Academic Alert System: The purpose of the AAS is to improve the overall academic success of students by improving communication among students, intructors, and advisors, reducing the time required for students to be informed of their academic status, and informing students of actions necessary by them in order to meet the academic requirements in their courses. You should check your S&T e-mail account frequently for academic alerts and other course-related and adminitrative matters. See http://academicalert.mst.edu.

Disability Support Services: If you have a documented disability and anticipate needing accommodations in this course, please meet with me at the beginning of the semester. Before I can arrange for your accommodations, you will need to request that the Disabilities Services staff in 204 Norwood Hall (dss@mst.edu, 341-4211) send me a letter verifying your disability and specifying the accommodation you will require.

Academic Honesty: Academic honesty is vital to the intellectual life of the university. Students have a special obligation to be aware of and adhere to the standards of conduct as described on page 30 of the Missouri S&T Student Academic Regulations handbook:

http://registrar.mst.edu/documents/academic\_regulations2007-2008.pdf.

In particular, the handbook offers descriptions of what constitutes cheating, plagiarism, and sabotage.