

Computer Science 564
Programming Languages
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MWF 8-9:00, AB1 211

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Overview: In this course we will study the design, specification, parsing, and comparison of various programming languages including mechanisms for parallel and distributed programming.

Text: No Formal textbook is listed. The library has several Programming Languages books which can be used as references. You will be provided other reference material during the semester.

Grading: Grades will be recorded using a point system with 1,000 total points.

There will be two during-semester exams worth 200 points each and a final exam also worth 200 points. Except for extremely unusual circumstances and official absences, no make-up exams will be given.

Assignments will sum to 400 points. Assignments will likely include: reading assignments, written-solution assignments, programming assignments, formal writing assignments and class presentations. Where applicable, late solutions will be accepted up to one-week late with a 20% penalty.

	<u>Points</u>	<u>Total Points</u>	<u>Final Grade</u>
Exam1	200	895-1000	A
Exam2	200	795-894	B
Final Exam	200	695-794	C
Assignments	<u>400</u>	595-694	D
	1000	0-594	F

Attendance: Students are required to attend class and are responsible for all material covered in class.

Demeanor: Students must refrain from behavior in the classroom that disrupts the learning process.

Academic

Dishonesty: Unless I explicitly state otherwise, all assignments in this course are **individual** assignments. This means that each student must fully develop his or her own solutions. Students are not allowed to work together on any assignment. Do not copy any one else's assignment and do not allow your assignment to be copied. Further guidelines can be obtained from <http://www.shsu.edu/syllabus>.

Other: See <http://www.shsu.edu/syllabus> for university regulations on religious holidays, disabilities and visitors in the classroom.