

| <b>Lyon College Course Syllabus Pandemic</b>   |   |                                   |
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| <b>Course:</b> Phy250.01/SP21                  | Fundamentals of Physics II                      | <b>MWF 08–08:50</b>               |
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## **STANDARD POLICIES**

### **Honor Code**

All graded work in this class is to be pledged in accordance with the Lyon College Honor Code.

### **Class Attendance Policy**

Students are expected to attend all class periods for the courses in which they are enrolled. They are responsible for conferring with individual professors regarding any missed assignments. Faculty members are to notify the Registrar when a student misses the equivalent of one, two, three, and four weeks of class periods in a single course. Under this policy, there is no distinction between “excused” and “unexcused” absences, except that a student may make up work missed during an excused absence. A reminder of the college’s attendance policy will be issued to the student at one week, a second reminder at two weeks, a warning at three weeks, and notification of administrative withdrawal and the assigning of an “F” grade at four weeks. Students who are administratively withdrawn from more than one course will be placed on probation or suspended. During the pandemic conditions, asynchronous attendance is possible, however this should be used sparingly. Students are responsible for notifying me of asynchronous attendance. During tests, synchronous attendance is required.

### **Disabilities**

If a student has a disability that qualifies under the American with Disabilities Act (ADA) and requires accommodations, they should contact the Office of Disability Services in the Morrow Academic Center for information on appropriate policies and procedures. Disabilities covered by ADA may include learning, psychiatric, physical disabilities, and/or chronic health disorders. Students can contact Office of Disability Services if they are not certain whether a medical condition/disability qualifies.

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### **Harassment, Discrimination, and Sexual Misconduct**

Title IX and Lyon’s policy prohibit harassment, discrimination and sexual misconduct. Lyon encourages anyone experiencing harassment, discrimination or sexual misconduct to talk to Lai-Monte Hunter, Title IX Coordinator and Vice-President for Student Life, or Sh’Nita Mitchell, Title IX Investigator and Residence Life Director, about what happened so they can get the support they need and Lyon can respond appropriately. Lyon is legally obligated to respond to reports of sexual misconduct, and therefore we cannot guarantee the confidentiality of a report, unless made to a confidential resource (Chaplain, Counselor, or Nurse). As a faculty member, I am required to report possible Title IX violations and must provide our Title IX coordinator with all relevant details. I cannot, therefore, guarantee confidentiality.

### **Withdrawal Deadlines**

Last day to drop with no record of the course is **Monday February 15, 2021.**

Last day to drop with a W is **Wednesday March 17, 2021.**

## ***Lyon Covid safety guidelines***

***The following COVID safety guidelines are provided for members of the Lyon community:***

- 1. All persons must wear a mask that covers both the mouth and nose when on campus.***
- 2. Social distancing is required on Lyon College's campus.***
- 3. Daily screening via Campus Clear is required.***
- 4. All persons should communicate with COVID Coordinator Shawn Tackett when traveling or if they develop symptoms.***

***More details are provided on the Lyon College COVID-19 web page [LINKED HERE](#).***

### ***Class Specific Guidelines***

#### ***In labs:***

***Social distance must be maintained even with PPE.***

***Students are required to wear goggles and/or face shields in lab.***

***Students must use Saran Wrap on computer keyboards and mouse bags over the mice. Also this should cover equipment where appropriate.***

***Student lab and work areas must be cleaned and sanitized before and after use.***

***Do Not leave the protective wrap behind. Throw it away.***

***Contravention of these guidelines will result in immediate dismissal from lab.***

#### ***In Class:***

***Since we are remote this semester, there are not extra requirements here.***

## Tentative Syllabus for Physics 250: Spring 2021

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**During tests: Our tests will be done online. During this time you are forbidden to communicate with others except for me through the class google meet link. You are required to be present during the specified times for the tests.**

### **Grading**

As a general guide to grades, grades will be assigned as follows:

|                |                |                |                |                |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>100-90]</b> | <b>(90-80]</b> | <b>(80-70]</b> | <b>(70-60]</b> | <b>&lt;(60</b> |
| <b>A</b>       | <b>B</b>       | <b>C</b>       | <b>D</b>       | <b>F</b>       |

**In this course, you will have several grading opportunities, tests, homework and in-class problems. The various weight of each of these activities in your final point grade is shown below. Late assignments will normally not be accepted. Additionally, since we will be doing in-class problems, poor attendance will negatively affect your grade: in particular, you will not receive credit for class participation for unexcused absences. There are no make-ups for in-class worksheets.**

**Tests (3 tests and 1 [comprehensive] final exam)=90%**

**Each test is worth 22.5% of your grade.**

**Homework / in-class problems/ class participation=10%**

**Phy251 is a separate course from either Phy220 or Phy250. The grade in Phy251 has no impact upon the grade in either Phy220 or Phy250 except as a co-requisite.**

Your work on tests will be graded for correctness. Due to the unusual nature of this spring semester, the tests will be multiple choice and online. You are expected to become proficient with physical quantities and units in addition to being able to do the physics leading to the solution of problems. You are expected to each day come prepared for class. This is accomplished by having looked over the worksheet before class, and then working the problems for complete understanding after class. Students are generally expected to commit two hours of study outside of class for each hour of lecture. You will also notice that before each of the 3 tests, I have scheduled an Untest. On this day, you should come prepared to work as if this were the actual test. The format of the untests is not multiple choice. Instead you are expected to work through the problems as if it were an actual test. I have also scheduled several Unquizzes. Time permitting, we will allow about 10 minutes for you to complete self-diagnostic Unquizzes. During unquizzes and untests, you are encouraged to ask questions and discuss approaches to the solutions.

### **Course Description: Physics 250**

In this course you will be exposed to fundamentals of physics. Among the topics that we will cover are electrostatics, magnetism and optics. Refer to Student Learning Outcomes for a discussion of minimal course outcome expectations.

### **Course Objectives: Physics 250**

As a consequence of this course, you should obtain an enhanced understanding of the fundamentals of physics. In addition, you should come away from this course with an ability to solve fundamental problems involving physical principles.

### **Course Prerequisites: Physics 250**

You are expected to be proficient with algebra and trigonometry. It is strongly recommended that your life will be made easier if you review trigonometry. Additionally you must satisfy the calculus prerequisites for physics 250. Phy251 is a concurrent requirement.

### **Text: Physics 250**

The textbook in this course is:  
Principles of Physics, Serway and Jewett, Fourth edition  
ISBN: 0-534-49143-X

**You may use earlier editions of this text (which can be obtained at much lower prices online {\$0.25 for example is a low price}) but you will need to be sure to read the correct portions of the text.**

The schedule is designed around this particular text edition. You may use earlier or later editions but you will need to be sure to read the correct portions of the text. The text must be considered to be a very important resource so students are expected to be reading along in the text as the course progresses.

**You have many resources on the campus: the library, your colleagues and your professor. Your prime learning resource, however, must be considered to be the classroom.**

**Punctual and complete class attendance is expected. Absences will negatively impact your final grade. Attendance will be taken. If you must miss class, you will need to watch the lecture recording and let me know that you have done this within a day of the actual lecture. You should use asynchronous attendance sparingly. An event such as a thunderstorm at my house or internet difficulties may mean that I will need to provide the lecture during these events in an asynchronous manner.**

### **Academic Honesty**

It is expected and encouraged that students in this class will work together on homework problems. If you use reference work, be sure to include proper references. Questions during tests should be directed to the professor only and students are not permitted to communicate with each other during tests. Students are specifically prohibited from discussing any aspect of tests until all students have completed the test in both phy250 and phy210. Contravention of these conditions will be considered to be a violation of the Lyon College Honor Code.

**CLASS SCHEDULE / OFFICE HOURS Spring 2021**

Office  
Derby 248

General Lab  
Derby 148

Research Lab  
Derby 219

**PROFESSOR Stuart Hutton**

| Monday  | Tuesday                  | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   |
|---|--------------------------|--|--|--|
| 8:00-8:50<br>PHY250.01<br>Fundamentals<br>of Physics II<br>Remote | 8:00-9:15                | 8:00-8:50<br>PHY250.01<br>Fundamentals<br>of Physics I<br>Remote | 8:00-9:15  | 8:00-8:50<br>PHY250.01<br>Fundamentals<br>of Physics I<br>Remote             |
| 9:00-9:50<br>PHY220.01<br>General<br>Physics 2<br>Remote          | 9:30-10:00               | 9:00-9:50<br>PHY220.01<br>General<br>Physics 2<br>Remote         | 9:30-10:00   | 9:00-9:50<br>PHY220.01<br>General<br>Physics 2<br>Remote                     |
| 10:10-10:50<br><br>Office Hours<br><br>Remote                     | 10:00 - 10:50            | 10:10-10:50<br><br>Office Hours<br><br>Remote                    | 10:00 - 10:50  | 10:10-10:50  |
| 11:00-11:50<br><br>Lunch  | 11:00-11:50<br><br>Lunch | 11:00-11:50<br><br>Lunch   | 11:00-11:50<br><br>Lunch   | 11:00-11:50<br><br>Lunch   |
| 12:35 - 1:50<br>Phy382.01<br>Special Topics<br>Remote             | 12:00-12:50              | 12:35 - 1:50<br>Phy382.01<br>Special Topics<br>Remote            | 12:00 - 12:50  | 12:00 - 12:50<br><br>SGA   |
| 13:00-14:50   | 13:00-14:50              | 13:00-14:50  | 13:00-15:50<br>PHY251.01<br>Fundamentals<br>of Physics<br>Lab 2<br>Derby 148 | 13:00-15:50<br>PHY251.02<br>Fundamentals<br>of Physics<br>Lab 2<br>Derby 148 |
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**Tentative Master Schedule: R.1 for Physics 220 and Physics 250 and Physics 251 Spring 2021**

| <b>labs</b>                                | <b>Worksheet Number</b>                 | <b>Date</b>           | <b>220: Cutnell: 8<sup>th</sup> ed. Assignment Reading : Homework</b> | <b>250: Serway 4<sup>th</sup> ed Assignment: Reading: homework</b> |
|--|---|-----------------------|---|--|
|  | <b>Worksheet 01: Electrostatics 1</b>   | W February 03         | chapter 18  | chapter 19   |
| <b>*Lab 00: Introduction</b>               |   | RF February 05        | chapter 18  | chapter 19   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 02: Electrostatics 2</b>   | M February 08         | chapter 18  | chapter 19   |
|  |   | W February 10         | chapter 19  | chapter 19   |
| <b>*Lab 02: In-Lab Problems</b>            | <b>Worksheet 03: Gauss' Law</b>         | RF February 12: UQ01  | chapter 19  | chapter 20   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 03A: Problems</b>          | M February 15         | chapter 19  | chapter 20   |
|  |   | W February 17         | chapter 19  | chapter 20   |
| <b>*?Lab 03: Series &amp; Parallel R</b>   | <b>Worksheet 04: potential</b>          | RF February 19: UQ02  | chapter 19  | chapter 20   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 05: capacitance</b>        | M February 22         | chapter 19  | chapter 21   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 06: Problems</b>           | W February 24         | chapter 20  | chapter 21   |
| <b>Lab 04: EMF and RC Circuit</b>          | <b>Worksheet 07: emf, RC circuit</b>    | RF February 26 : UQ03 | chapter 20  | chapter 21   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 08: Kirchhoff's laws 1</b> | M March 01            | chapter 20  | chapter 21   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 09: Kirchhoff's laws 2</b> | W March 03            | chapter 21  | chapter 22   |
| <b>Lab05: Current Balance</b>              | <b>Untest 01</b>                        | RF March 05           | chapter 21  | chapter 22   |
|  | <b>Test 01</b>                          | M March 08            |   |  |
|  | <b>Service Day</b>                      | W March 10            |   |  |
| <b>Lab 06: Magnetic Levitation</b>         | <b>Worksheet 10: Magnetic fields 1</b>  | RF March 12 : UQ04    | chapter 21  | chapter 22   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 11: Magnetic fields 2</b>  | M March 15            | chapter 22  | chapter 23   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 12: Ampere's law</b>       | W March 17            | chapter 22  | chapter 23   |
| <b>Lab 07: Solenoids</b>                   | <b>Worksheet 13: Calculating B</b>      | RF March 19 : UQ05    |   |  |
|  | <b>Worksheet 14: Faraday's law</b>      | M March 22            | chapter 22  | chapter 23   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 15: Inductance</b> No ws16 | W March 24            | chapter 22  | chapter 23   |
| <b>Lab 08: Oscilloscopes</b>               | <b>Worksheet 17: RLC Circuits 1</b>     | RF March 26 : UQ06    | chapter 23  | chapter 23   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 18: RLC Circuits 2</b>     | M March 29            | chapter 23  | chapter 23   |
|  |   | W March 31            | chapter 23  | chapter 24   |
| <b>R April 01 Only Lab : TBA potential</b> | <b>Easter Break</b>                     | F April 02            |   |  |
|  | <b>Untest 02</b>                        | M April 05            |   |  |
|  | <b>Test 02</b>                          | W April 07            |   |  |
| <b>Lab : TBA</b>                           | <b>Worksheet 19: Thin Lens Eqtn. 1</b>  | RF April 09           |   |  |
|  | <b>Worksheet 20: Thin Lens Eqtn. 2</b>  | M April 12            |   |  |
|  | <b>Worksheet 21: Refraction</b>         | W April 14            | chapter 26  | chapter 26   |
| <b>Lab 09: focal lengths</b>               | <b>Worksheet 22: Mirror Equation</b>    | RF April 16 : UQ07    | chapter 26  | chapter 25   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 23: Multiple lenses</b>    | M April 19            | chapter 25  | chapter 25   |
|  | <b>Geometrical Optics, Ray trace</b>    | W April 21            | chapter 25  | chapter 25   |
| <b>Lab10: Reflection</b>                   | <b>Worksheet 24: Thin films</b>         | RF April 23 : UQ07    | chapter 25  | chapter 27   |
|  | <b>Worksheet 25: interference</b>       | M April 26            | chapter 27  | chapter 28   |
|  | <b>TEM Waves</b>                        | W April 28            | chapter 27  | chapter 27   |
| <b>Lab : TBA</b>                           | <b>Bohr Model</b>                       | RF April 29 : UQ09    | chapter 24  | chapter 24   |
|  |   | M May 03              | chapter 30: 30.1 - 30.4   | Chapter 29: 29.1, 29.2   |
|  | <b>Untest 03</b>                        | W May 05              |   |  |
|  | <b>Test 03</b>                          | F April 29            |   |  |
|  | <b>Last Day of Classes</b>              | M May 10              |   |  |
|  | <b>Final Exams</b>                      | May 13 - May 18       |   |  |
|  | <b>Baccalaureat</b>                     | F May 21              |   |  |
|  | <b>Commencement</b>                     | Saturday May 22       |   |  |

## Physics Problem Solving Rubric Rev Fall 2019

|  | <b>1</b>  | <b>0.7</b>   | <b>0.4</b>   | <b>0</b>   |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| <p>1, Critical Thinking:</p> <p>Solution started correctly.</p> <p>Note: sketches may be considered here as required in problem statement.</p> | <p>correct approach</p> <p>If required, sketches were correct.</p>                                  | <p>approach would lead to correct result</p> <p>Sketches miss one label or some other component absent or incorrect.</p>   | <p>Something is right in the approach but insufficient to reach problem solution.</p> <p>Sketches miss multiple labels, directions incorrectly indicated</p>   | <p>incorrect approach</p> <p>Sketch not present or not at all correctly labeled.</p>   |
| <p>2. Quantitative Literacy:</p> <p>Solution proceeded quantitatively</p>  | <p>Mathematical operations correct and units correct</p>  | <p>Mathematical operations and units correct however an error usually related to incorrect units or the final numerical result present</p>   | <p>Mathematical operations have some correct steps but misapplication or other errors prevented problem completion. Units reported in final result not present or incorrect .</p>  | <p>Necessary mathematical operations incorrect and units absent</p>  |
| <p>3, Scientific Thought &amp; Informational Literacy</p> <p>Note: this may be contained within an equation starting the problem solution.</p> | <p>correctly stated physical principle or law and physical terminology needed to solve problem.</p> | <p>physical principle or law used shown however omission or extraneous material present. physical terminology needed to solve problem used but not complete or absent important concept.</p> | <p>statement of physical principle or law present but would not apply to present problem so as to lead to solution. physical terminology needed to solve problem incomplete and would not have lead to problem completion.</p> | <p>no statement of physical principle/ law or incorrect physical principle/ law. Did not use physical terms needed to solve problem or incorrect terms used.</p> |

**Problem scoring:** maximum per **problem section** is about 5 points, some sections may have fewer points. In a test containing 4 problems, this equates to 25% of the total test score. The final score per problem is calculated as follows:

$$P_i = \frac{\text{total number of points from rubric}}{\text{maximum rubric points per problem}} \times \frac{100}{\# \text{ of problems on test (normally 4)}}$$

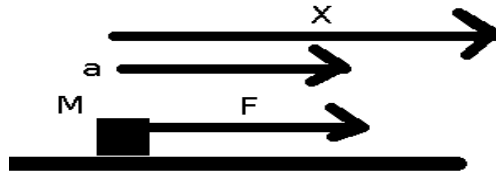
The test score is then determined by

$$\text{percentagetest grade} = \sum_{i=1}^{i=\text{Number of problems on test}} P_i$$

### Example of a complete solution

Find the vector position at time  $t$  of an object of mass  $M$  when subjected to a constant force  $\vec{F} = F \hat{x}$  for a time  $t$  if the object was initially at  $x=0$  and at rest. Provide a numerical result with correct SI units for  $F=1$  N,  $M=1/2$  kg and  $t=2$  s. Include a correctly labeled sketch showing  $F$  acting on  $M$ ,  $a$  and  $x$ .

**Solution:**



$$\text{Newton's law: } \vec{F} = M\vec{a} \Rightarrow \vec{a} = \frac{\vec{F}}{M}; \vec{F} = F \hat{x} \Rightarrow \vec{a} = \frac{F}{M} \hat{x} : a_x = \frac{F}{M}$$

Constant force : kinematic equations of motion in  $x$  direction for position:

$$x = x_0 + v_{x,0}t + \frac{1}{2}a_x t^2$$

Object initially at rest:  $v_{x,0} = 0$  m/s . Object initially at  $x=0$ :  $x_0 = 0$  m .

Kinematic equation reduces to:  $x = \frac{F}{2M}t^2$

$$\text{With numerical values: } x = \frac{1\text{N}}{2 \times \frac{1}{2}\text{kg}}(2\text{s})^2 = 4 \frac{\text{Ns}^2}{\text{kg}} = 4\text{m}$$

Final answer with vectors:  $\vec{x} = 4\text{m} \hat{x}$

**Score:**

1: Started with Newton's law and used correct equation of motion, additionally a correctly labeled sketch was drawn showing correct vector directions as was required=1

2: Algebra (including vectors) correctly lead to final result, unit algebra correct=1

3: Correctly used physical information in the problem which were mass  $M$ , initial conditions (at  $x=0$ , at rest) , time  $t$ , constant force, vector directions. Correct numerical quantities (including correct vectors) provided in final result with correct SI units reported=1

## Student Learning Outcomes for the Physics Program at Lyon College RSP2017

1. Students who complete the physics 210/220, 240/250, 241,251 sequence are able to

1a. Articulate the basic principles of physics.

1b. Apply the basic principles of physics to solve a variety of qualitative and quantitative problems at the introductory physics level.

This can be measured with portions of currently-used standard exams and exam problems.

General Education learning outcomes for Phy220/Phy250/Phy251

**Critical thinking:** 220,250,251

**Inquiry and analysis:** 251

**Quantitative literacy:** 220,250,251

**Teamwork:** 251

**Scientific thought and Information literacy:** 220,250,251

Portions related to Phy251 will be evaluated for **2** selected labs with rubric data recorded. Since students are allowed to submit revised reports, the initial submission will normally serve as the indicator since students are given the opportunity to revise submission based upon my comments. Portions related to 220/250 rubric will have data recorded for 4 selected problems; one from each exam.

**Critical thinking** is regularly evaluated in phy220, phy250 and phy251. In Phy220 and Phy250 it is evaluated in terms of starting with correct physical principles applicable to a given situation and being able to follow it through to completion. It is evaluated by use of exam problems. In Phy251, it is part of the process of scientific thought and is evidenced by use of supporting data for a hypothesis as is required by the lab rubric.

**Inquiry and analysis** is regularly evaluated in phy251 as part of the required element of completed lab writeups. It is evidenced by student explanation of the experiment and is a required element by the rubric.

**Quantitative literacy** is evidenced primarily in phy220 and phy250 by successful completion of physical problems with correct units and correct numerical operations. It is evaluated by use of exam problems. Quantitative literacy is exhibited in phy251 by students being able to follow through with calculations partially enabled by spreadsheet examples and being able to interpret the results. This is evidenced by the writeup and is a required element by the rubric.

**Teamwork** is regularly evaluated in phy251 and is evidenced by successful team completion of lab writeups as is required by the rubric.

**Scientific thought and information literacy** is regularly evaluated in phy251 and is evidenced by use of hypothesis with supporting evidence (or not supporting evidence) based upon experiment as is required by the lab rubric for 3 selected labs. Information literacy is regularly evaluated in phy251 and is evidenced by correct physical terminology in lab reports as required by the lab rubric. It is also a significant portion of phy220 and phy250 and is evidenced by student success in using the basic physical terminology enabling students to correctly initiate quantitative solutions to physical situations.