

Grading

Letter grades will be based on your team presentation, on a mid-term in-class, closed book exam and on your final exam.

Group presentation and outline	10%
Midterm exam	40%
Final exam	50%

I'll use a curve in calculating your grade based on the class's average.

Class Schedule

July 1

Introduction – International Trade in the Global Economy

Reading: F&T, Ch 1.

July 3

The Ricardian Model of International Trade

Reading: F&T, Ch 2.

July 8

The Specific Factors Model of Trade

Reading: F&T, Ch 3.

Group presentations on Global Issues of International Trade

July 10

The Heckscher-Ohlin Model

Reading: F&T, Ch 4.

Group presentations on the Ricardian and on the Specific Factors model

July 15

International Movement of Labor and Capital

Reading: F&T, Ch 5.

Group presentations on the Heckscher-Ohlin model

July 17

MIDTERM EXAM

July 22

Trade under Imperfect Competition

Reading: F&T, Ch 6.

Group presentations on movement of labor and capital between countries

July 24

Outsourcing and International Agreements

Reading: F&T, Chs 7, 10 and 11.

Group presentations on outsourcing and international agreements

July 29

Trade Policies under Perfect and Imperfect Competition

Reading: F&T, Chs 8 and 9.

Group presentations on the welfare effects of trade policies

July 31

Final Review

FINAL EXAM: August 2, 7:00–9:59 p.m., location: TBA