

COP 3503 Section 201 Fall 2026 Program #1 Grading Criteria (25 points total)

1. Programming Style - 2 pts (Header Comment, Internal Comments, Use of white space, consistency, reasonable code lay out.)
2. Reads in input from standard input and outputs to standard output (2 pts)
3. Reads in all input into a reasonable data structure(s). (2 pts)
4. Uses one of the Java API classes (or more) taught in class (4 pts)
5. Test Cases - 10 pts – **Run Time Limit = 2 seconds per case**
6. Commentary File – 5 pts (**Note: if this file isn't consistent with the submission, indicating that AI or significant outside help was involved, then the grader may assign a 0.**)

If a program does not compile, max grade of 5 out of 25.