2 Phase GTA Meetings

You are expected to meet your Graduate Teaching Assistant twice during the course of the semester to get credit for the 2 phase GTA meeting. These meetings will occur after you design your 4 hole chip and your 3 hole chip, but prior to chip manufacturing—see the class schedule for the meeting dates.

GTA Meeting #1

Check Class Schedule for date of GTA meeting #1.

The first phase meeting will occur before the 1st chip design (4 hole chip) is due. This will give you an opportunity to discuss with your GTA the expectations for the ‘1st Chip Design’. The GTA will review your design prior to meeting with you, and will make any recommendations or corrections necessary to ensure it meets project specifications. Teams should make the best use of the opportunity to do well on their initial designs. The GTA will also make you aware of the use of the project documentation using the project notebook, which the students have to maintain from the beginning of the semester. Any other concerns regarding the project can also be discussed with the GTA.

GTA Meeting #2

Check Class Schedule for date of GTA meeting #2.

The first phase meeting will occur before the 2nd chip design (3 hole chip) is due, and any necessary suggestions and corrections will be discussed. During this phase the GTA will assess the project notebooks of each group and provide feedback for further improvement. Time in this meeting will also be devoted toward answering any concerns regarding final testing, oral presentation, and final report.

Meeting Grade
It is important that the corrections discussed by the GTA be implemented in the final submitted design, or it may not receive full credit.