Prerequisite
CS51 or equivalent. “Equivalent” meaning AP course or another substantial introductory course in Java.

Computer Accounts
If you did not preregister for the course in the Fall, register for an account on the lab machines by going to www.dci.pomona.edu and clicking on Request an Account on the left. Youll need an account for the labs, so please do this soon!

Handouts, announcements, etc.
All handouts will be distributed on the course web page. This will include lecture notes/slides, assignments and other handouts. You are responsible for all material and announcements posted on the class web page, so please check it regularly. For time critical announcements, I will generally use e-mail.

Labs
You must be enrolled in one of the two labs. Regardless of which lab you’re actually enrolled in, you’re welcome to attend either lab and I would encourage you to attend both, as this is a good opportunity to get assistance from the TAs and myself.

Late policy
Except under extenuating circumstances or when otherwise specified, I will not accept late homework or assignments.

Quizzes
I will assign problems from the book (specified on the schedule on the course web page) to be looked at before class. In general, I will only specify problems where the solution is explicitly provided in the book. You will not hand
in these problems, however, a few times throughout the semester I will give a short, in-class quiz based on the assigned problems. If you have looked at the problems before hand, the quiz should not be a problem.

**Grading**

- 40% assignments
- 20% midterm
- 30% final
- 5% quizzes
- 5% class participation

**Academic honesty and collaboration**

I take academic honesty *very* seriously. See page 43 of the 2009 - 2011 Pomona College Catalog for the college’s policy on academic honesty. Students from other colleges are governed by the policies of their home campuses.

Except where explicitly indicated, each student must do all course work independently. You are allowed (and encouraged) to discuss assignments and other material with fellow students, however, all work that you submit must be done exclusively by you. *All* of the material that you submit must be your own work. You should never copy another student’s code or solutions, exchange files, or shares your code or solutions with anyone else in the class until after the assignment is due. It is also forbidden to lookup answers to assignments on the web or obtain answers from class material from other courses. If you do find resources online that you found useful (that were not answers), *cite* this material. You must write up your answers to the assignments independently of any other resources, in your own words.

Penalties ranging from no credit on the assignment to receiving an ‘F’ for the course will be assessed depending on the situation and the student(s) will be referred to the Academic Discipline Board at Pomona College or the equivalent body at another college.