CHM 201/01

Organic Chemistry I

Syllabus Addendum

Instructor: B.Lampe

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Required Textbook: *Organic Chemistry*, John McMurray 9e, 2016 Cengage

 ISBN-13-978-1-305-08211-3

Additional required reading:

*Napoleon’s Buttons: 17 Molecules That Changed History*

Penny Le Couteur and Jay Burreson, 2003 Penguin

ISBN – 978-1-58542-331-6

Lab exercises may be purchased as e-chapters (@$2.99) from

<http://www.cengagebrain.com/shop/isbn/978-1-4390-4932-7>

*A Small Scale Approach to Organic Laboratory Techniques,*

Pavia/Lampman/Kriz/Engel, 2011 Cengage

ISBN-978-1-4390-4932-7

At the instructor’s discretion, selected lab exercises may be provided to you.

Technology:

* Until further notice, please refer to <http://myscienceclassinfo.weebly.com> and select the tab for CHM201 to find lecture power points and other information.
* You are expected to check your email@students.salemcc.edu regularly for impromptu notices pertaining to this course.

Evaluation:

* You will be evaluated on a combination of homework, lab exercises/reports, quizzes and exams.
* The instructor will determine a point value for each assignment.
* Your semester grade will be computed as a strict percentile of total points earned out of a possible total points. This percentile will be assigned a letter grade according to college policy.
* Giving or receiving unauthorized aid on exams, representing the work of another as one’s own work on lab reports or, any other assignment, may result in a failing grade for that assignment and will be considered a violation of academic honesty.

Policies:

* Please come to class on time.
* Do not bring food or drink into the classroom.
* Cell phones should be on silent mode and stowed in a backpack, purse or pocket. If you are using your cell phone during class, you will be asked to leave.
* Bring your textbook and writing materials to class.
* If you are tardy for a lab exercise, 10 points will be deducted for each 10-minute interval tardy. You will receive one 5-minute grace period, i.e., 0-5 minutes no deduction, 6-10 minutes late = 10 point deduction, 11-20 minutes late = 20 point deduction, etc. Arriving late for a lab exercise places unfair hardship on your lab partner and typically results in not completing the work by the end of the allotted time.
* You will be expected to stay past the scheduled class time, up to 4:00 pm, if necessary to finish a lab exercise. Therefore, COME TO LAB PREPARED and ready to START ON TIME! Please try to avoid scheduling activities before 4:00 on lab days.
* Clean up is considered a mandatory component of every lab exercise.
* Late homework assignments will not be accepted.
* Quizzes might not always be announced and, missed quizzes may not be made up.
* In case of illness or personal emergency, one exam may be made up during the next class meeting. Missing a second exam will result in no credit, seriously jeopardizing your ability to receive a passing grade for the course.
* It is the student’s responsibility to determine what they have missed due to an absence and to report to the next class having completed all relevant assignments, or prepared for an announced quiz/exam.

Safety:

* Students are expected to read and understand procedures for safe use of the fume hoods, and handling glassware and chemicals.
* Do not work with organic solvents outside of the hood and close all reagent bottles promptly.
* Protective eyewear and gloves must be WORN at all times during lab exercises.
* You must wear closed toe shoes and long pants for lab exercises.
* Avoid wearing dangling jewelry or unsecured long hair.
* Notify the instructor immediately in the case of spills or broken glassware.