What's an "NQA coupon"? What do you get for the coupon? When can you use it?
26. Is there a bonus if you don't use any NQA coupons?
27. What happens if you miss a test?
28. Which Scantron form should you buy for this class?
29. What policies exist in this class if you did poorly on a test?
30. Can you improve a test grade, other than by doing extra credit?
31. Is attendance mandatory? How often is attendance taken in this class?
32. On what page of the syllabus can you find the homework assignments for this course? Are the due dates listed?
33. What are the 3 things you need to do for each question you submit on a "test rewrite"?
34. Are there test preparation guides in the syllabus? Which pages? Do they list everything you need to know and do to be successful on the tests?
35. What are a few suggestions your teacher gives for getting a good grade?
36. Does your teacher think extra credit is valuable? Why or why not?
37. For students who need financial assistance with college, name 3 offices at ECC that can help.
38. If you don't have health insurance, but you need to see a doctor, what can you do at ECC?
39. Name at least 4 Academic Strategy classes. Which classes sound interesting and potentially useful to someone in your group?
40. If you need to visit your professor in his office, how will you find his office?