

# Grade Breakdown

## Lecture

50 points	12.5%	Midterm Lecture Exam
75 points	18.75%	Final Lecture Exam
125 points	31.25%	Overall

## Final Lecture Exam

August 2, 2007

6-7:15p.m.

(Regular Lecture Period)

# Grade Breakdown

## Lab

120 points	30%	Weekly Quizzes
10 points	2.5%	TA Evaluation
20 points	5%	Notebooks
50 points	12.5%	Midterm Practical
75 points	18.75%	Final Practical
<b>275</b>	<b>68.75%</b>	<b>Overall</b>

**You must attend 1 Lab Review  
and 1 Lab Practical Exam**

# Lab Practical Review Sessions

**Monday**

**July 30, 2007**

9 sessions to select from:

8:30a.m. to 8:30p.m.

**28 students per session**

- Do not be late for the session you signed up for. (If you are you will have to stand by for the next available slot...)
- Once checked in you can come and go as you please, but you cannot stay over your assigned time slot.
- This is your opportunity to ask Q's, see the specimens and dissections one more time....

# Practical Exam

**Wednesday**

**August 1, 2007**

Take note of the exam time you signed up for & do not get your review & exam times mixed up!

# Practical Logistics

- 24 slots per session – Do not exceed 24 except by special permission (Coordinator must sign off for additional seats)
- If there is no room for you in a session – then you must make another choice or find a person willing to switch with you.
- Students who have special needs must have their eligibility papers on file and **MUST sign up for the last review and exam sessions.**

# Point Breakdown

**25 Stations** (3 Q's per station)

**per Q - 75 Points**

**~1/3 TAXONOMY, IDENTIFICATION**

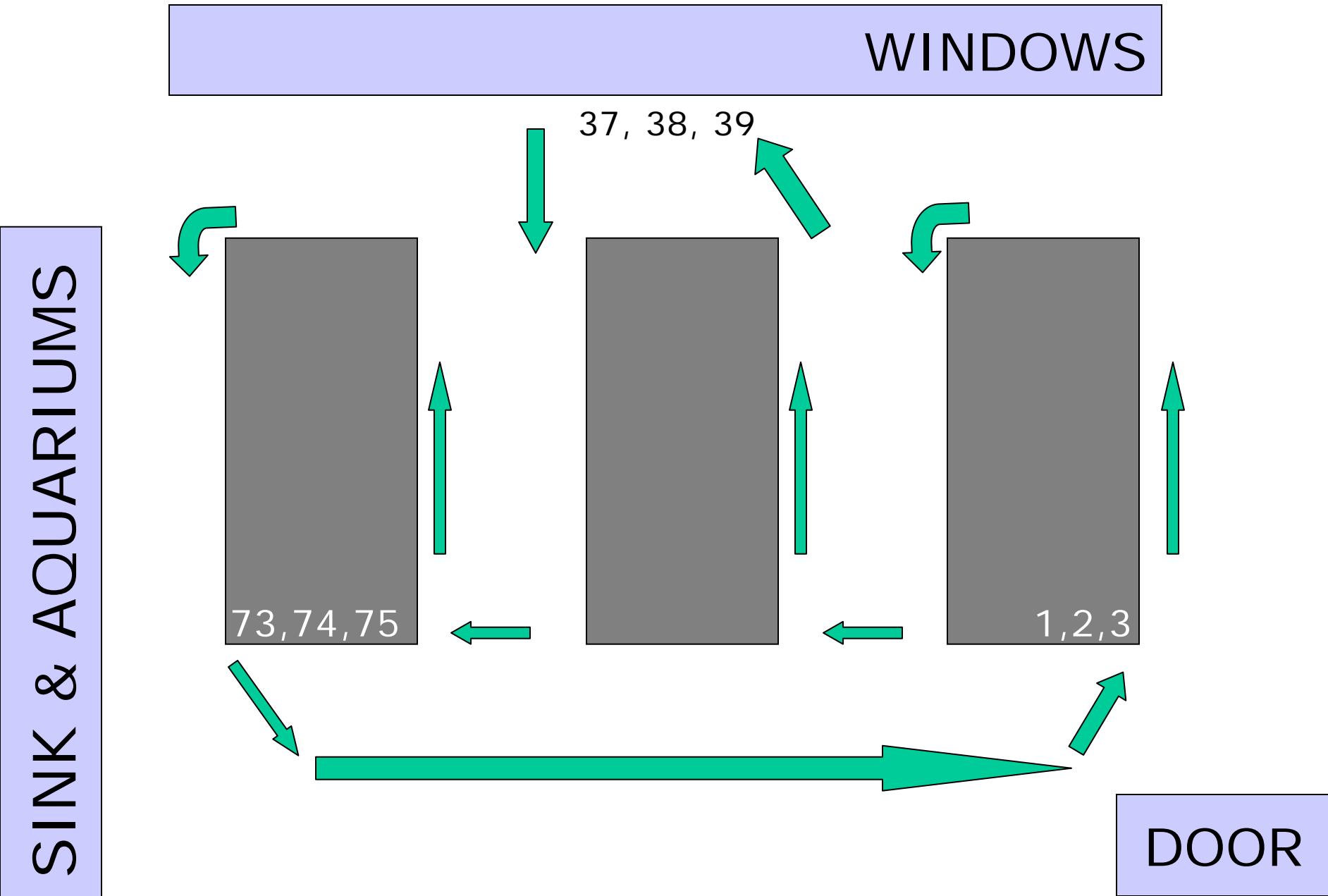
**~1/3 STRUCTURE/FUNCTION**

**~1/3 COMPARISONS BETWEEN PHYLA**

**Round 1 - 90 seconds per station**

**Round 2 - 45 seconds per station**

# Floor Plan of Lab CON 239 for Practicals





# Take Note!

- The final practical exam is cumulative.
- Questions will focus on the last phyla studied but there will be questions on the material studied earlier in this course.
- So, study hard from

**Arthropoda I – Protista.** (last half)

and review from

**Microscopes – Annelida.** (first half)

# Cheating on either final exam

- Any student caught cheating - or suspected to be (acting in any way against our rules or in any way that makes us believe that cheating could be possible) will be punished/treated according to the rules of the Academic Honor Code
- Take this warning seriously!

# The Practical Exam Grading Rules!

- Capitalize taxa

- ½ point **WILL** be deducted for not doing so.

If you wish to use all capitals, make sure the first letter is most definitely **T****WICE** as big as the rest.

For example:

## Taxonomic terms

Arthropoda (perfect)

arthropoda (-1/2pt)

## Non-taxonomic terms

asconoid (perfect)

Asconoid (no deduction)

ARTHROPODA (-1/2pt) Mark the first letter as a capital by:

1 **A** RTHROPODA    2 (A) RTHRO... or    3 A RTHRO...

Be especially careful when the first letter of a taxa looks the same regardless of upper/lower casing.

Oligochaeta (perfect)

oligochaeta (-1/2pt)

simple (perfect)

Simple (no deduction)

- Spelling: 1 letter will be over looked  
2 letters - lose ½ point  
3 letters - lose 1 point

These rules only apply if 1 or 2 letters do not create another word that could mean that the student does not know the answer to the Q.

rat

mesohyl

Cnidarian

cat

mesophyll

Plants

## Words students frequently spell incorrectly

Animalia

Arthropoda

Chondrichthyes

cilia

cord

mesenchyme

notochord

Opi<sup>st</sup>hosoma

Osteichthyes

proboscis

rhynchocoel

Scaphopoda

schizocoely

scyphistoma

Scyphozoa

seminal (not Seminole!)

sinistral

spongocoel

symmetrical

typhlosole

# Exam Logistics

Sign your sheet as soon as you get it.

- this gives us permission to post your grade
- give the last 4 digits of your **ss#**

Fill out the top part to prevent confusion

- your name, TA's name and your section number

Fold your answer sheet in half lengthwise

- keep the blank side facing you to act as a cover sheet.
- open it only when you need to write on it.

**Circle** the 3 numbers of the questions where you begin.

- Add the first one to the box on the blank side.

# Exam Logistics Contd.

## Scrap Paper

- Your answer sheet can be used as to make notes

## Read each question

- Be careful and give exact answers

e.g. Do not give *CLASS* if the question asks for *PHYLUM*.

## Write legibly or you risk losing points

## Do not give several answers

- only the first one will be graded.

## Multiple choice questions

- When there is more than 1 correct answer give all of them to get the point/credit. Partial credit is never given for lettered responses. At the discretion of the grader (Moi!) it MAY be given for multiple word answers.



# Exam Logistics Contd.

**Hats** Take off or wear them backwards please.

**Don't touch!**

Microscopes - adjust only ocular or focal distance

Specimens in jars - gently pick up jars to take a closer look, no shaking!

**Dissections**

Don't move any of the pins or pointers.

**Oops!**

If you do think that you accidentally moved a pointer or a pin, raise your hand and tell a proctor/TA immediately.

# Exam Logistics contd.

## Staring

Up or down - just not at your neighbor's paper! = Cheating!

## No talking

Questions?- Raise your hand so the TA can come to you  
- don't wait until there are only 5 seconds left at the station.

## No sign language

This is still cheating – just in silent mode!

# End of the Exam...

**Step back** from your response sheet and one of the proctors will collect it.

**Initial** against your name on the sign up sheet.

**Exit quietly**      **DO NOT talk about the questions after you leave.**

If you are caught sharing information about the exam, this will be considered cheating, (attempted or accessory) and will be treated accordingly.

Assuming that you are giving correct answers or clues....All you are doing is raising the average grade and ruining the exam for those scoring below the elevated average. **(This could include YOU!)**

**Grades** will be posted (bulletin board outside CON239) ASAP

# KINGDOM ANIMALIA

Phylum **Porifera**

Phylum **Cnidaria**

Phylum **Platyhelminthes**

Phylum **Nemertina**

Phylum **Nematoda**

Phylum **Rotifera**

Phylum **Annelida**

Phylum **Arthropoda**

Phylum **Mollusca**

Phylum **Bryozoa**

Phylum **Echinodermata**

Phylum **Chordata**

# KINGDOM PROTISTA

1<sup>st</sup> half ....  
Worms,  
worms &  
more worms!

2<sup>nd</sup> half....  
Thankfully a little  
more familiar!