

Philosophy 2330 Fall 2021  
Tutorial 1  
Due Tuesday, Oct 12

**Purpose:** The purpose of this tutorial is two-fold: First, the tutorial itself will be in an extended conversation with me and one or two of your classmates for thirty minutes. This will allow me to gauge exactly how well you are understanding the content of the class so far and to allow for the perfect opportunity for you to ask questions, clear up any misunderstandings you might have, and interact at a deeper level with the topics we have discussed in class. Second, I want you to do well on the exam and preparing for the tutorial will require you to write a sample exam and I think this is the best way to do that.

**Task:** You are to produce a sample exam and bring four copies of it with you to your tutorial. At minimum, your exam should consist of several short answer questions that could be answered in a few sentences and several essay questions that could be answered in several paragraphs. In addition to these, you may add multiple-choice questions, basic identification questions, or any other kinds of questions that you think would be good test questions. Your goal is to cover the important concepts and ideas that we have learned about in class so far so you should do at least that. You don't have to worry about your exam being too long or questions being redundant – I will worry about those kinds of things when I write the actual exam! Note that you do not actually have to answer your own questions (or even know the answers!) – we will be discussing your exams during your tutorial.

**Criteria for success:** This tutorial is worth 3 points. You should arrive on time with a sample exam that covers at least the major topics, concepts, and ideas that we have discussed so far. During the actual tutorial, you should interact with your peers and me in a helpful and constructive way as a collaborate attempt to study for your exam.