

CS31: INTRODUCTION TO COMPUTER SCIENCE I

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ACADEMIC HONESTY POLICY

You are required to subscribe to the University policy on academic integrity. The class web site includes a link to a summary of the policy by the Office of the Dean of Students. You are expected to read, fully understand, and comply with this policy in addition to the policies that are expressed in the UCLA Student Conduct Code. We are required to submit cases of suspected cheating to the Dean.

These policies don't specifically address programming assignments in detail, so we state our policy here.

Your work on programming assignments must be your own. But high-level discussions about approaches to a problem have educational value and are acceptable. So here are some guidelines for CS 31 projects:

Acceptable:

Clarifying what an assignment is requiring.

Discussing algorithms for solving a problem, perhaps accompanied by pictures, without writing any code.

Helping someone find a minor problem with their code, provided that offering such assistance doesn't require examining more than a few lines of code.

Turning in someone's work without crediting the author of that work, if and only if the source of that work is the course text, a CS 31 instructor, or a CS 31 TA.

Unacceptable:

Turning in any portion of someone's work without crediting the author of that work, if the source of that work is not the course text, a CS 31 instructor, or a CS 31 TA.

Using project solutions from earlier offerings of this or any other class.

Writing for another student a code fragment that solves any portion of a programming assignment.

Receiving from another person (other than a CS 31 instructor or TA) a code fragment that solves any portion of a programming assignment.

Helping the same person find problems with their code more than a few times for a particular assignment.

In order to have any work graded in this class, you must sign and return this form. Your signature verifies that you have read, understood & agree to abide by all the above.

Student ID: _____

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____