

Your Name _____

Date _____

GET TO KNOW YOUR AP Physics BOOK

This assignment is designed to get you to look at various portions of your textbook, especially the parts that will help you.

1. What is the middle initial of the author?
2. Where does he teach?
3. How many chapters are listed in the Table of Contents?
4. Describe the facing page that precedes the start of each chapter. What three things does it consist of (*hint: one of them is a picture*)
5. What helpful box is at the end of each section of each chapter?
6. Where should a student turn if they are confused about a term in the SI system of measurement?
7. Where should a student turn if they want to convert between SI units and English units?
8. A student is having difficulty with a homework problem that was assigned. What should she do? (There are two parts to this answer).

9. A student is having difficulty with a Practice Problem in the book. What should she do?
10. How will your test scores be if you don't try to work out these Practice Problems before you look at the answers?
11. A student wants to know what the important equations for a given chapter are. What should he do?
12. How many miles in a kilometer? _____ How many meters in a foot? _____
13. What is the textbook's definition of force?
14. A student is confused about some question in trigonometry. Where should she turn for help?

From the "AP Course Syllabus" handout:

15. Working together is: ENCOURAGED DISCOURAGED
16. Every student can get 100% grade on every homework without cheating TRUE FALSE
17. The last opportunity to turn in homework is anytime the day it is due TRUE FALSE
18. If you don't know how to do a HW Problem, you should leave it blank TRUE FALSE
19. Mr. Dove decides which homework you should re-do TRUE FALSE
20. If you want to re-do a homework problem, you should do the problem on a separate piece of 8 1/2 x 11 paper, put a big title "RE-DO", staple it to the top of your own homework, and hand it in. TRUE FALSE