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## Course Introduction

Work in small groups to answer the questions below. Begin by reintroducing yourselves. Do not guess! Refer to your syllabus for help answering the questions.

1. What is the correct spelling of your instructor's name (first and last) for this class?  
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2. How many books are required for this class? \_\_\_\_\_
3. By what date do you need to purchase your books? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How many tardies (or instances of leaving early) count as an absence? \_\_\_\_\_
5. **True / False (circle one):** There is a 10 minute "grace period" at the beginning of class during which students will not be considered tardy.
6. How many absences are allowed before a student can be dropped? \_\_\_\_\_
7. **True / False (circle one):** If a student has to regularly leave class early to get to work on time, it won't count as being absent as long as he/she tells the instructor.
8. What is the last day to drop the class and avoid a "W"? \_\_\_\_\_
9. **True / False (circle one):** "W" grades do not have any negative consequences. (*The answer to this question is not on the syllabus.*)
10. What are **three** different ways that you can contact your instructor if you have a question?  
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11. **True / False (circle one):** Students who look at their cell phone during class or forget to put it on silent may cost the entire class extra credit points.
12. **True / False (circle one):** Students who are absent can just wait until the next class period to ask the instructor for any handouts that were passed out.
13. **True / False (circle one):** Students may bring food or drinks to class as long as they clean up their own mess if they spill.
14. **True / False (circle one):** Students who are caught cheating or plagiarizing will receive zero points for the assignment and possible referral to the Dean of Students.
15. How many hours should students expect to spend outside of class on their assignments? \_\_\_\_\_
16. How many points is each class period worth? \_\_\_\_\_

17. What are **two** things that a student must do in order to earn all of these points?

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18. What grade would a student earn if he/she has a 68% at the end of the semester? \_\_\_\_\_

19. **True / False (circle one):** In college, the instructor is primarily responsible for making sure students learn the material.

20. What percentage is required on Plato assignments to receive credit? \_\_\_\_\_

21. What percentage of your final grade are the research projects worth? \_\_\_\_\_

22. How many assignments can be turned in late without a penalty? \_\_\_\_\_

23. **True / False (circle one):** Saying "I was absent" is an acceptable excuse for not turning in homework on time.

24. What are **two** ways a student can find out what was assigned for homework if they are absent?

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25. **True / False (circle one):** Students who were absent can wait until the next class to ask about making up a quiz.

26. Other than turning it in on time, what are **two** things you should do to make sure that you receive full credit on your homework?

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27. What are **two** things that a student can do if he/she is having trouble paying for books?

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28. **True / False (circle one):** Students may email the instructor an assignment if they are having trouble printing it.

29. **True / False (circle one):** Students who are having trouble logging in to Plato or completing their Plato assignments should contact the instructor for this class for help.

30. **True / False (circle one):** Students must ask for permission before leaving class to use the restroom.