

only route to gaining access to material for the exams. You should come prepared to take notes using the field tested method involving a notebook and writing utensil. Much of the lab work will be undertaken out of the classroom, indeed, even outside of the buildings. The lab exercises culminate in an exercise that employs your new skills to assess campus wildlife (not including *Felicitas*, that would read wild life).

Assessment

Your level of understanding of the course material will be assessed through two exams and lab assignments. During the term, a midterm worth 30% of the final grade, and at the end of the course a there will be a4(a)4(t)-2(he)-6(rb-2(, -11(e)4m., -11(4(t)-e10

Grading standards as noted below

Undergraduate Grading**

Passing Grades	Description
A+ (90-100%) A (85-89%) A- (80-84%)	Exceptional, outstanding and excellent performance. Normally achieved by a minority of students. These grades indicate a student who is self-initiating, exceeds expectation and has an insightful grasp of the subject matter.
B+ (77-79%) B (73-76%) B- (70-72%)	Very good, good and solid performance. Normally achieved by the largest number of students. These grades indicate a good grasp of the subject matter or excellent grasp in one area balanced with satisfactory grasp in the other area.
C+ (65-69%) C (60-64%)	Satisfactory, or minimally satisfactory. These grades indicate a satisfactory performance and knowledge of the subject matter.
D (50-59%)	Marginal Performance. A student receiving this grade demonstrated a superficial grasp of the subject matter.
COM	Complete (pass). Used only for 0-unit courses and those credit courses designated by the Senate. Such courses are identified in the course listings.

** As per stated in the calendar

Course Experience Survey (CES)

I value your feedback on this course. Towards the end of term, as in all other courses at UVic, you will have the opportunity to complete an anonymous survey regarding your learning experience (CES). The survey is vital to providing feedback to me regarding the course and my teaching, as well as to help the department improve the overall program for students in the future. The survey is accessed via MyPage and can be done on your laptop, tablet, or mobile device. I will remind you and provide you with more detailed

