

Course Title/Number	Principles of Chemistry I / CHM 211, Section 203
Semester/Year	Spring 2017
Days/Time/Location	MWF 1:00-1:50 AM, Science Hall 465
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University Policies	By enrolling in this course, you agree to the University Policies listed below. Please read the full text of each policy by going to www.marshall.edu/academic-affairs and clicking on “Marshall University Policies.” Or, you can access the policies directly by going to www.marshall.edu/academic-affairs/policies/ . Academic Dishonesty/Excused Absence Policy for Undergraduates/Computing Services Acceptable Use/Inclement Weather/Dead Week/Students with Disabilities/Academic Forgiveness/Academic Probation and Suspension/Academic Rights and Responsibilities of Students/Affirmative Action/Sexual Harassment

Course Description

A study of the properties of materials and their interactions with each other. Development of theories and applications of the principles of energetics, dynamics and structure. Intended primarily for science majors and pre-professional students. 3 credit hours. (PR or CR: CHM 217; PR: Math ACT of 23 or better, or C or better in CHM 111, or pass placement exam)

Required Texts, Additional Reading, and Other Materials

1. ***Principles of General Chemistry, Third Edition*** by Martin S. Silberberg, McGraw-Hill, 2013.
2. ALEKS access
3. MUOnline BlackBoard access
4. Turning Point Personal Response Device (must be registered on MUOnline)
5. Non-programmable scientific calculator for tests and exams (must not have text storage or alphanumeric data input capabilities—in general, this means no ‘function’ keys or keypads with the complete alphabet)
6. #2 pencil and black or blue ink pen for tests

Course student learning outcomes	How students will practice each outcome in this course	How student achievement of each outcome will be assessed in this course
Students will classify matter and chemical reactions.	• in-class exercises • ALEKS exercises • L.A. sessions	• exams • 'clicker' questions
Students will apply principles of atomic structure and bonding theories to describe how matter is composed.	• in-class exercises • ALEKS exercises • L.A. sessions	• exams • 'clicker' questions
Students will apply mathematical techniques to describe reactions, physical properties, and energies of matter.	• in-class exercises • ALEKS exercises • L.A. sessions	• exams • 'clicker' questions
Students will identify and explain trends in physical and chemical properties.	• in-class exercises • ALEKS exercises • L.A. sessions	• exams • 'clicker' questions

Grading Policy

ALEKS (Online homework) %	150	points
tests (4 during the semester)	600	points
final exam	250	points
	1000	TOTAL POINTS^{#*}

%ALEKS: There are two components to the ALEKS score, each worth 75 points.

1) Objective completion—points are earned by completing objectives by the due date.

2) Topic (pie chart) mastery—at the end of the semester, the percentage of topics mastered will be multiplied by 75 points to arrive at the Topic score.

#Clicker Problems: Clicker problems are worth up to 25 points extra credit.

***Learning Assistance Sessions:** L.A. Sessions are worth up to 25 points extra credit.

Grading Scale:

900-1000 points	A
800-899 points	B
700-799 points	C
600-699 points	D
000-599 points	F

Attendance Policy

Attendance is mandatory for tests and exams. Make-up tests and exams will be granted only in cases that are recognized by the University through an excused absence (via the Dean of Student Affairs). Students should contact the instructor as soon as they are able to return to classes. If class is cancelled unexpectedly, scheduled tests will be given during the next class meeting. Attendance is highly suggested for lectures; 'clicker' questions that are worth extra credit will be given.

Tentative Course Schedule

Week of:	Chapter	Topic
1/9	1/2	Definitions, Problem Solving, Measurements
1/16	No class on 1/16; 2	Components of Matter
1/23	3	Stoichiometry
1/30	Exam I on 2/1; 3,4	Stoichiometry, Chemical Reactions
2/6	4	Chemical Reactions
2/13	5	Ideal Gases
2/20	Exam II on 2/24; 5,6	Ideal Gases, Thermochemistry
2/27	6	Thermochemistry
3/6	7	Quantum Theory
3/13	7, 8	Quantum Theory, Electron Configuration
	3/17 is last day to withdraw from full-semester courses	
3/20	no class (Spring Break)	
3/27	Exam III on 3/27; 8/9	Chemical Periodicity, Chemical Bonding
4/3	9/10	Chemical Bonding, Shapes of Molecules
4/10	10,11	Shapes of Molecules, Covalent Bonding
4/17	Exam IV on 4/19; 11	Covalent Bonding
4/24	Snow day make-ups; review	
4/29 SATURDAY 10:00 AM FINAL EXAM (location TBA)		

