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Announcements: The midterm has been moved to Friday. Everyone will receive one extra point for homework two because it was both assigned too early and one of the questions everyone got wrong.

- I. Types of Rules
 - a. Assimilation
 - b. Dissimilation
 - c. Deletion
 - d. Insertion
 - e. Metathesis: you switch two sounds. For example, xy becomes yx
 - i. You will not be responsible for syllable structure
- II. Languages differ in their syllable structure/ phonotactic constraints
 - a. Example: 'ski' [ski'] → [eski] in Spanish
- III. Homework Review
 - a. Not a good indication of phonemic status just because it exists, but you have to see if the sound occurs in a minimal pair. (For 5A)