Homework Help

# HW Help via Email

When you want my help, via email, with a HW problem, do the following:

## HW Help about interpreting the HW Document itself

If you have a question about interpreting something on the HW document itself:

1. State the HW # and the problem # (if there is more than 1).
2. Provide the page number, section number, step number, etc.
3. Describe what is unclear, *etc.*

## HW Help about your Code

If you have a question about your code:

1. Attach the relevant Java file(s). **Do not attach a screen shot.**
2. State the HW # and the problem # (if there is more than 1).
3. Describe what the problem is, what you are trying to do. Provide the class name, method name, *etc.*
4. If the problem is somewhat isolated, *e.g.* you know the problem is in loop, copy and paste the code into the body of the email. Make sure the code is in a mono-spaced font, black in color, and no color background. Or, you can use a small screen shot. No matter what, attach the relevant Java file(s).
5. If your code doesn’t compile, state the exact line number.
6. If your code runs, but crashes:
* State the exact line where it crashes and include the stack trace (the red text in Eclipse that results when the program crashes). A screen shot of this is acceptable, or copy/paste.

Else If your code runs, but doesn’t give the correct result:

* Provide the input data you used, what the result was, and what you expected it to be

# HW Help In-Person

When you want my help in-person, with a HW problem, come prepared, generally following the steps above. In addition:

1. Bring your code on a laptop (not phone), loaded and ready to view.
2. Have the HW document and javadoc open on your laptop.