

ASTR 2030 Black Holes Spring 2005. Personal Goals Statement.

Your name:

Start of semester

1. About what fraction of your motivation for taking this course is just to fulfill a requirement (Nat Sci core) and to get a good grade? [Give a percentage, like 50%, or 90%].
2. What grade do you expect to obtain in this course? [Your answer will have no influence whatsoever on what I think of you or what your actual grade will be].
3. How much do you already know about black holes? What are the main things you hope to learn about black holes?
4. Besides black holes, what else do you hope to learn about?
5. What other goals do you have for this course?

Mid semester

1. What grade do you expect to obtain in this course? [Your answer will have no influence whatsoever on what I think of you or what your actual grade will be].
2. To what extent have you learned the things that you hoped to learn about black holes? What are the main things that you would still like to learn about black holes?
3. Besides black holes, have you learned the things that you hoped to learn about? What are the main things would you still like to learn about besides black holes?

4. To what extent have you fulfilled other goals you may have had for this course?
5. A prime purpose of the group projects has been to try to get you to practice thinking, reasoning, and arguing with each other like scientists. Are the group projects succeeding in this regard?

End of semester

1. What grade do you expect to obtain in this course? [Your answer will have no influence whatsoever on what I think of you or what your actual grade will be].
2. To what extent have you learned the things that you hoped to learn about black holes?
3. Besides black holes, have you learned the things that you hoped to learn about?
4. To what extent have you fulfilled other goals you may have had for this course?
5. A prime purpose of the group projects has been to try to get you to practice thinking, reasoning, and arguing with each other like scientists. Have the group projects succeeded in this regard?