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01/19/05	Class orientation, syllabus, policies		
01/21/05	History & division of disciplines in philosophy	S 5 - 18, 125 - 134	
01/24/05	Arguments and argumentation in moral philosophy	S 97 - 124	
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01/31/05	EXAM on arguments		
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02/11/05	Wilson, Against the Legalization of Drugs	B 318 -325	
02/14/05	Husak A Moral Right to Use Drugs	B 326 -333	
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02/18/05	Discussion of Chapter 6 Case Studies	B 341-349	THA 1 Due
02/21/05	Chapter 8: Freedom of Speech	B 427 -443	
02/23/05	John Stuart Mill: On Liberty	B 444 -450	
02/25/05	Lawrence III: If He Hollers Let Him Go	B 459 -467	
02/28/05	MacKinnon: Pornography, Civil Rights and Speech	B 451 -458	
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03/04/05	Discussion of Chapter 8: Case Studies	B 489 -497	
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03/14/05	Ruse, Is Homosexuality Bad Sexuality?	B 378 -384	

03/16/05	Nava and Dawidoff, The Case for Gay Marriage	B 392 -396	
03/18/05	Discussion of Chapter 7: Case Studies	B 419 -426	
03/21/05	Chapter 9: Racism and Affirmative Action	B 498 -514	
03/23/05	Johnson, To Fulfill These Rights	B 515 -518	
03/25/05	Steele, I'm Black, You're White	B 518 -522	Stage 1 Due
03/28/05	Garcia, The Heart of Racism	B 523 -534	
03/30/05	Catch up day		THA 2 Due
04/01/05	Discussion of Chapter 9: Case Studies	B 556 -562	
04/04/05	Chapter 10: Feminism, Motherhood and the Workplace	B 563 -574	
04/06/05	Beauvoir, The Second Sex	B 575 -580	Stage 2 Due
04/08/05	Dowd, Work and Family	B 599 -608	
04/11/05	Sommers, Philosophers against the family	B 589 -598	
04/13/05	Goldberg, Male Aggression and the attainment of power	B 617 -621	Stage 3 Due
04/15/05	Discussion of Chapter 10: Case Studies	B 622 -628	
04/18/05	Catch up day		
04/20/05	Chapter 12: Nonhuman Animals and the Environment	B 707- 719	Stage 4 Due
04/22/05	Regan, Moral Basis of Vegetarianism	B 720 -724	
04/25/05	Narveson, Animal Rights Revisited	B 725 -730	
04/27/05	Watson, Critique of Anti-Anthropocentric Ethics	B 759 -764	
04/29/05	Warren, Power and Promise of Ecological Feminism	B 765 -771	
05/02/05	Discussion of Chapter 12: Case Studies	B 772 -781	
05/04/05	Catch up day		Term Paper Due
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