

Biology B: 3rd Trimester

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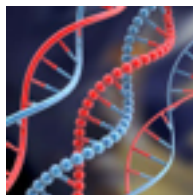
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Course Description

Biology is a combination of a traditional classroom (lecture, book work, class labs, written assessments) and project activities (group labs, research, presentations, models). Students will work individually and in groups to understand the principles of Biology.

Units

Genetics
Classification/Changes Through Time
Human Systems/Disease



Grading System

Tests	30%
Quizzes	20%
Assignments/Labs	30%
Final Exam	20%

Grading/Absences

1. All work will be graded on actual point value. No curve grading.
2. For each excused absence, two extra days will be allowed to make up work assigned on the day missed. Missed tests or quizzes must be made up the day you return (not during class time).
3. Daily late assignments are worth 50% of the value. Projects that are turned in late will drop one full grade for each day late. TURN assignments in on TIME!
4. For school related absences, you must make arrangements for missed work prior to the absence. Check with me ahead of time!
5. For any student that is caught cheating in class, a ZERO will be given for a grade, and the student will serve a Wednesday night detention.

General Guidelines

1. No food or drink is allowed in the classroom (water is the exception).
2. Come to class prepared and ready to learn.
3. Be respectful to others and to the materials in the classroom.
4. Have Fun!

Course Materials

A 3-ring binder is **strongly** recommended



I have read the Biology syllabus and understand the class set up.

Student signature

Date

Parent/Guardian signature

Date