After Exam I Questionnaire

Name_______________________   Chem 108 Section_________

Sept. 20, 2011       Due: Sept 27, 2011

1. Analyze your readiness for this exam:

   How much time do you estimate you have spent on Chem 110 so far?

   Do you think this was enough time and was it spread out wisely?

   Was the time spent effectively? Were you achieving understanding of the concepts
   or were you simply memorizing particular problems and then not able to apply
   concepts to similar problems on the exam?

   Did you use the resource room, the instructor, SI sessions, or other students for help?
   How helpful were the ones you used?

2a. Did you get a copy of your exam 1 score report? (This will be e-mailed to you a few days
    after the exam.) Use this report to double check your grade and to determine which
    problems you got wrong. **Attach a copy of this score report to this questionnaire.**

2b. Go over your Chem 110 exam and redo all the questions you got wrong. **Attach them to this sheet.**
    For each question, make note of why you got that question wrong. From this, analyze what prevented you from
    achieving a higher exam grade. Consider the following as well as any others you feel are appropriate to your situation:

    Didn’t understand the question. (Didn’t know what was being asked.)
    Inadequate background knowledge of basic chemistry
    Inadequate math skills
    Misinterpretation of questions on exam
    Careless errors
    Poor mental condition due to stress
    Didn’t emphasize the material in my studying

    **Note:** If you do not find your weak points now, you may make similar mistakes on the next exams.

3. After you have finished part 2, add a short summary stating what action you can take
   that might help you to avoid these problems in the future? What do you plan to do
differently for the next Chem 110 exam in order to do better? Your answer should be
concrete and specific. For example, "I will study more" is not specific enough; where,
when, and how you will study is specific.