

## 2020 AP Physics Grading Criterion - 4th Qtr

Since we are on home instruction, I have decided to change my grading policy to adjust to the conditions that the Coronavirus has created for us all. As you already know, I have been assigning my narrated notes using Edpuzzle in the Google Classroom. I have also been providing you with five or six question Do Nows at the beginning of our sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. I will be continuing this process for the remainder of the year. I will continue putting together virtual labs as well. In addition, homework will still be assigned through WebAssign as will quizzes. And lastly, there will be a project that is still to be determined. Here is the resulting grading criterion.

Category	Percent Weighting
Edpuzzle & Do Now's	40%
Labs	15%
Homework (WebAssign) Practice Packets	15%
Quizzes (WebAssign)	20%
Project	10%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>

### **Edpuzzle & Do Now:**

Note that there is a heavy emphasis on participation. Each EdPuzzle and Do Now is worth 5 points towards this portion of their grade. The bias towards earning you a good grade should encourage all to come to our discussions.

### **Labs:**

As previously mentioned, I will continue to find ways to provide you with virtual labs where your final work will be submitted through Google Classroom. Each lab as in the past is worth 10 points.

### **Homework and Practice Packets:**

Homework in WebAssign will continue as usual. The practice packets that I often gave in class will be disseminated through Google Forms. The practice packets will become the worksheet grade. Each one that is reasonably done is worth 5 points.

**Quizzes:**

All quizzes will be given through WebAssign. Most of the questions will be Regents level, though there may be some harder questions thrown in, but nothing too difficult. You will have a one hour window of time by which to take your quiz within a three hour block of time. The number of questions given will generally range from 15 - 20.

**Project:**

You will have a project which still remains to be determined. I would like to make it a group project, but not sure how to manage that with the quarantine in place.

Many if not all of you know by now the district grading policy for the 4th quarter. If it gets modified or changed, then I will let you know. What this means to me is that many of you can wind up with 100's for the 4th quarter with good participation and a little bit of effort. The ball is in your court. Let's make something good out of this trying experience for all of us.

**Meeting Days and Times:**

- Class Discussion: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:00AM
- Office Hours: Monday - Friday at 2:00PM