

Welcome to PHYS 496

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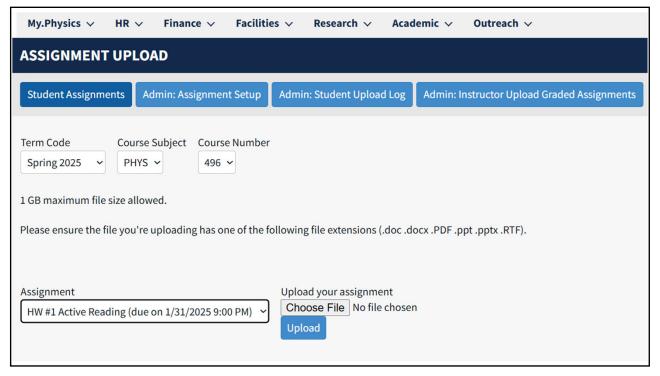


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Some assignments are and some are <u>not</u> rewrite eligible. Check the homework instructions or grading matrix on the course website. No assignments may be rewritten for addition points if the initial assignment was not turned in by the deadline.



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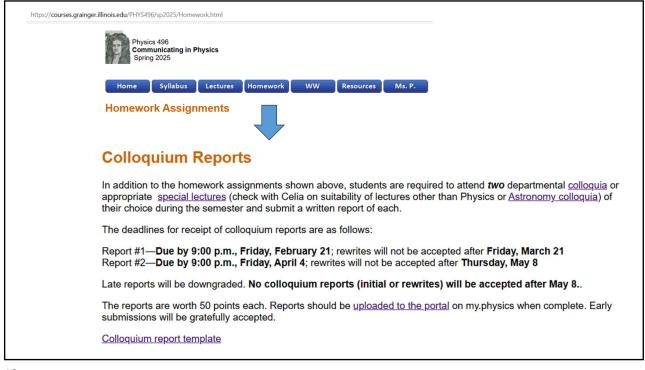
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Tip: Write your report within three days of the colloquium for best results and turn it in promptly to avoid annoying Celia. You don't have to wait until the deadline to submit.

Colloquium reports are eligible for rewrites if the initial report was submitted by the deadline.





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