

PHYS 496, Spring 2021 Assignments and Points Summary

Hw #	Brief Description	Type†	Due Date‡	Comments	Points
1	HW1--Evaluating Titles	W	Feb 5		50
2	HW2--Understanding a Paper	W	Feb 12	not rewrite eligible	50
3	HW3--Abstract & Title	W	Feb 19		100
4	HW4--Proper Referencing	W	Feb 26		50
5	HW5--Physics News Story--Draft	W	Mar 5	not rewrite eligible	50
6	HW6--Physics News Story--Final Version	W	Mar 12		150
7	HW7--Peer Reviews	W	Mar 19	not rewrite eligible	100
8	HW8--Short Science Talk--Draft	W	Mar 26		100
9	HW9--Short Science Talk--In-Class Presentation	P	April 2	not rewrite eligible	150
10	HW10--Evaluating Figures & Captions	W	April 9		100
11	HW11--Making Figures & Captions	W	Apr 16		150
12	HW12--CV and Statement of Purpose	W	April 23		150
13	Journal Club Presentation	P,T	April 30	not rewrite eligible	200
Total Points for Homework Assignments					1400

† "W" = written assignment; "P" = oral presentation; "T" = team assignment

‡ Assignments are due by 9:00 p.m. on the due date unless otherwise noted on the homework instructions page.

Points per Class Component		
Homework Assignments		1400
Writing Workshop	Missed workshops may not be made up	200
Colloquium Reports	A total of TWO reports (50 pts each)	100
Class Attendance and Participation	Unexcused absences will result in loss of points	50
Total Points for the Class		1750

Points will be entered in the my.physics student gradebook; be sure to periodically check your grades.