Advice from Previous Beyond Google Students

“This class goes by really fast! So make sure you're paying attention and studying the "What you must know" pdf's. They will really help with the "quizzes" and get you lots of points. Also, even if you're getting a lot of points with the "quizzes", do a few of the other assignments too so you can stay on top. Cause some of the ‘quizzes’ are harder than you think."

"Do the bigger point opportunities every week if you want to stay ahead. Doing just a few 10 point options and then banking on the quiz for the week to be your major point generator won't really help in the long run. I would also recommend going to class every time. 40 points per week really does add up and it saves you from having to do lots of extra point opportunities in order to catch up."

“Students who will take Beyond Google should take the chance and read through the materials to learn new and helpful information about Google and writing methods that will be used in future classes. I think you should participate in every class. You will find interesting and useful things during the class. It is important to do the preview and review work in order to earn more points. Btw, the professor is really nice! Enjoy it."

“Either go to class every chance you get or do roughly 3-5 assignments a week if you really wanna stay on top of things."

“Show up to class. It was very informational, educational, and fun. Points are easy to earn if you know the answers to questions or are quick when playing Kahoot! Even though I earned more than the maximum to finish the class early, I continued to attend until the very end. Each day is a new learning experience."

“Plan out which assignments to do during a certain week, actually add up how many points that will accumulate from them to make sure they are on track.”

“Take this class. It is very informational and I learned a lot. Research is a lot easier now and I feel like I am more in control of google. My main advice is to get a lot of points when the class is first starting up so you don't have to worry about it later in the semester when all classes are giving their final projects.”
“Try every different point option at least once! Go to class, make sure you read "What You Must Know," and participate, participate, participate!”

“My advice would be to get as much done as soon as you can. It will help you out in the long run.”

"Make a routine of doing at least one big assignment every week in the beginning. That plus random small ones here and there are good ways to get large amounts of points fairly quickly. Read up on the need to know before each class even if it is just for a few minutes. This is another way. There are a lot of cool things that can be learned from the class so show up when you can. Don't stress this though. The teachers are super cool and all you need to do is show up to learn very valuable life skills that will definitely help you. Have fun with it and enjoy learning cool new things."

“I would say that just know as much work as you put in is the grade you will get. It’s entirely accurate to what you do and what you want your grade to be. I would also recommend doing all the Quizlets. It is the best way I have found to earn points. It helps you review the best and it is kind of fun.”

“Do as many extra points work as you can and always participate in any event which held in Rod Library so that you can get a number of extra credits. This class will be a fun for you and you get points just by playing games and these kinds of things and you will definitely love it.”

“Make sure to show up to class. Even by just being in class you get to review the whole syllabus covered for that week, and you can earn a lot of points in Kahoot and other class discussions and activities in class.”

“Take this seriously because it helps you with all your other classes and the professors are great.”

“Don't wait until the last minute to do weekly work.”
“Make sure that you keep up with your work. Don not just think, ‘Oh, I'll just wait until the end to make points.’ No, you want to score as many points as you can every week. Whether that be in class, or in homework get as many points as you can. It's not that hard to just get points, so just do it.”

“Get your points done early! Do the Quizlets, they are fun and easy points. Go to every class you can, easy way to earn 40-50 points per week!”

"This class is a class that you will never forget in life, but keep yourself up to date with the current and latest skills needed to surf the web. After taking this class you will be amazed what the internet is capable of doing. You will learn a handful of skills to survive major papers from the professors. Love it or hate it, this is how the world spins. Attending this class improves your skill set and it allows you to control the internet. ;)

“I would give the advice to work ahead. This class is very time consuming. As your other classes start to get harder, so does this one. So stay ahead and finish early!”

“Work hard and work ahead, those are the two aspects I utilized and it paid off. Take on the essay exercises. They may take longer to complete and may be more on the difficult side but they provide a large point value; these also provide you with the most knowledge and make you critically think. Work a week ahead when you can, being able to finish the class early should be an incentive. Work on the weekly assignments whenever you get a free moment, some of the short assignments take maybe half an hour to complete. Lastly, enjoy the class; you learn a lot of skills and they have real-world applications to them, not just use in school.”

"Go to class as much as possible. You get points for just coming to class, and you also get participation points. These are easy points, and you can learn a lot from the class discussions. Do what interests you. The class is designed with tons of opportunities, so there really is no need for you to have to do an assignment that you don't like.”

“I would recommend that future students get ahead early. It allows you to relax during your stressful weeks and possibly help you finish early. I would also recommend that they attend as many classes as possible. It's an easy way to get more points.”

"Go to class, and participate. This is an easy point opportunity. Do the 'projects' you enjoy doing. There are so many options there is no reason for you to do something you don't like."
“Get ahead! Get ahead! Get ahead! The work in Weeks 1-3 takes much less time to do than in Weeks 4-7. You should definitely study before playing Kahoot and attending class in general. There are so many class participation points that you can get! The Quizlet points are also really fun and I think the Practice options are a great way to get an overview of the week so try to do those before going to your first class of the week.”

“My advice would be to go to class and actually look over what you are talking about so that you can answer a lot of questions during class. Most classes you can easily earn 50 points if you know what you are talking about. I would also recommend doing the Quizlet option. It’s quick easy points every week.”

“My advice to future students would be to go to class and always look over the “What You Must Know” so that you can answer a lot of questions during the class period. Also for the homework options I would recommend doing the essays and the Quizlet. Both fairly easy assignments, you can earn a lot of points and the articles for the essays are pretty interesting.”

“Rack up the points early! You'll hear this a lot but it really is the best strategy for doing well. The early stuff is a bit easier to complete and it will give you a bit of a buffer for later on. Even if you don’t complete an entire project turn it in partially complete. Go to class and participate as much as you can, it's not hard to rack up big points if you come prepared on the ”What You Must Know” stuff. Overall just have fun it's a great opportunity to learn some cool tricks.”

“Show up to class and try your best to do assignments outside of class. If you show up every day and participate you will earn a lot of points and be prepared for the quizzes.”

“Get what you can done, fast! Hit up the Quizlets, take the tests in class, and if you are a good writer, do the article reviews!! I started this class late, and I have been able to catch up in no time with the relentless instructors (who I enjoy) who only want to see me succeed!! Pretty great class :) totally recommend!”

“Come to class every day. The instructors give lots of opportunities for points, but you will miss out if you aren't paying attention. If you do well on attendance, quizzes, and paying attention you will do great. Also if you do the Practice Assignment for every week you will be Golden.”
“I would like to say that the new students have to do several thing to get an A for a final grade. First, they could attend the class because it has a huge part in the grade. Also, attendance will help them to get points if there are games such as Kahoot or if they answer the questions. Doing the practice is important and improves the score a lot. Finally, trying to do Quizlets is helpful and helps to increase the points too.”

“Start the assignments early. The assignments posted for the first couple weeks are the easiest ones. Work on the Quizlets for each week, they will help with the actual in class quiz and you will be able to earn more points. Do the assignments worth more points such as the essays, they are a little longer but not difficult and then you don't have to do as many assignments. Stay ahead on the work! Dedicate one day a week to work on a couple assignments. Also Kahoot is a lot of fun.”

“My advice for future students would be not to procrastinate. Unless you're good at it and don't break under pressure. But, seriously, don't procrastinate... It's bad. If you do the practice and the Quizlet every week, you should be in good shape to get an easily earned A.”

"WORK AHEAD… It is really easy to build points. The Quizlet helped me learn the terms faster, and it was fun. The Practices are such a great way to learn the material. No matter the major, this class is a must. The knowledge gained is handy and very important to have once you reach the real world."

"Go to class. Try each of the different works. Get to know your professor. Keep up with your work."

“I would say if you would love to learn the search tricks to getting behind google, you should take this class. It is extremely stress free and has a lovely points system. “

“My advice is to stay on top of things. But I also think it is important to review the material for each week because you can earn a lot more points in class for knowing the material. Overall, do not procrastinate and take the easy points you can earn in class seriously! It will really cut down on what you would have to do on your own time if you get easy points where you can. “
“Enjoy this class! This is a fun, straightforward and pretty relaxing class but it can become stressful if you don't keep up with it! You have a lot of freedom, but with freedom also comes responsibility. I loved this class and will take away more from this class than most of my others for the semester. Learn and have fun!”

“GO TO CLASS. You'll still pass of you DON'T go, but going gets you extra points AND extra knowledge; so in the end, you can finish sooner and with more information :) Overall a really fun and wonderful class, the prof is great too. Enjoy it!”

“Take advantage of all of the point options and ask questions on what has to be done when you need help. The professors are good at telling you what has to be done and help you when you need it. The class is fun and don't make it harder than it has to be.”

“Get ahead and stay ahead. Also, make sure you show up to class and the class quizzes. Even though it doesn't seem like a lot of points, the points from class will help your overall point total add up quicker. “

“By just going to class, taking the quizzes, playing Kahoot, and getting participation points are not enough to "Graduate Early". Make sure you are taking the time to get assignments handed in! There are great quick assignments to get done for easy points! “

“Showing up to class is a simple way to earn lots of points! Also, get ahead on points early and stay ahead. It's an enjoyable class, try and get the most out of it”

“Go to class! It is easy points and the review and Kahoot is very helpful. :-) ”

“Do the larger point activities on the web page and keep track of your points. Assure that your points align with how many you need for the upcoming week. It can be difficult if you get too far behind with points.”
“Attend class regularly, as it will provide you with a solid base of points. Quizlets were my favorite way to earn additional points outside of class - quick, easy, and fun! Just make sure you're doing at least some form of work every week.”

“I would suggest to get ahead right away. I had a reason for getting behind because family stuff came up, but still get ahead as soon as possible. The tests will gradually get harder for you if you do not keep up. So keep up and make sure you stay ahead because then you can even finish early and focus on other classes when finals comes around.”

“Start off by doing at least one assignment for the first week. It doesn't have to be worth a ton of points, just something that will reward you with points so that you start the class productively. Then, as the semester progresses, just keep doing weekly assignments and you will soon find yourself right on track to either graduate early and/or finish the class with a passing grade. Don't stress yourself out with missed assignments because there are plenty of points in the class.”

“Go to class and definitely participate for more points. Super easy/ fun class if you are dedicated and don't procrastinate.”

“Please come to class, just on the points you get from this it’s possible to pass the course. Study the material, this class teaches you a lot of uses things that will help you in future classes.”

“The best advice I can give is to attend every class to earn points and keep up with your weekly points so you don't have a lot to do during finals.”

“My advice that I would give to future students in this course is to make sure that you pay attention and take what you learn in this course very serious. It's important to make sure you look over the class materials before class and to make sure you study well.”

“I would suggest you stay ahead and remember to look over the material you need to know. Also remember to pay attention, the information that is given is will come in handy!”
“Bust out as much work as you can at the beginning of the course, you will thank yourself during finals week. If I were to do it over again I would have done every essay the week that it was released and/or worked ahead. The sooner you finish this class the more you can focus on your other courses. Also enjoy playing Kahoot it’s the best way to learn the material of the course.”

“I took it my freshman year and I'm so glad I did because it's given me tools that I can use in my future classes. If you’re debating whether to take it or not. I recommend that you do and do it as soon as possible. Not only is it a GPA booster and worth a credit, but it also helps you with all your other classes. I would recommend when you are in the class don't skip because those are easy participation points that add up quickly.”

“Beyond google class is a very easy class. Make sure to understand and read through the material before starting this class. I recommend the students to do the assignment weekly and collect points as much you can. As, you will be able to finish early when you already achieve the points that you want.”

“I would advise students to use the flash card option within the QUIZLET sessions. This helped me immensely with all of my worksheets that were required for each weekly session along with preparing me for the class tests that were given weekly.”

“Go to class! I know the class may not seem that important because you do all of the work online. But trust me, going to class can help you earn easy points, and the information you learn in class makes the work you do outside of class that much easier.”