

Textbook chapters are listed with the associated topics.

Also, consider the associated Links and References (Canvas, On-Line) provided in the class schedule.

Topics:

- **Ch 1: Introduction**

- Databases (What?, Why?, How?)
- Relational Data Model and Databases
- Database Design
- Database Architecture

- **Ch 2: Relational Algebra**

- Structure of Relational Databases
- Database Schema
- The Relational Algebra
 - Select
 - Project
 - Set Operators (union, intersection and set-difference)
 - Join
 - Cartesian Product
 - Renaming

- **Chs 3, 4 and 5: SQL**

- Overview of The SQL Query Language
- SQL Data Definition
- Keys (Super Keys, Candidate Keys, Primary key, Foreign Keys)
- Basic Query Structure of SQL Queries
 - Select, Insert, Update, Delete
- Order By
- Set Operations (Union, Intersection and Set-difference)
- Null Values
- Aggregate Functions (count, min, max, sum, avg)
- Grouping, Having Clause
- Subqueries (Nested Queries)
- Join Expressions
 - Natural (Inner) Join, Left (Outer) Join, Right (Outer) Join, Self Join
- Views
- Integrity Constraints
- SQL Data Types and Schemas
- Authorization
- Functions and Procedures
- Triggers

- **Ch 6: Database Design Using The E-R Model**
 - The Entity-Relationship Model
 - Complex and multi-value Attributes
 - Mapping Cardinalities
 - Transfer ER to Relational Schema
- **Ch 7: Relational Database Design**
 - Functional Dependencies (FDs)
 - Armstrong's Axioms (6 rules)
 - Closure algorithm, Keys, All FDs and imply a FD
 - Normalization
 - Normal Forms (1NF, 2NF, 3NF, BCNF, 4NF, 5NF)