



# SYLLABUS College of Computing and Software Engineering Department of Software Engineering and Game Design

# CSE 1322L/J01: Programming and Problem Solving II Laboratory Spring 2025

# Course Information

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**Class meeting time:** Every Monday, 06:30 PM *to* 08:10 PM

**Modality and Location:** In-person; Marietta Campus, Atrium Building Room 158

# Instructor Information

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**Preferred method of communication:** Email

“The University provides all KSU students with an ‘official’ email account with the address ‘netid@students.kennesaw.edu.’ As a result of federal laws protecting educational information and other data, **this is the sole email account you should use to communicate with your instructor or other University officials.**” The instructor only guarantees replies to emails received from your Kennesaw email account (netid@students.kennesaw.edu). Emails sent from other email domains may not reach the instructor's mailbox. In order to ensure receipt/responses to your email be sure that you communicate with the instructor via your Kennesaw Student email account and include the course number in the subject.

# Course Description

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**1 Credit Hours**

**Prerequisite:** CSE 1321 and CSE 1321L with a grade of ‘B’ or better in both.

**Concurrent:** CSE 1322

This course is the required and supervised lab course to accompany CSE 1322

# Course Materials

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**Required Texts:** No notebook purchase is required.

**Recommended Texts:**

Textbook resources provided on FYE Website are:

1. Programming Fundamentals (for all students, lecture and lab)
2. Think Java

**Technology requirements:** Computer with Webcam and programming IDE (links provided on our website)

# Course Learning Outcomes

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At the end of the course students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate more advanced skills in programming, including handling multidimensional arrays.
2. Demonstrate file handling techniques and exception code.
3. Recognize the difference between iterative and recursive approaches.
4. Demonstrate the ability to use linked lists, stacks, and queues in problem solving.
5. Compare “program driven” and “event-driven” approaches to user interaction, including the relationship between event-driven programs and Graphical User Interfaces 6. Discuss principles of concurrency and parallelism.

**Course Requirements and Assignments**

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**This lab is being taught in Java ONLY. All labs, assignments, midterm and final exams must be submitted in Java.**

There will be a total of 12 Labs and 7 Assignments, all of which can be found in the [CSE 1322L:](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/cse-1322-lab.php)

[Programming and Problem Solving II Lab](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/cse-1322-lab.php) section on the [FYE website](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/index.php). Their deadlines can be found in the

schedule.

**All Midterm & Final exams must be taken in-person on the Marietta or Kennesaw campus. Students taking 95% online labs must also show up in-person to take the Midterm & Final. The only exception is for students who are registered for online only degrees and are in sections W#1 or WJ1. Their exams will be available for a 24hr window and will be taken online. Please see the official schedule on the FYE site.**

FYE Submission Guidelines:<https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/submission-guidelines.php>

# Evaluation and Grading Policies

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The instructor will make every effort to have assignments graded within one week. Assignments will be

graded for correctness and completeness, as per the grading rubrics. Copies of your class work and tests

will be kept for our records.

You may earn 0.5 points for each tutoring session you attend at the CSSE Tutoring Center (Room 263, Atrium, Marietta) up to a maximum of 5 points. These points will be applied to your Final Exam, and can only be earned for tutoring sessions attended before the last day of class. **No other form of extra credit is available.**

**Your lowest Lab Assignment and lowest Lab Exercise will be dropped when calculating your final**

**grade.**

**Regrade Requests in Gradescope**: Regrade Requests must be submitted through Gradescope within

three (3) business days of the grade being published. Regrade Requests should be submitted per

question and should abide by the communication policies of KSU. You will receive an email from

Gradescope (to your KSU Student Email) when the grades are published with the end date for regrade

requests for each test/exam.

GRADING SCALE:

A: Grade >= 89.5

B: 89.5 > Grade >= 79.5

C: 79.5 > Grade >= 69.5

D: 69.5 > Grade >= 59.5

F: Grade < 59.5

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| Assignment | Percentage |
| Homework Assignments (submitted in Gradescope)  (average of assignments) | 40% |
| Lab Exercises (submitted in Gradescope) (average of exercises) | 10% |
| Midterm Exam (in class, closed book, closed notes, no outside resources) | 20% |
| Final Exam (in class, closed book, closed notes, no outside resources) | 30% |

**Early Alerts/Progress Reports:** This class is participating in Early Alerts, which faculty will submit during the first few weeks of class. These reports notify advisors and student success coaches to a range of things like missing class, missing assignments, if you might need to visit tutoring, or could benefit from help with time management or study skills. These are not recorded as grades and are meant to provide you with some additional resources to ensure you can be successful in your class. If you receive notification of an early alert, please take advantage of these resources.

**Midterm Grades:** A midterm grade may be assigned by the midterm grade due date identified on the academic calendar. This midterm grade is for assessing mid-semester performance at least one week prior to the last day to withdraw without academic penalty. You may view your midterm grade in Owl Express. Note that only your final grade will be officially recorded on your academic transcript.

# Course Policies

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**Attendance Policy**

Posted on FYE Website under [Policies](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/policies.php).

**Quiz/Exam Policy:**

Posted on FYE Website under [Policies](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/policies.php).

**Make-up Policy:**

Posted on FYE Website under [Policies](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/policies.php).

**Proctored Exams:**

Posted on FYE Website under [Policies](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/policies.php).

**Electronic Devices and Classroom Behavior Policy:**

Posted on FYE Website under [Policies](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/policies.php).

Students enrolled in a face-to-face section of CSE 1322L are required to use the computers provided in the classroom for all exams.

**Instructional Continuity Plan**

Kennesaw State University (KSU) may decide to close campuses, operate on a delayed schedule, or transition to remote instruction for inclement weather or in case of emergency.

The University will announce campus closures, delayed schedules, or remote instruction through KSU Alerts sent to your cell number on file and to your university email account. In addition, announcements will be posted on KSU’s home page: www.kennesaw.edu.

Our class continuity plan includes:

1. Communication: Please check D2l Brightspace announcements or your student e-mail for necessary instructions.
2. Virtual Classes: If in-person classes are not possible, we may transition to virtual classes using Microsoft Teams.
3. Assignments and Assessments: Deadlines for assignments and assessments may be adjusted to accommodate the emergency situation.

We understand that emergencies create unique challenges. If you need additional support during an emergency, reach out via email. The university also offers resources such as counseling and academic support, which can be accessed remotely.

**Policy on the Usage of Artificial Intelligence**

AI Use Prohibited:

You are expected to generate your own work in this class. When you submit any kind of work, you are asserting that you have created it completely on your own unless you indicate otherwise using quotation marks and proper citation for the source(s) you used to help you. Submitting content that has been generated by someone other than you, or that was created or assisted by an AI generative tool is cheating and constitutes a violation of the KSU Code of Academic Integrity.

# Department or College Policies

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Kennesaw State University is committed to your success. To ensure that you take full advantage of your educational opportunities, the College of Computing and Software Engineering is implementing the First Year Experience Program (FYE) and this course is part of this program. In some cases, you will be contacted by FYE team members as a follow-up on the instructor’s referral and to offer you the guidance and support you need. There are many ways for you to reach your academic and personal goals. We’ll show you how.

[**https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/**](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/)

# Institutional Syllabus Policies, Procedures, and Resources

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* [Federal, BOR, & KSU Required Syllabus Policies and Student Resources](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/student-syllabus-resources.php)
* **Copyright Law:** It is the responsibility of KSU faculty and students to respect the rights of copyright holders and comply with copyright law. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **Grade Appeals and Student Complaints:** A student’s rights to grade appeals are defined in the University catalogs. Each faculty member must specify the grading policy in the syllabus at the beginning of the course. The faculty member may change the grading policy for cause after that time but must do so uniformly with ample notification to students. Students can find more details regarding the appeal process in [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/student-syllabus-resources.php)
* **Inclement Weather Policy:** During the course of the year, Kennesaw State University may decide to close campus or operate on a delayed schedule in cases of inclement weather. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)

## **KSU Academic Integrity Statement:** Every KSU student is responsible for upholding the provisions of the [Student Code of Conduct](https://www.kennesaw.edu/student-affairs/dean-of-students/department-student-conduct-academic-integrity/index.php), as published in the Undergraduate and Graduate Catalogs. Section 5c of the Student Code of Conduct addresses the university’s policy on academic honesty, including provisions regarding plagiarism and cheating, unauthorized access to university materials, misrepresentation/falsification of university records or academic work, malicious removal, retention, or destruction of library materials, malicious/intentional misuse of computer facilities and/or services, and misuse of student identification cards. Incidents of alleged academic misconduct will be handled through the established procedures of the Department of Student Conduct and Academic Integrity (SCAI), which includes either an “informal” resolution by a faculty member, resulting in a grade adjustment, or a formal hearing procedure, which may subject a student to the Code of Conduct’s minimum one semester suspension requirement.

* **KSU Course Withdrawal Policy:** Students may withdraw from one or more courses any time before the last week of the semester. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **KSU Disruption of Campus Life Policy:** All students are responsible for knowing the information, policies and procedures outlined in the Kennesaw State University Codes of Conduct**.** For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **KSU Enrollment Management/Course Attendance Policy:** Students are solely responsible for managing their enrollment status in a class; nonattendance does not constitute a withdrawal.
* **KSU Military Withdrawals Policy:** Kennesaw State students who are called to active duty or who are deployed during the term may be eligible for a military withdrawal. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **KSU Reasonable Accommodations Policy:** Students with qualifying disabilities under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and/or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act who require “reasonable accommodation(s)” to complete the course may request those from Office of Student Disability Services. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **KSU Sexual Misconduct Policy:** KSU does not condone and will not tolerate sexual misconduct or sexually exploitative or harassing behavior of any kind. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **KSU Web Accessibility Policy Statement:** For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **Netiquette: Communication Courtesy:** All members of the class are expected to follow [rules of common courtesy in all email messages](http://www.albion.com/netiquette/), threaded discussions and chats.
* **Protecting Students' Privacy (FERPA):** Students have certain rights to privacy. These rights are mandated by federal policy. For more details, see [this page](https://www.kennesaw.edu/curriculum-instruction-assessment/academic-program-planning-development/resources/required-syllabus-information.php)
* **Graduate Teaching Assistants (Lab Instructors) –** Office is J-352, see [office hours](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/fye/office_hours.php) posted on our website.
* **CCSE Tutoring and Open Lab –** Room J-263,[see hours posted on their site](https://ccse.kennesaw.edu/ccselabs/ccse-labs.php).

# KSU Student Resources

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For CCSE Student resources:

<http://ccse.kennesaw.edu/student-resources.php>

KSU Service Desk:

The KSU Service Desk is your portal to getting assistance or access to University IT Services. Students call: 470-578-3555 or email [studenthelpdesk@kennesaw.edu](mailto:studenthelpdesk@kennesaw.edu)

For Academic Advising information and to schedule appointments:

<http://ccse.kennesaw.edu/advising/index.php>

Links to frequently used and helpful services:

<http://www.kennesaw.edu/myksu/>

Department of Career Planning & Development

[https://careers.kennesaw.edu](https://careers.kennesaw.edu/)

Counseling and Psychological Services

[https://counseling.kennesaw.edu](https://counseling.kennesaw.edu/)

Center for Health Promotion and Wellness

[https://wellness.kennesaw.edu](https://wellness.kennesaw.edu/)

Student Health Services

[https://studenthealth.kennesaw.edu](https://studenthealth.kennesaw.edu/)

# Course Schedule

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See [CSE 1322L: Programming and Problem Solving II Lab schedule](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/cse-1322-lab.php) posted on the [FYE website](https://www.kennesaw.edu/ccse/first-year-experience/index.php) for the latest schedule.