IT 1200: Computer Hardware/A+

Spring 2024 Schedule

This class meets TTh 9am-10:15am in Smith 107

The readings will come from the course textbook, *CompTIA A+ Guide to Managing and Troubleshooting PCs, Seventh Edition* by Mike Meyers, ISBN 978-1264712748. Many instructional videos will come from https://www.professormesser.com. Additional supplemental online resources may be used. Check with Canvas for other assignments.

This schedule is subject to change.

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Week of	Readings	Quiz/Exam
Jan 7	01 - Safety & Professionalism, 02 - The Visible Computer	
Jan 14	03 - CPUs, 04 - Memory	Quiz (Ch 1 & 2)
Jan 21	05 - Firmware, 06 - Motherboards	Quiz (Ch 3 & 4)
Jan 28	07 - Power Supplies, Review	Quiz (Ch 5 & 6), EXAM 1 (Ch 1 thru 6)
Feb 4	08 - Mass Storage Technologies, 09 - Implementing Mass Storage	Quiz (Ch 7)
Feb 11	10 - Essential Peripherals, 17 - Display Technologies	Quiz (Ch 8 & 9)
Feb 18	11 - Building a PC	Quiz (Ch 10, 17)
Feb 25	Review (Ch 7-11, 17)	Quiz (Ch 11), Exam 2 (Ch 7-11,17)
Mar 3	23 - Portable Devices, 24 - Mobile Devices	
Mar 10	Spring Break	
Mar 17	26 - Printers and Multifunction Devices	Quiz (Ch 23 & 24)
Mar 24	15 - Working with the Command Line Interface, Review (Ch 23, 24, 26, 15)	Quiz (Ch 26)
Mar 31	Group Project - Retro Arcade Machines	Quiz (Ch 15), Exam 3 (Ch 15,23,24,26)
Apr 7	Group Project - Retro Arcade Machines	
Apr 14	Group Project - Retro Arcade Machines	
Apr 21	Comprehensive Review for Final	
Apr 30	Final exam schedule: Tuesday April 30 @ 9am	