

Physical Geology (GEOL10)

Today:

Sign in and pick up Syllabus and class
Policies near the door upon arriving

- 1) Polices Lecture
- 2) Introduction to Physical Geology
- 3) Geologic Time Exercise (time permitting)

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PHYSICAL GEOLOGY LECTURE (GEOL10)

SUMMER 2012

DeVecchio GEOL10 Lecture

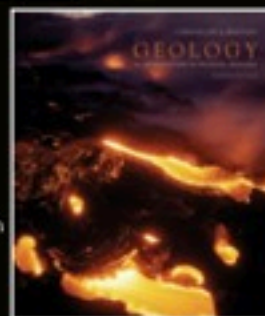
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CLASS MATERIALS: TEXTBOOK INFORMATION

Geology 4th Edition, Chernicoff and Whitney authors; Prentice Hall Publishers

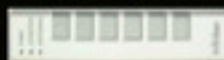
PURCHASE OPTIONS:

- Purchase from CCSF bookstore
- Purchase from online publisher or any other online book vendor (new or used). Example: [Valore.com](#)
- Books on reserve in library
- Loaner textbooks (random authors) available for first few weeks of semester until you can purchase your own textbook (get them early); Loan is temporary only.
- Previous editions acceptable and available online (but be sure to reference library copy for more current information)
- Purchase from Ebooks at [www.coursesmart.com](#)



OTHER REQUIRED MATERIALS:

- **Notebook** to hold all class handouts (please bring to every class)
- **Class handouts** for entire semester. Will be passed out in class each week OR to be printed from this website (as long as ENTIRE semester's worth printed at beginning and brought to class).
- **iClicker** (to be purchased new or used at the bookstore or online)



LINKS:

[CCSF Earth Science Department](#)

[Link to Chapter Review Questions](#)

SEMESTER DOCUMENTS:

[Syllabus_v5.pdf](#)

[LecturePolicies.pdf](#)

[GEOL10KeyTerms_v3.pdf](#)


WEEKLY LECTURES AND DOCUMENTS:

Mon. Jul. 2

PowerPoint:

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The background of the slide is a composite image. On the left, there is a view of Earth from space, showing a large, swirling white cloud pattern over a blue ocean and a sliver of land. On the right, there is a close-up of the Moon, showing its grey, cratered surface.

Physical Geology (GEOL10L) LAB

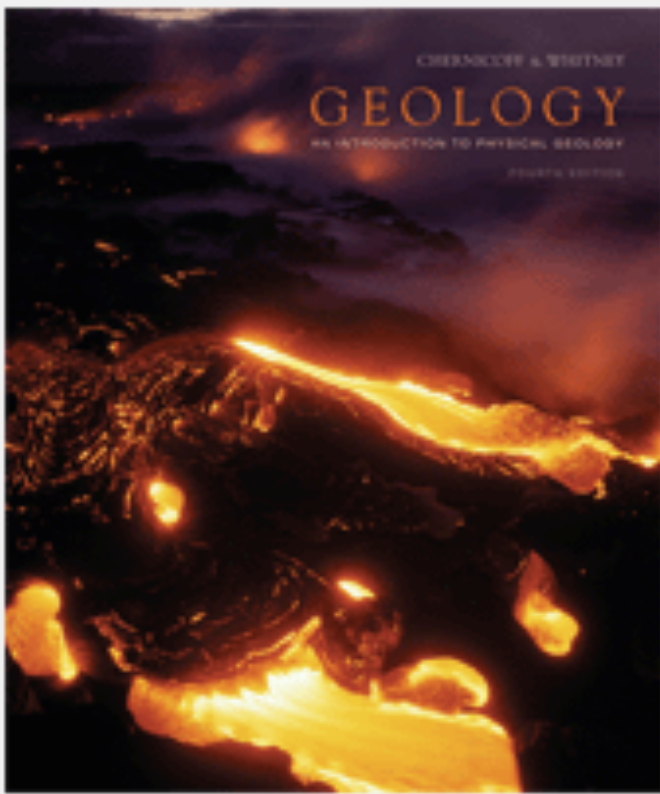
There is a Physical Geology Lab (GEOL10L) that is offered during the Fall and Spring semester, but not during the summer. After falling in love with geology and successfully complete GEOL10 you can take the 2 unit Lab course for credit during the regular school year.

-Available spots this semester Thursday 2-6 pm and 6-11 pm

TIME COMMITMENT FOR THIS CLASS

2 hours at home for every hour of lecture
18 hrs/week AVERAGE for C





*Geology: An introduction
to physical geology*

*4th Edition,
Chernicoff and Whitney*

Buy REQUIRED Textbook now!

- **Bookstore** (\$99 for loose-leaf, hole-punched – you'll need to buy and use a binder!)
 - Used copies \$85
 - New copy \$155
- **Online** (Amazon.com is a great example) and get new or used copies (*including previous editions*) pretty cheap (although you have to wait for them to ship so do it NOW). Just about any Geology textbook from the past 10 years will work.

Reserve copies in library NOW!!!

(Earlier editions ARE okay, but you will need to access Library Reserve Copies of the current edition for periodic comparison.)

Physical Geology LECTURE

We will be using iClickers this semester, but you will not need to purchase your own.

Next week we will discuss how Earth Science iClicker loaners work next week.

If you have your own bring it with you next week.



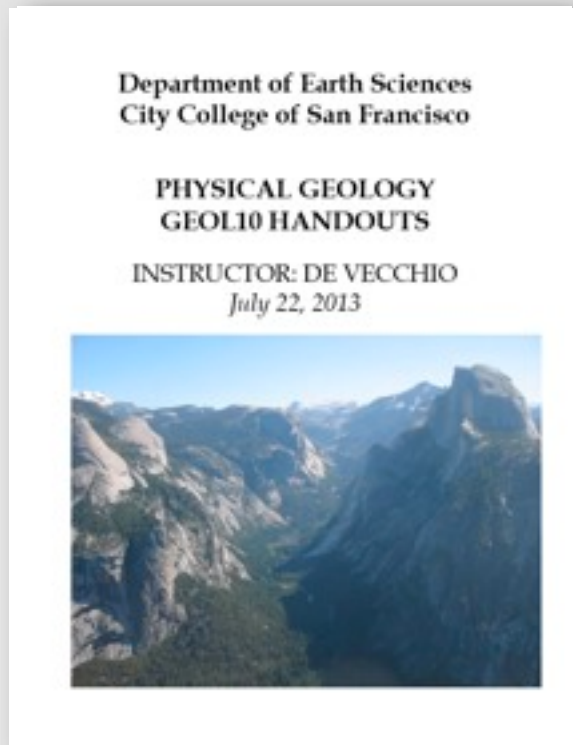
Physical Geology LECTURE

Required Handouts

Are available at the books store for ~\$12.

Or can be downloaded from the website and printed at your own expense.

MUST HAVE ALL HANDOUTS IN ENTIRETY IN NOTEBOOK FOR CLASS
EACH DAY AND SHOULD BE KEPT IN A NOTEBOOK



Physical Geology Class Policies

LECTURE CLASSES

Instructor: Duane DeVecchio, e-mail: duanedev@uconn.edu, website: <http://www.uconn.edu/~geol111>
Office hours: Mon and Tues, 12-1pm or by appointment Earth Science website: <http://www.uconn.edu/Earth>
Grading scale: A=90-100%; B=80-89%; C=70-79%; D=60-69%; F=40-59%
Grading: Your grade is equally divided between each exam and the total for all your daily quizzes. Specifically, there are 2 exams in the class, each is worth 33%, with the remaining 33% coming from your quizzes.
 In-class iClicker questions will be incorporated into your quiz grades and can only help your grade.

Time required (units) - For each lecture unit, expect to put in 1 hour in lecture and 2 hours in homework for an average grade of a C. For example, a 3-unit lecture class requires 3 hours in class and 6 hours homework weekly for a C average. Each student will need to put in more or less time, depending on his or her background and study techniques. Study session schedule at <http://www.uconn.edu/Earth>

Class prerequisites - There are no official prerequisites. However, without the following basic skills, you will need extra help and time in this class: comprehensive reading, writing, algebra, basic geometry, and basic chemistry. If you are weak in these areas or have any questions at any time, come to office hours, see the tutor, attend study sessions, make an appointment, or e-mail me. I'm here to help!

Handouts - All class handouts must be purchased through the bookstore and can also be found online at:

<http://www.uconn.edu/geology>, click on Teaching then Physical Geology 2012. If you miss class, please catch up quickly on your own or with the help of your classmates so you don't fall further behind. It is essential that you keep all materials in one notebook for easy reference and bring it with you to class. You will need to access these handouts throughout the semester, early, during class.

iClicker - It is required that you have an iClicker response system for this class. We will use these during class to track attendance, assess homework completion, and track classroom participation. You must have it with you each class. If you are worried about forgetting your iClicker, you can label it with your name and store it in the classroom. We do have spare units we will loan out in emergencies (one emergency per student per semester). If there is a financial reason why you cannot purchase an iClicker, we also have a few loaners, please contact me ASAP.

Weekly HW - #1: Read assigned new chapters. Learn vocabulary words and begin thinking about the new chapter questions. Start writing out answers to the ones that you pick up from the reading, especially the ones marked with an asterisk (*) (you won't be able to answer all of them). The more time you put in ahead, the more you'll get out of the lecture. Note: you will demonstrate your completion of this task through a daily quiz. #2: Review previous week's chapter questions and make sure you have a written answer (in your own words) to each question. Seek help from me or classmates for material that still hasn't clicked or just to help review. #3: **WHILE DOING HOMEWORK, YOU CAN PREPARE A SINGLE PAGE OF NOTES TO USE ON QUIZZES** - one page - your own writing (or typing). You will attach this page to the quiz. You must transcribe anything you use from the book or my handouts.

Attendance - Your attendance will be tracked through your iClicker in-class responses. If you are absent for more than three classes (determined by quiz scores) or miss an exam (without immediately making contact to discuss your options), you WILL be dropped. I will not keep students enrolled just for financial aid or student visa status - if you want to stay enrolled, keep attending and contributing. You must take exams and quizzes on scheduled days. Exceptions are made only for extenuating circumstances and only when alternate arrangements have been made prior to the exam/quiz or as soon as possible after.

Cheating - The highest level of integrity is required for all quizzes and exams. Anyone found cheating will receive a zero on the exam or quiz and face disciplinary action at the college.

Loaner books - See me if, at any time, you need a temporary loaner book (NOT class text, but similar).

Seeking Help - If you have questions, come to office hours, see the tutor, attend study sessions, make an appointment, or e-mail me. It's your responsibility to seek needed help. We're here if you're ready!

Cancelled classes - If class is cancelled, for any reason, keep up with homework assigned on syllabus.

Cell phones/pagers - Please turn all electronic devices off before coming to class.

Sleeping in class - I assume your bed is more comfortable than the classroom. Please stay at home if you're too tired to stay awake in class; otherwise you drain my energy, and your fellow students suffer.

Leaving class - When arriving late to class or leaving class while it is in session, please be as nondisruptive as possible. There is no need to ask permission or give excuses. You're all adults, so I assume you're making the best choice for yourself. In 5-45, please use the back door only!

Eating and drinking - No gum chewing in the room at all. No food or spillable drink containers on the tables or desks during class. Feel free to bring food, but eat it only outside the classroom. Sealed water and coffee mugs will be aloud at your desk.

Chapter Questions Handout - Are all included in the manual or will be posted at <http://surfaceprocesses> for you to download and print. For each chapter, you will receive a list of questions, from which most future exam questions on that chapter will come. BEFORE attending class each week, carefully and thoroughly read the assigned chapters and review the chapter questions. The more you read and study the material before class, the more you will get out of class, and the better you will do on exams. All classroom activities assume that you have taught yourself all you can on your own first and that you have a basic understanding of the material. If you do not prepare well enough, you may have difficulty following and participating in classroom discussion. If at the end of the week you still have questions or doubts on any of the topics, seek help ASAP. Start early. These questions will appear on weekly quizzes and the exams.

Quizzes - At the start of the semester, you get a list of vocabulary words for each chapter that we cover. Prior to each week's class, as you read the new chapter, learn the vocabulary and review the questions we will be covering - try to learn as much as you can on your own. Also every week, review the material we covered the week before (answers to the previous week's chapter question sheet). The first class period each week begins with a preview and review quiz that takes the first 10 minutes of class. **NOTE: If you show up late, no guarantees you can still take the quiz - the quiz ends when everyone finishes or 10 minutes (9-20 minutes after class starts, whichever occurs first).** 1/4 of the quiz content covers vocabulary for new material (matching); the other 3/4 covers chapter questions from the previous week (old material, short answers). (Note: there will be a few extra-credit questions on the quiz from the new chapter - any starred question from the chapter question sheet - asked in short answer format.) You may start quizzes up to 10 minutes early (9:00 am). If you cannot attend class for legitimate reasons, you may make up the quiz ahead of time. (You cannot take quizzes after the fact, only on time or before). If you are late to class, you miss the quiz. To accommodate emergencies, I drop your two lowest quiz grades. If you have difficulties making quizzes or are not doing well on quizzes, please see me ASAP to discuss. Quizzes occur daily on the first day the class meets. **WHILE DOING HOMEWORK, YOU CAN PREPARE A SINGLE PAGE OF NOTES TO USE ON QUIZZES** - one page - your own writing (or typing). You will attach this page to the quiz. You must transcribe anything you use from the book or my handouts.

Pass Sheets and Exams - Prior to each exam, you will receive a Pass Sheet - with ~70% of the questions that will be on the exam. As long as you can answer these questions correctly on the exam, you will get the lowest C. All additional exam questions that you answer correctly will help you to raise your grade from a C to a B (80-89) or A (90+). **YOU MUST BRING YOUR COMPLETED PASS SHEET WITH YOU TO TAKE THE EXAM - NO SHEET - NO EXAM.** If the sheet is missing any answers - any blanks - you will not be able to take the exam. (The pass sheet is your ticket, but you cannot use it ON the exam.)

Exams are closed notes, closed book. Each exam takes between 90 to 120 minutes to complete and consists of short answer and short essay questions that cover topics that have appeared on chapter question handouts. **NO DICTIONARIES OR ELECTRONIC DEVICES ALLOWED DURING EXAMS OR QUIZZES (CALCULATORS OK IF NECESSARY, BUT UNPROGRAMMABLE ONES ONLY).** Please ask me during the exam if you don't understand a question. You will need to bring your own pencil and eraser. Although the exams are not comprehensive and exams will focus on the chapters covered since the last exam, you will need to remember some are the basic information from previous exams in order to answer some questions. Final note: we do NOT go over pass sheets in class - these are for you to complete on your own, with your classmates, or in office hours with me.

Getting the best grade - Follow this plan to get the highest grade possible:

1. Teach yourself BEFORE we go over the material in class. Read each chapter thoroughly. Learn the key words and compose and write answers to as many of the questions on the chapter handout as you can on your own. (Leave space next to each question, so you can take notes on it during class.)
2. Use class to deepen your understanding. Ask questions, take notes on the correct answers to the questions, and participate in in-class discussions and activities. Note: You will not have time during class to write verbatim what you hear in lecture. If you need such detail, bring a tape recorder.
3. Review material after class. Review and study question handout (and correct answers) at the end of each week. If you are missing any answers or don't feel confident about some of your answers, compare with other students in the class and/or check the answers with me. Be sure you have all of your answers on the PassSheets are correct before you take the exam.

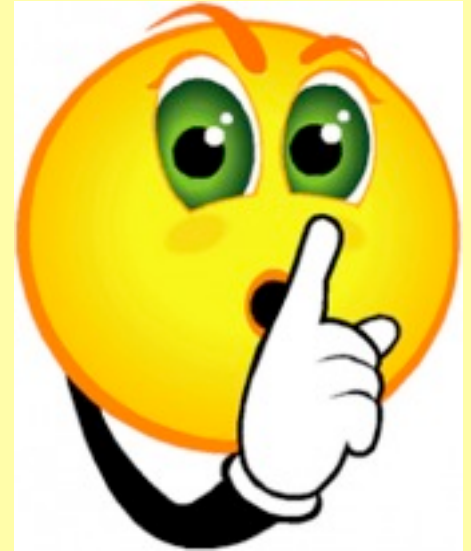
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NO open drinks
NO food
NO gum chewing
IN CLASSROOM



If you need to leave
DURING class for any
reason, please do so

QUIETLY



& RESPECTFULLY



CHAPTER QUESTION SHEETS

VOCABULARY

Chp. 1a(p. 2-20): A First Look at Planet Earth

asthenosphere
accretion
condrules
conduction
convection cell
erosion
homogeneous
igneous rocks
metamorphic rocks
nebular cloud
planetary differentiation
scientific theory
scientific hypothesis
sedimentary rocks
solar differentiation
solar wind

Chp. 12: Plate Tectonics and the Formation of Oceans (Basins)

accretionary wedge
forearc basin
guyots
hot spots
marine magnetic anomaly
mélange
oceanic trenches
ophiolite suite
passive continental margins
rift valley
seamount
volcanic arc

Earth First Look – Chapter Questions

1. **When did Earth form? What major process formed the Earth?
2. How do we know Earth's age?
3. **What major process formed Earth's layers? When?
4. What major process formed Earth's oceans? When?
5. What processes formed Earth's atmosphere? Compare and contrast Earth's early atmosphere with that of today. What caused the changes?
6. When did life first evolve on this planet?
7. When did early life first leave the oceans and move onto land?
8. Review these properties of Earth's interior compositional and physical layers. While you do not need to memorize thicknesses or densities, you should memorize composition and state, and be able to draw a picture, to scale, of all of Earth's layers. *Be sure you understand how oceanic and continental crust compare.*

Layers	Thickness	Composition	State/Density
Oceanic crust	3-10 km	Si, O, Fe, Mg, Al = Basalt	2.9 g/cc SOLID
Continental crust	30-50 km	Si, O, Al = Granite	2.7 g/cc SOLID
Mantle	2900 km	Mg, Fe, Si, O	4.5 g/cc SOLID
Outer core	2200 km	Fe, Ni (S, Si)	11 g/cc LIQUID
Inner core	1300 km	Fe, Ni (S, Si)	16 g/cc SOLID

Overlaid layers:

Lithosphere	100-200 km	100% Crust + Upper Mantle	RIGID, SOLID, BRITTLE: breaks into pieces, called plates
Asthenosphere	100-350 km	Portion of mantle	Plastic (flows), but SOLID

9. The ~~Moho~~ is the boundary between the crust and mantle. What's the difference between the ~~asthenosphere~~, lithosphere, crust, and mantle? In which do you find the ~~Moho~~?
10. **List at least 4 lines of evidence that ~~Wegener~~ and others used to prove continental drift.
11. **Compare and contrast the three types of plate boundaries and all their permutations.

Divergent	Transform	Convergent (ocean-ocean)	Convergent (ocean-cont)	Convergent (cont-cont)
← →	↑ ↓	→ ←	→ ←	→ ←

12. Draw cross sections of each type of plate boundary; provide at least two global examples of each; and list features associated with these plate boundaries (see handout).
13. Most of Earth's heat comes from the initial formation of Earth AND radioactive decay. Make sure you understand these sources. What's happening to this heat over time?
14. What key characteristics of Planet Earth produce Plate Tectonics?
15. **How are subduction and seafloor spreading part of Earth's heat engine? (Relate to the convection process.)
16. **Compare and contrast igneous, sedimentary, and metamorphic rocks.
17. How are all three rock types related? Where is each found?

QUIZZES

- 50%: **Preview VOCAB** (see vocab list)
- 50%: **Review SHORT ANSWER**
- **Some extra credit** from the PREVIEW MATERIAL (see (*) on question sheet)

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Nekton & Benthos - QUIZ



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WARMUP

	If you were to engage in a new research study on any one marine organism, which would it be?
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VOCABULARY from New Chapter Question Sheet

	1. Dead carcasses, molting exoskeletons, feces, and other decomposing material that sinks from the planktonic zone to the deep benthos.
	2. Material that hangs from the upper jaw of some whales and is used for filtering out food from water.
	3. Modified miniature dinoflagellates , that live in the flesh of coral and provide it food.
	4. Multicelled brown algae (protists) with a holdfast (to attach to rocks at depth) and gas bladders (to float its blades at the surface).
	5. Beacutical sea slug that eats anemones, stealing their stinging cells and using them in its own apex .

Amia	Cornus	Holdfast	Polype
Balun	Cold seeps	Hot vents	Red algae
Balun whale	Coral bleaching	Invertebrate	Reptile
Benthic protists	Derivis	Jawless fish	Seaweed
Bony fish	Echolocation	Kelp	Sepia
Brown algae	Fouling or boring organisms	Mammals	Toothed whale
Carnivora	Green algae	Nudibranch	Zoosymbiosis
Cartilaginous fish			

PREVIEW QUESTIONS from New Chapter Question Sheet (Extra Credit)

	1. What is required for coral reefs to live in an area (provide two requirements)?
	2. How have invertebrate organisms adapted to the difficulty in finding space to live?

NAME: _____

GRADE: _____
HOMEWORK COMPLETED AND SHOWN: _____

REVIEW QUESTIONS from Old Chapter Question Sheet

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	2. Which type of brown algae evolved to live in the deepest coastal waters? (Green, Red, or Brown algae)
	3. When is productivity high at the equator?
	4. What type of organisms account for 50% to 90% of the ocean's primary productivity?
	5. Which type of phytoplankton has a silica shell?

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Older Question Sheet

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	Holdfast	Polyps
	Hot vents	Red algae
Shrimp	Invertebrate association	Reptiles
	Jawless fish	Seaweed
	Kelp	Sponges
Filter-feeding organisms	Mammals	Toothed whale
Snail	Nautilus	Zooplankton

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Syllabus and Quizes

Syllabus Physical Geology Lecture - Spring 2013

Location: Science 45 (9:40-10:50 am) and Science 5 (2:10-3:20 pm)

Credits: 3; Required text: Geology, 2007, 4th Edition (3rd edition also OKAY) (Chernicoff and Whitney)
Instructor: Duane DeVecchio e-mail: ddevecchio@ccsf.edu website: <http://www.surfaceprocesses.com>

Office hours: Mon 11-12 pm Wed. 12:30-1:30 pm (Science 45) or by appointment

9:40-10:55 am / 2:10-3:25 pm	Topics to cover this week
Mon. (Jan. 14 th)	Introduction to class Policies and Physical Geology
Wed. (Jan. 16 th)	Quiz Chapter 1a Vocabulary (p. 2-20) Introduction to the Solar System
Mon. (Jan 21 st)	Martin Luther King Jr. Day (no class)
Wed. (Jan 23 rd)	QUIZ: Chapter 1a Review and Chapter 11 Vocabulary Chapter 1a (p. 2-20): A First Look at Earth and Chapter 11: The Earth's Interior
Jan. 28th LAST DAY TO DROP (full refund)	
Mon. (Jan. 28 th)	Continued: Chapter 11: The Earth's Interior
Wed. (Jan. 30 th)	QUIZ: Chapters 1a and 11 Review – Vocabulary Chapters 1b and 12 Chapter 1b (p. 20-37) and Chapter 12: Plate Tectonics and The Formation of the Oceans (Basins)
Feb. 1st LAST DAY TO ADD	
Mon. (Feb. 4 th)	QUIZ: Chapters 1b and 12 Review – Chapter 13 Vocabulary Chapter 13: Plate Tectonics and The Formation of the Continents
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Syllabus and Quizes

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~70% of test questions
VERBATIM
in different order

MUST HAVE COMPLETED
and bring with you
as ticket to exam
(BUT cannot use on exam)

Geology 10 – Exam 1 Pass Sheet

If you can answer all these questions correctly on the exam, you will get a 70% pass. (Questions will appear on the exam in a different order and with different numbers.) There will be additional question on the exam (~25 to 30%). These can help you to raise your grade from 70 (C) to a B (80-89) or A (90+). Note: YOU MUST BRING THIS COMPLETED SHEET WITH YOU TO TAKE THE EXAM – NO SHEET – NO EXAM. Exam will be closed notes, closed book, – you cannot use this sheet on the exam. Good luck!

1. How old is the universe?	
2. How old is Earth (be specific to one decimal place)?	
3. List five of Alfred Wegeners main lines of evidence to support Continental Drift (be specific).	1. 2. 3. 4. 5.
4. What were Harry Hess' three lines of evidence to support Sea Floor Spreading (be specific)?	1. 2. 3.
5. Explain what is meant by <u>planetary</u> differentiation.	
6. Explain what is meant by <u>solar system</u> differentiation.	
7. Where in the oceans is the youngest (newest) ocean crust found?	
8. What kind of continental margin is the East Coast of the United States?	
9. What kind of continental margin do we live on here in San Francisco?	
10. How do we know the age of Earth?	
11. Volcanic activity can be found in three different geologic settings. What are these and what is the cause of melting at each setting?	1. 2. 3.
12. In which layer does Earth's magnetic field originate?	
13. What characteristics and behavior of this layer produce the magnetic field? (Be specific!)	
14. Which seismic wave can travel through all materials (solids, liquids, gases) and how does this wave propagate?	
15. Explain the processes by which the ocean floor has magnetic stripes on it (seafloor magnetic anomalies)	

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SPRING 2013 Study Sessions

Please note that study sessions start the third week of the semester and end the last week of regular classes.

THERE ARE NO FORMAL STUDY SESSIONS DURING FINALS WEEK. PLAN AHEAD!

MONDAY:
11 am to 11:45 am (HIESS)
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5:30-6:30 pm (DUNCAN)

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Study halls are open during normal class days (thus they are not open during finals week, and unfortunately there are no summer study halls). Study Sessions occur in Science 45, unless otherwise stated.

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Spring 2013 Lab Aides

Alyxe Anderson (Ocan 1L -- day)

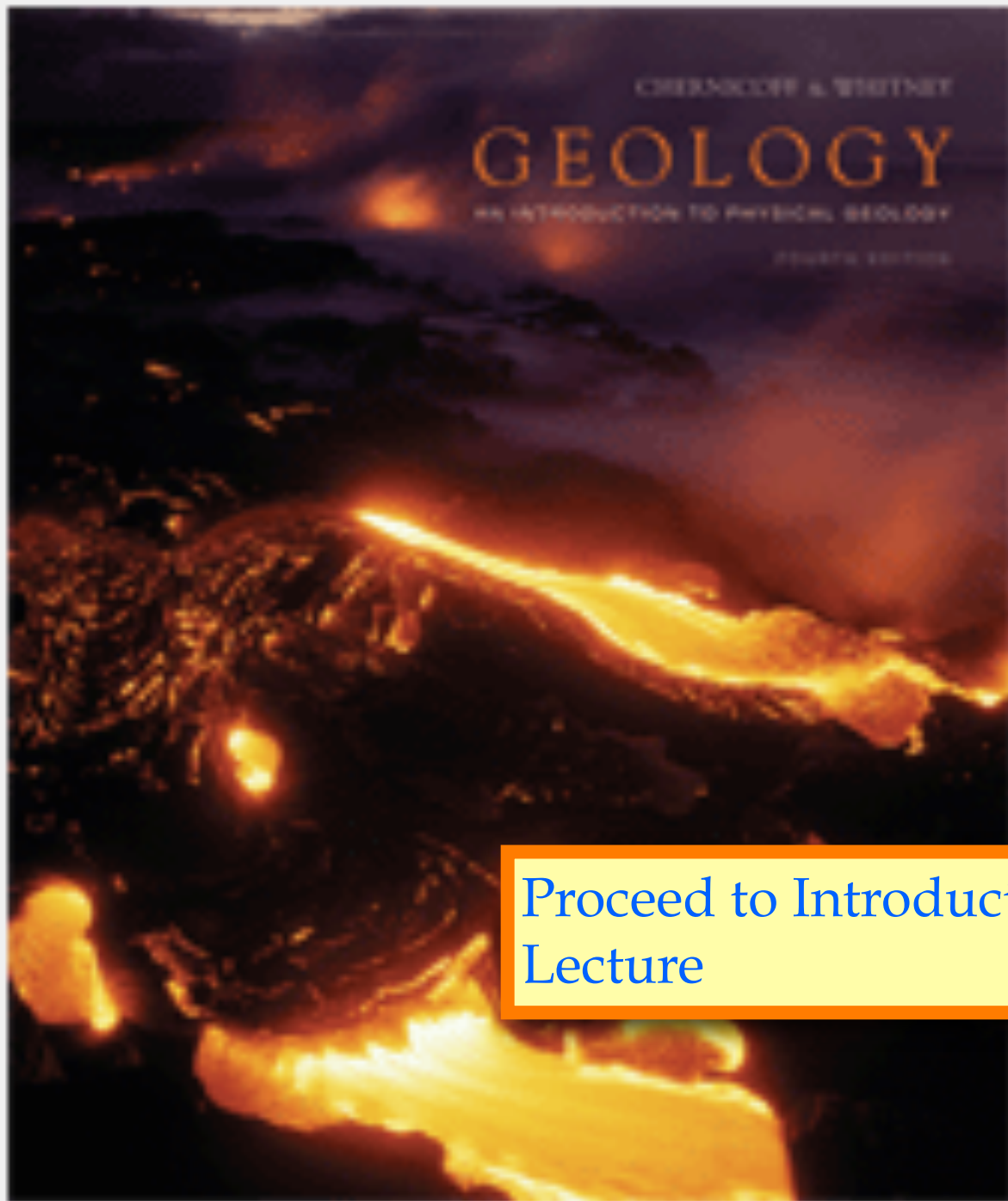
Dion Campbell (Geol 10L -- Tues/Thurs)

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