Failing the Lab Exam

CPE 101 syllabus states that each student must pass two out of three lab exams. Passing is defined as submitting a program that succeeds on all provided tests.

If you have not submitted a program during your lab exam, you failed the exam.

If you submitted a program, but it produced incorrect output on at least one test, you have failed the exam.

If you failed the lab exam, you have two choices.

Choice 1. Work hard to pass the remaining two lab exams.

Choice 2. Attempt to make up lab exam 1. If your attempt is successful, the failing grade for lab exam 1 will be replace with a passing grade.

Lab Exam Makeup

As CPE 101 instructors we recommend that everyone who failed the lab exam attempts to make it up.

Lab exams are designed to test your individual ability to program, and allow us to determine students who may need extra attention early on in the course. The purpose of this is to direct such students to get extra help. The make-up process is simply a way to facilitate this.

To make up Lab Exam 1 you must do the following:

1. Attend one section of CPE 105X, starting as soon as you can. You must attend CPE 105X until you pass a regularly scheduled lab exam.

2. Take a makeup lab exam. The makeup exam will be administered some time during the next two weeks, before lab exam 2 takes place. The specifics of the makeup lab exam will be determined shortly, and the exact date will be selected as not to coincide with our first midterm.
The makeup exam will be similar in structure and content to the original exam. Same material (possibly including `switch` statements) will be covered. (note: loops and other new material will be subject to subsequent regular lab exams).

A **passing grade** on the makeup exam **AND** verified by the CPE 105X instructors attendance trail until you pass a regular lab exam earns you a **passing grade** in Lab Exam 1.

GOOD LUCK!