Instructions to create an e-mail account in the CS department

Log in to Windows (in any of the Windows labs on the third floor) with the username/password you have (if you changed the password after the first login, use the new password).

Click on Start/Programs/Mozilla Thunderbird/Mozilla Thunderbird

That will start a Wizard to help you through the process of creating an e-mail account in the CS department.

The Wizard will ask, at various points, for your name (use your actual name), a password (the ORIGINAL password you were given with your account information - this remains for e-mail etc.)
the name of an INCOMING MAIL SERVER: earth.cs.uml.edu
the name of an OUTGOING MAIL SERVER: smtp.cs.uml.edu
A choice between IMAP or POP accounts: choose IMAP

Once you are through with the Wizard, you will probably fail to connect.

On the top menubar, open Tools/Account Settings.
When the dialog opens, in the left window choose Server Settings.
In the dialog that appears, in the Security Settings area, choose SSL (this provides security).
Click OK until you are finished with the dialogs, close Mozilla Thunderbird and restart it.

Send me a test email to giam@cs.uml.edu from this account before midnight Feb. 2, 2007. This will count for 2 points towards your final grade.

For on-line information you can check:

http://www.cs.uml.edu/cs_infrastructure/cs_email_connectivity.html
   This contains the various servers you need to use when setting up an email client through the CS department.

http://www.uml.edu/it/shared/EMail.html
This is IT's instructions on how to setup the university email (first_last@student.uml.edu) on various Windows/Other OS email client programs.