

Syllabus
Mineralogy
GEO 205

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Class meets in the Science Auditorium Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2:00-3:30 pm

Required Texts:

Perkins, **Mineralogy**, *Second Edition*

Schumann, Handbook of Rocks, Minerals and Gemstones

Grading:

Notebooks	40%
Quizzes: Sample identification etc.(open book)	25%
Quizzes: Reading (closed book)	25%
Class Participation	10%

You will keep Notebooks with mineral and rock descriptions and basic identification and information. We will examine and describe approximately 10 to 20 samples each week.

Quizzes will generally alternate between reading and identification. Questions from the reading will include definitions of terms, short answers and/or multiple choice.

There will not be a final.