

Georgia State University
Chemistry 1212K

Course Syllabus adjustments, Spring 2020

Please treat this as an addition to the syllabus provided in the first part of the semester. From the previous syllabus, please disregard some of the policies and suggestions that will not be applicable to online courses (For example, policies on using laptops in the classroom, now that we are having an online course, you will be making extensive use of your laptop. Another example is formation of study groups. At this point in time, having face to face study groups is discouraged)

Due to COVID 19 quarantine and in accordance with instructions from the University System of Georgia, all Georgia State University classes will be delivered online beginning on Monday, March 30 and extending through the end of the Spring semester.

The university has created the [Keep Learning website](#) to walk you through the steps to prepare for your online classes, with instructions for logging on to iCollege, submitting assignments, taking quizzes, and so forth. On this same website, you can also find ways to access the range of academic supports that you will need, including tutoring, supplemental instruction and advising.

If you have trouble accessing a device internet, please Visit the [Keep Learning website](#). Please [review our suggestions](#) for Internet access and devices and, if you are still having difficulties, use the form on the site to explain your situation. We will do our best to support you.

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Send email from your GSU email account, and mention the course in the subject
Check your iCollege page a minimum of three times a day.

Webex meeting times: MWF 9.00 AM – 9.45 AM; 11.00 AM – 12.00 Noon

Webex meetings will be used as class discussions or office hours.

Try to attend as many meetings as possible.

We can have webex meetings at other times as well if you want. Send an email and we can set it up.

All your material will be presented as videos. Due dates for completion are given in the course schedule.

Important Dates:

March 16-29	Spring Break (extended due to COVID19 quarantine)
April 27	Last day of classes
Final Exam	May 1st (8.00 AM) – May 3rd (8.30 PM)

Point distribution will stay the same as given the previous half of the semester. There is one more exam, (exam 3) and in class assignments. Now the in-class assignments will be substituted by online quizzes and worksheets. Every chapter will have some worksheets and 1 quiz associated with it. Exam 3 and final exam will be online. Quizzes, exam and final exam will be timed. That means you will get one attempt and when you start it, you should complete the assessment at one go. If you have any problems while completing an online assessment, take a screenshot immediately and save it. This needs to be emailed to the instructor when necessary.

As we go through the semester, changes will be made based on the situation. These changes could be in grade distribution or content. Efforts will be made as much as possible to not make any schedule changes.

April 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Videos on Acids and Bases		1 Videos on Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium	2	6 Videos on Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium	4
5	6 Videos on Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium WS and quiz on Acids and Bases should be completed	7	8 Videos on Free Energy and Thermodynamics	9	10 Videos on Free Energy and Thermodynamics	11
12 Easter Sunday	13 Videos on Free Energy and Thermodynamics WS and quiz on Aqueous Ionic Equilibrium should be completed	14	15 Videos on Electrochemistry	16	17 Videos on Electrochemistry	18
19	20 Videos on Electrochemistry WS and quiz on Free Energy and Thermodynamics should be completed	21	22 Videos on Electrochemistry	23	24 Exam 3 1 hr	25
26	27 WS and quiz on electrochemistry should be completed	28	29	30		