

University of Pittsburgh

CS 0008 Spring 2015 - Information about Exam 2

- Exam 2 will focus on:
 - the material and code covered in lecture through 3/17
 - the reading assignments listed on the schedule through 3/17
 - Labs 2-7
 - Assignments 1-3

- The following comment will appear on the front of the exam:

Unless you think there is an error, I can't answer any questions. Otherwise, it gets too noisy, and some people would get more information than others.

Please just follow the instructions, and use your best judgment.

- The exam is closed everything except you and your pencil.
- A separate handout will give “help” information on string, list, and dictionary methods, specifically, what is printed in the shell when you enter, e.g., `help(append)`. You will not need to use all of them!
- Study actively. Don't just pass your eyes over the text and materials from lecture. Run the code. Try your own commands in the Python shell. If you are confused, trace code on paper then run the code to check yourself. You can use the debugger or pythontutor.org to see the values that variables are assigned as the program executes.

Below are the types of questions that will be on the exam. These are the same as for Exam 1.

- **Short answer question.**
- **Fixing errors.**
- **Tracing code.**

- **Writing a function.**
- **Calling functions to do something.**