

CSE142 Lecture Questions for Monday, 2/8/21, section A

Time (e.g., 12:45)	Question	Answer
	If we ever made a mistake and recognise the issue, explaining about it to the TA will not deduct our points?	You don't lose points for mistakes. As I mention in the lecture, it's okay to have "bad" answers. We're grading you on the effort, not on the correctness of your answers.
	It's our job to count the 75 minutes of the midterm right?	Yes, you should find a time to take the test and should limit yourself to 75 minutes.
	What is discussed with the TA, should we just be prepared to talk about what our thought process was like for each problem?	The TA will discuss how you did on the test. That could involve your thought process, but will also involve talking about how you did on programming questions and the mechanical style questions and whether there is anything you should be practicing or reviewing.
	When/How should we contact our TA?	Your TA will talk to you this week about how to arrange a meeting. Each TA will probably handle it slightly differently.
	Since this is an effort based midterm, would it be appropriate to leave a question blank if you don't fully understand how to do it? Would you lose points on it?	Sure, but for the programming questions, you should show whatever you can show. We always give partial credit for the elements that a student can show when we give a normal exam, so there's no reason not to do that here as well. Points are not based on how well you answer the questions. You will get full credit if you do this exam task.
	I'm not sure if this was mentioned, but Booleans are allowed on HW #5 since it was on the cheat sheet right?	Yes.
	Is the midterm time locked where by 75 minutes after we start we have to upload, or is it more honor system?	Honor system. Download any time. Complete any time. Upload any time.
	So no homework this week, hw 6 will be coming out next wednesday?	Yes, homework 6 will be released Wednesday of next week.

	The midterm is basically our homework for the week right? Its not timed?	It is timed in the sense that I have asked you to limit yourself to 75 minutes when you complete it, but it's up to you to watch the time. And yes, there is no new homework this week because we're doing the midterm instead.
	Can we use boolean in homework 5	yes
	When can we arrange 15 minute talk time	Your TA will tell you how to do that sometime this week.