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Human Biology 11 Course Outline

The purpose of Human Biology 11 is to introduce students to the biology of the human body in order to understand its systems and how they are inter-related. The importance of making healthy lifestyle choices will be emphasized throughout the course. As well, students are provided opportunities to examine socially pertinent health and ethical issues and careers related to each unit of study.

Assessment and Evaluation:

Both teacher and student learn from assessment. The teacher learns what further instruction a student needs; the student learns their strengths, their challenges and what must be done to improve. As such, HBIO11 will make use of both formative and summative assessments in the form of hands-on activities, assignments, projects, labs, tests, homework, and group work.

Late Assessments:

Students are responsible for completing assignments by specified due dates so that teachers can provide timely feedback. A due date is given for each assignment. If the student does not hand in the assignment on the due date, the student may consult with the teacher regarding a possible alternate due date. This must be done in a timely manner. If the alternate due date is granted but not met, the student will have missed the opportunity to demonstrate achievement towards the outcomes and the student's grade will be affected.

Missed Work During Absences:

If a student misses one or more classes due to illness, travel, sports, extracurricular activities, etc., the following process will be followed:

1. Upon returning to school, the student is responsible to contact the teacher to find out what work was missed.
2. The student is responsible for obtaining notes for missed classes and completing all work that was done on the day(s) missed.
3. If an assignment was due, or a test/quiz was to be written on the day of the absence, the student will hand in the assignment or write the test/quiz on the **first day back** to school, provided that the missed day was an **excused absence**.
4. If an assignment was given on the day of the absence, the student should contact the teacher to determine the deadline for handing in the missed assignment.
5. If a lab is missed, make up labs will be scheduled **at lunch on the Thursday** following the missed lab.

Curriculum Outcomes:

Human Biology 11 consists of eight units of study, shown below along with the values that each unit comprises toward the 80% term mark. The remaining 20% will be the final examination.

Intro to Human Biology (15%): Characteristics of Living Things, Cells, and Levels of Organization

Skeletal System (10%): Bones and Joints

Muscular System (10%): Muscles and Movement

Integumentary System (15%): Skin and Sweat Glands

Digestive System (15%): Digestion and Nutrition

Circulatory System (15%): Circulation, Blood, and Blood Types

Respiratory System (10%): Respiration and Gas Exchange

Reproductive System (10%): Reproduction in Males/Females

To view a more detailed listing of the Curriculum Outcomes for Human Biology 11, please go to:
<http://tonen.ca/human-biology/human-biology-documents/>