

Dear Student:

In this course you will be using MasteringAstronomy™, an online tutorial and homework companion to your textbook.

## What You Need:

- II **A valid email address**
- II **A student access code** (Comes in the Student Access Kit that may have been packaged with your new textbook or is available separately in your school's bookstore. Otherwise, you can purchase access online at [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com).)
- II **The ZIP code for your school:**     96822
- II **A Course ID:**           MAHABBAL55953           (Provided by your instructor)

## Register

- Go to [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com) and click **New Students** under Register.
- To register using the Student Access Code inside the MasteringAstronomy Student Access Kit, select **Yes, I have an access code**. Click **Continue**.

–OR– **Purchase access online:** Select **No, I need to purchase access online now**. Click **Continue**, and then follow the on-screen instructions to purchase access using a credit card. The purchase path includes registration, but the process may differ slightly from the steps printed here.

- **License Agreement and Privacy Policy:** Click **I Accept** to indicate that you have read and agree to the license agreement and privacy policy.
- Select the appropriate option under “Do you have a Pearson Education account?” and supply the requested information. Upon completion, the **Confirmation & Summary** page confirms your registration. This information will also be emailed to you for your records. You can either click **Log In Now** or return to [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com) later.

## Log In

- Go to [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com).
- Enter your Login Name and Password and click **Log In**.

## Enroll in Your Instructor's Course and/or Access the Self-Study Area

Upon first login, you'll be prompted to either:

- Enter your instructor's MasteringAstronomy Course ID and click **Save**; OR
- Select your text and **Go to Study Area** (if self-study material is available for your textbook).

Your instructor *may* also request that you enter a special Student ID for this course. If so, be sure to enter this information EXACTLY as your professor has instructed.

Congratulations! You have completed registration and have enrolled in your instructor's MasteringAstronomy course. To access your course from now on, simply go to [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com), enter your Login Name and Password, and click **Log In**. If your instructor has created assignments, you can access them by clicking on the **Assignment List** button. Otherwise, click on **Study Area** to access self-study material, if available.

## System Requirements & Support

- **To effectively use the resources on this website, check its system requirements:** Log in to [www.masteringastronomy.com](http://www.masteringastronomy.com) and click the “System requirements” link at the bottom of the home page. In particular, you may need to check that the latest version of the Flash player is available to your browser.
- **Customer Support:** <http://www.masteringastronomy.com/support>.