

Bio. 204-Cellular & Organismic Biology
MWF 9:00-9:50 or TR 9:30-10:50
3 semester credits, Rm H 17
Chaminade University of Honolulu
3140 Waiialae Avenue
Honolulu, Hawaii 96816

Spring 2002
January 14, 2002 to
May 9, 2002
Instructors:
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COURSE OUTLINE AND SYLLABUS

TEXT:

Campbell, Neil A., Jane B. Reece, and Lawrence G. Mitchell
1999 (5th ed.) Biology. Benjamin Cummings, Menlo
Park, CA.

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Biology 204 is a 3-credit introductory biological science course for those students desiring advanced studies in the sciences, e.g. biology, forensic science, medicine, dentistry, environmental health, and other areas. It is preceded by Biology 203 in the fall semester.

The following is from the 2000-2001 *General Catalog*:

Concepts of cellular and molecular biology stressed in first semester; second semester devoted to organisms stressing phylogenetic, ecological, and genetic relationships in plants and animals. Recommended for science majors. Offered annually. Recommended: one year each of high school biology and chemistry. Concurrent registration in BI 203L-BI 204L required.

AIMS/GOALS OF THE COURSE: This course is designed to fulfill the following goals:

- To present the basic concepts and principles of biology for use in the present and for future courses.
2. To prepare the student to continue into advanced biology or related fields, such as biochemistry.
3. To examine and analyze specific content areas, such as molecular or cellular biology, evolution, genetics, physiology, and related areas of biochemistry and biophysics. Cellular biology will be stressed during the first semester (Bi 203) while organismal biology, based on organ systems, will be emphasized in the second semester (Bi 204).
4. To study the organisms included in the botanical and zoological fields emphasizing Hawaiian flora and fauna.

AIMS/GOALS OF THE COURSE CONT'D...

5. To impart an understanding of the accomplishments, failures, ambiguities, and the future of the biological sciences drawing on examples and applications of principles in the area of marine sciences, biomedical sciences and other disciplines.

OBJECTIVES FOR STUDENTS: At the completion of the course, the student will be able to do the following:

1. Identify biological structures, such as organs, and understand their anatomy and physiology.
2. Use anatomy and physiology terminology.
3. Identify representative flora and fauna, especially of Hawaii.
4. Understand the diversity of organisms including diversity, evolution, and phylogeny.
5. Understand how organismal systems are related to each other and cellular level processes.
6. Understand ecological relationships between organisms and environment.
7. Learn about genetic processes affecting the organism including gene regulation.

LECTURES:

1. Lectures are either 50 minutes duration, three times per week or one hour and twenty minutes duration, twice per week for approximately 15 weeks. Lectures are accompanied by a single laboratory period of 3 hours duration per week.
2. Text assignments and lecture topics are listed in the course outline. Consult the outline for assignments, announced quizzes and exam dates, and holidays.
3. Supplemental readings may be assigned during the course of the semester.

LECTURES CONT'D...

4. Supplemental reference texts are on reserve in the library at the front desk and will include study guides with sample exam questions. These may be used for additional readings, references for lab reports, or for an alternative approach to your text. Please complete required assignments before using supplemental references.
5. Adjustments may be made to the lecture outline, such as changes in exam dates, or assignments due to conference trips, or announced university activities.

GRADE DETERMINATION:

1. Separate grades will be given for lecture and laboratory. It is therefore, possible to receive different grades for lecture and laboratory.
2. Quizzes, both announced and unannounced, will be given during the semester. At the end of the semester, the student may substitute the total quiz score average, based on 100%, for one of the lower scored lecture exams, not including the final exam.
3. Each student will submit 5 summaries of current events in biology. Each summary will be worth 10 points and instructions and requirements for the written summaries are given on a separate page. Summaries will be included as a portion of the lecture grade.
4. The lecture grade will be determined in the following manner.

1st lecture exam	100 pts.	<u>Scale</u>
2nd lecture exam	100 pts.	A = 90%
3rd lecture exam	100 pts.	B = 80%
5 summaries @ 10 pts.	50 pts.	C = 70%
Two Hour Comprehensive Final Exam	150 pts.	D = 50%
		F = below 50%
	500 pts. total	

5. Lecture exams will include 10 extra credit points each, while the final exam will **not include extra credit points.** The final examination is a two hour comprehensive exam.
6. Any exam that the student fails to complete at the expected time can be made up only with a physician's excuse or valid reason to be determined by the instructor.

POLICIES, CLASS STANDING, OFFICE HOURS, AND EXTRA HELP :

1. Attendance is mandatory for each lecture and laboratory. Attendance will be monitored as required for federal guidelines. Attendance for laboratory is especially important and unexcused absences for both lecture and laboratory will result in grade penalties to be determined by the instructor.
2. Quizzes missed can not be made up. In cases of an excused absence, the missed quiz will not count.
3. Incompletes and early exams are not given. Extra credit work is not normally permitted.
4. Students may obtain their grades any time by consulting the instructor. Those with deficient grades will be notified prior to the withdrawal deadline of April 8, 2002. Students receiving deficiencies must consult with the instructor.
5. Peer tutoring is available. Please consult the instructor for tutoring from the Learning Center or upperdivision biology students.
6. The instructors' office is in Henry Hall, Rm 16, with Iwamoto's phone 735-4808, fax (808) 739-4618, e-mail=riwamoto@chaminade.edu and with Lee-Robinson's phone 735-4804, fax (808) 739-4618, e-mail=leerobin@hawaii.edu. Office hours are posted on the door of the office. If you can not see us during office hours, please make an appointment or see us after lecture.
6. Please note that it is biology department policy to reduce grades by one grade level for late assignments within 24 hours of the deadline and a F grade is recorded for assignments later than 24 hours. This is for summaries, lab reports, and all assignments.
8. Those students with special needs, e.g., learning disabilities, should consult with the instructor during the first or second week of classes.
9. Academic dishonesty including cheating, plagiarism, and other serious offenses, such as giving answers to another student will not be tolerated. Appropriate action will be taken.
10. Because electronic devices, such as cellular phones and pagers, can be disruptive to normal classroom activities, please turn off these devices during class.

NEW TEXT SUPPLEMENTS:

1. Several study guides will be placed in the library on closed reserve exclusively for student use.
2. Each purchased text includes an interactive study partner CD-ROM with interactive exercises, animations, lab, and simulations keyed to the text. Included are a glossary and 20 test questions per chapter, feedback for answers, and page references for studying.
3. A text related web resource, *The Biology Place* is available to students with web links, interactive learning activities, current research news, and customized practice exams keyed to the 5th edition.
4. On-line labs have also been included with the customized lab manual. These may be used during the instructors conference trip or as extra credit.
5. The publishers have also announced that tutoring will be available in the spring through their offices. The instructors will announce if this occurs.

CELLULAR & ORGANISMIC BIOLOGY SUMMARIES

Cellular & Organismic Biology Summaries:

1. The objectives of the summaries are threefold:
 - a. To read and report on current topics in biology;
 - b. To offer an alternative to quizzes and examinations; and
 - c. To participate in university efforts to strengthen writing in the university curricula. This should help you develop the ability to research and write about selected topics.
2. There will be five, one to two paged summaries. Each summary will be worth 10 points and the total will be 50 points that are counted in the lecture, grade.
3. The summaries must be from a 2001 or 2002 publication of a newspaper, magazine, journal, or internet/web pages which must be pertinent to the biology field, e.g., not geology or chemistry.
4. Summaries are to be word processed or typed following university writing standards. The summary must include: author, title of article; title of journal, magazine, or newspaper with titles of sources, e.g., newspapers italicized or underlined; date of publication; page number(s). Please use the following for web site publications from the APA format:

Author, I. (Date). Title of Article. Name of Periodical (Online), XX. Available: Specify path (<URL>date accessed).

Example: Mestel, R. (March 1999). Drugs from the Sea. Discover, Vol. 20 No. 3. Available: <http://www.discover.com> 99/drugs.html, Date accessed 3/8/99.
5. Please submit a xerox copy or internet/web page print out of the article with your summary. If you utilize National Geographic or Time articles, you need not xerox the article as the instructors have subscriptions to the above.
6. Due dates for summaries are listed on the course outline. Please submit summaries on time as there are penalties for lateness, reduction in one grade level for submission within 24 hours of the deadline and F for those after 24 hours of the deadline.
7. Examples of summaries are available for examination during the first weeks of classes.

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A paper must adhere to conventional standards for written expression.

- a) It should be free of errors in spelling, punctuation, capitalization and grammar.
- b) The vocabulary and syntax should be appropriate to the assignment.
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SESSION: SPRING 2002
On Campus

COURSE OUTLINE-SUBJECT TO CHANGE

BIO 20401 3 Crs) Cellular & Organismic Biology_ Mr. R. Iwamoto
Dept. No. #Crs. Title Instructor

WEEK	DATE	ASSIGNMENTS	
	JAN 14 M	Introduction: Syllabus & Course Outline	
1	16 W	Mitosis and Meiosis	Chapt. 12 pp. pp. 206-223, Chapt. 13 pp. 224-238
	18 F	Mendelian Genetics	Chapt. 14 pp. 239-260, Chapt. 15 pp. 261-277
	JAN 21 M	Martin Luther King Jr. & Father Chaminade Holiday, no classes	
	22 T	Last Day to Drop/Add Classes	
	23 W	Mendelian Genetics & Gene Structure	Chapt. 16 pp. 278-293
2	25 F	How a Gene Works	Chapt. 17 pp- 294-318 QUIZ
	JAN 28 M	How a Gene Works & Gene Regulation	Chapt. 19 pp. 344-363
3	30 W	Gene Regulation & Technology	Chapt. 20 pp. 364-387
	FEB 1 F	Taxonomy and Phylogenetic Systematics	SUMMARY ONE DUE Chapt. 25 pp. 464-487
	FEB 4 M	FIRST LECTURE EXAM, CHAPTS. 12-17, 19-20	
4	6 W	Diversity of Plants and Animals	Skim Chaps. 28, 29, 31, 33 & 34, Hand-outs
	8 F	Diversity of Plants and Animals	

5	FEB 11 M	Animal Evolution/Phylogeny	Chapt. 32 pp. 589-598
	13 W	Plant Evolution & Phylogeny	Chapt. 29 pp. 546-560, Chapt. 30 pp. 561-573
	15 F	Plant Structure	Chapt. 35 pp. 668-694
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	FEB 18 M	President's Day Holiday, no classes	
	FEB 20 W	Plant Structure & Growth	
	22 F	Animal Structure	Chapt. 40 pp. 776-791 SUMMARY 2 DUE
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	FEB 25 M	Plant Nutrition	Chapt. 37 pp. 714-729
7	27 W	Animal Nutrition	Chapt. 41 pp. 792-810
	MAR 1 F	Digestion	
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	MAR 4 M	Digestion	
8	6 W	SECOND LECTURE EXAM, CHAPTS. 25, 28-35, 40	
	8 F	Plant Circulation	Chapt. 36 pp. 695-713
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9	MAR 11 M	Plant Circulation	
	13 W	Animal Respiration	Chapt. 42 pp. 811-839
	15 F	Respiration	
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	MAR 18 M	Circulation	Chapt. 43 pp. 840-864 QUIZ
10	20 W	Circulation	SUMMARY 3 DUE
	22 F	Immunology	
11	MAR 25-29	Spring Recess, no classes	

12	APR 1 M	Excretion	Chapt. 44 pp. pp. 865-892
	3 W	Excretion & Plant Reproduction	Chapt. 38 pp. 730-750
	5 F	Plant Reproduction	
13	APR 8 M	LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW WITHOUT GRADE PENALTY Animal Reproduction	Chapt. 46 pp. 913-935
	10 W	THIRD LECTURE EXAM, CHAPTS. 36, 37, 41-44	
	12 F	Animal Development	Chapt. 47 pp. 936-959
14	APR 15 M	Nervous System	Chapt. 48 pp. 960-991 SUMMARY 4 DUE
	17 W	Nervous System	
	19 F	Nervous System	QUIZ
15	APR 22 M	Nervous System: Senses	Chapt. 49 pp. 992-1023
	24 W	Plant Hormones	Chapt. 39 pp. 751-77
	26 F	Animal Hormones	Chapt. 45 pp. 893-912
16	APR 29 M	Animal Hormones	Chapt. 24 pp. 446-463 & Chapt. 25 pp. 464-472
	MAY 1 W	Evolution	SUMMARY 5 DUE
	3 Th	Ecology	Chapt. 50 pp. 1026-1052
17	FINAL EXAMINATION: MAY 6, 2001 MONDAY, 10:30-12:30 AM, HENRY HALL RM 17, TWO-HOUR COMPREHENSIVE FINAL EXAMINATION		

Important Dates:

***January 22, Tuesday, Last Day to Add/Drop
April 8, Monday, Last Day to Withdraw from Class, Last Day to
Declare Credit/No Credit Option
May 6-9, Monday-Thursday, Final Examination Week***

COURSE SYLLABUS AND OUTLINE

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4. To observe, identify, and discuss plants and animals, both living and preserved, of Hawaiian and introduced species;
5. To learn structure and function of cells, tissues, and organs by microscopic viewing, preserved specimens, and dissections.

Objectives for Students: At the completion of the course, the student will be able to do the following:

1. apply the Scientific Method to observable phenomenon,
2. identify endemic, indigenous, and exotic organisms,
3. properly use and explain the function of dichotomous keys,
4. take ecological measurements using specialized equipment,
5. identify dissection equipment and terminology,

6. identify different organs in dissection specimens like fetal pig,
7. identify similar functional organs systems in different animals
8. identify muscular, nervous, and skeletal structures,
9. identify plant and animal reproductive systems,
10. identify animal behavior terminology and patterns.

Laboratory preparation, outline, and attendance:

1. preparation of laboratory assignments listed on the lab outline by the student prior to the laboratory is essential for successful completion of the laboratory.
2. The laboratory outline is a tentative outline and adjustments may be made with topics omitted or added. Assignments in the laboratory manual are listed in the outline.
3. Handout sheets listed on the outline refer to assignments ~~not in~~ the lab manual. The handouts are given in class prior to laboratory and are procedures and instructions for the laboratory.
4. Attendance is mandatory for the laboratory. Laboratory absences, with a valid reason to be determined by the instructor, must be made up. Unexcused absences will result in the lowering of the final grade by one letter grade level for each unexcused lab absence.

Laboratory notebook:

1. All students will be required to maintain a bound laboratory notebook into which ALL laboratory information and data is to be entered. Lab notebooks will be checked from time to time and graded.
2. The notebooks must be bound with non-tear out pages. Spiral notebooks are unacceptable, as are three hole folder paper.
3. The format and grading of lab notebooks are given on a separate handout. Please follow the format including a table of contents with dates, topics, and page numbers.
4. Notebooks are due at the time of the lab exams. Notebooks that are one day late will be penalized by one grade level and no credit will be given for lateness beyond one day. This is the Biology Department policy on late notebooks and papers.

Laboratory Reports:

1. The format and grading of laboratory reports are included in a separate handout.
2. The procedures for the late lab reports is the same as in #4 above.

Grade Determination:

1. Separate grades will be given for lecture and laboratory. It is therefore possible to receive different grades for lecture and laboratory.
2. The instructor does not curve grades or grade scores. Grades will be determined according to the scale used in lecture.
3. There will be two lab practical examinations with each consisting of station questions. Station questions are those questions in which the student has one minute to identify the organism under a microscope, relate a function of a structure, explain a graph, relate an objective to a specific laboratory, or demonstrate how an instrument functions. Each exam

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will include material completed prior to the exam; the second exam will include material covered since the midterm exam.

4. There will be both announced and unannounced quizzes. Makeup quizzes will not be given.
5. Incomplete grades, early exams, and late exams are not given.
6. The laboratory grade will be determined in the following manner:

1st lab exam	100 points
2nd lab exam	100 points
Two lab reports Q 25 points each	50 points
Quizzes and position paper	50 points
Lab notebook	50 points
Total	350 points

Class standing, office hours, and extra help:

1. Students may obtain their grades at any time by consulting with the instructor. Students with D or F grades will receive deficiency notices. It is recommended that students receiving deficiency notices make an appointment to see the instructor.
2. Office hours are listed on our office doors. We are also available by appointment.
3. Tutoring services are available through the Chaminade University Learning Center. The Biology Department provides upper-class students majoring in biology as tutors. Please contact the instructor regarding availability of tutoring services.

LABORATORY NOTEBOOK

Previous experiences have **demonstrated** that **compilation** of observations, data collection, calculations, and reporting of results is a **problem** for **many** scientists and students. To **avoid** repetition of previous difficulties, i.e., lost, **uninterpretable**, **unrecorded** ("he took it I didn't"), at **dissolved** by **water or chemicals** date, purchase a bound (**non-spiral**, non-tear out page) type of laboratory notebook. The **following** procedures are to be **followed** in your notebook.

1. All observations, data, calculations, laboratory notes, and lab related materials must be entered **directly** into **the** notebook. Neatness is not a **prerequisite**, but it is a **necessity** that notes be legible to you.
2. **An** index or table of contents is required and includes the **following**:
a) date of exercise, b) topic, and e) page **numbers** in the lab book.
3. Number the pages **in** your notebook if **unnumbered**. Uneven **numbered** pages are used for field data, or original observations, rough calculations, and **unorganized** materials. Even **numbered** pages are used for **organized summaries**, answers to questions, and conclusions.
4. Drawings are mandatory with. **identification** of structures and organism. **Specific characteristics** differentiating the specimen **from** others should be noted for later use, i.e., studying for identification questions on **exams**.
5. Since recopying of notes is discouraged, **notebooks** should be presentable' with **information** completed to the current lab period. Notebooks will be **examined without** previous notice to determine progress.
6. Grading of notebooks is based on 1) organization- **inclusion** of all assigned works, table of contents, labeling and identification of **structures** and **specimens** in drawings, and completeness of data collected and 2) **interpretations-observations** in exercises, completeness /correct **answers** to questions asked, conclusions drawn, and error analysis.

Hints:

1. Record **everything and anything in the beginning**. With **time** an **experience** you will learn what, **how**, and why to record **information** with your **own** shorthand that will allow greater **freedom** in **recording** and interpreting.
2. **Immediately** after **obtaining** data and completing **observations**, review and **organize** them. **Remember that time** is the ally of forgetfulness.
3. Use writing material **that** is waterproof and streak proof.
4. Do not depend on "the other person" to take your notes, especially when working in group type **experiments** and exercises or field trips.
5. Lab **hand-outs**, review articles, supplemental information, and completed lab reports can be affixed to your notebook. References used should definitely be included with **name(s)** of author(s), title, year, and **volume/page numbers**.
6. **When** the instructor presents information, especially at the **beginning** of the lab period, write copious notes. Often lab exam questions and **significant information** for successful completion of lab exercises are contained in the beginning briefing.

FORMAT AND PROCEDURES FOR LABORATORY REPORTS**FORMAT:**

1. **Title** A title explains to the reader what the report contains. A title should not be so general that it does not specify what the experiment is, i.e., "osmosis." Neither should the title be so long that it tells everything, i.e., "Osmosis using dialysis bags containing 1.2M sucrose placed in isotonic, hypertonic, and hypotonic solutions with iodine added to determine porosity of the membrane." Be creative and imaginative to attract the interest of the reader. Do not use the title on the laboratory hand-out or from the laboratory text.
2. **Abstract:** An abstract is a brief, one-paragraph summary of the results of the experiment. Some investigators include short sentences on the purposes or objectives of the experiment. It precedes the introduction with single spacing, and is indented. Identify your abstract by placing the word, abstract, before the paragraph.
3. **Introduction:** This portion includes a full discussion of the objectives of the experiment. It also includes the biological concepts or principles on which the experiment is based and what is expected in the experiment. Some writers include a brief review of evidence from previous experiments or known information derived from previous testing.
4. **Methods and Materials:** Methods, techniques, equipment/supplies used are included in this portion. You may be brief by stating: "Please refer to the methods and materials as given in the lab hand-out or lab manual." You must include 1.) a description of the control and why such a control was utilized and 2) explanations of deviations from the expected procedures
5. **Experimental Data:** Consolidate your data into tables and graphs. Use the following format: 1) Table 1. "Title of Table." and 2) Fig. 1. "Title of Figure (graph). Units must be included. Calculations may be included in this section which precedes the discussion section.
6. **Discussion:** This portion discusses and explains the results of the research. It includes a comparison of the results to the theoretical principles and what was expected. Error analysis or plausible reasons for deviations must be included. Concentrate on errors of experimental design and instrumentation and do not rely solely on technique errors, i.e., "the investigator titrated the wrong volume or did not obtain the correct weight." Answers - to questions asked by the experiment are included in this section, i.e., questions asked on hand-out sheets.

Conclusions: An optional portion in which the investigator assesses the experiment by listing in short sentences the results.

Literature Cited or Used: A part of the report comparable to a bibliography that cites works of others used in the report. You must cite works of others even if direct quotes were not used or you are guilty of plagiarism. If direct quotes are used, follow standard English procedures. Be consistent with references, e.g. author's last name first, initials, year, title in quotes if journal or underlined if text, volume, page numbers, and publisher if text.

FORMAT AND PROCEDURES FOR LABORATORY REPORTS CONT'D...

1. Laboratory reports are separate papers that are not written into the laboratory notebook.
2. Word processed or typed reports are mandatory.
3. Reports are due on dates listed in the laboratory outline and those laboratories requiring reports are so indicated in the laboratory outline.
4. Two references, other than the laboratory manual, hand-out, or text, are required and are usually used in the introduction section.
5. It is expected that correct English grammar, spelling, and syntax be used in reports. Points will be deducted for incorrect usage of English.
6. Length of papers is not to exceed 6 pages double spaced with the exception of the abstract and does not include a reference and title page.
7. On occasions that require that data from the entire laboratory section be pooled or used, it is the student's responsibility to obtain the results. Obtain the results during the laboratory period and do not wait till the following day or next laboratory.
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TENTATIVE COURSE OUTLINE

WEEK	DATE	TOPICS	ASSIGNMENTS
	1/15-1/17	Introduction: Syllabus, Outline, Procedures Microscopy	Handouts Manual: Topic 2: pp. 11-17; 21 Atlas: p. 2 Handouts
		Classification & Dichotomous Keys on algae, fish, invertebrates	
	1/22-1/24	Classification, diversity of plants and animals	Manual: p.18-20; Topic 12: pp. 97-102 Atlas: Chs. 3, 7
	1/29-1/31	Kaloko Cove Estuary Field Trip: Estuarine & Tidepool Ecology, Adaptations of Endemic & Coastal Plants, Measurements of pH (pH meter), temperature, and salinity (refractometer) ONE PAGE POSITION PAPER DUE ON FEB. 12 & 14 ON DEVELOPMENT OF EAST OAHU COASTLINE (10 PTS.)	Handouts
	2/5-2/7	Soil Tests for pH and Plant Nutrients, Demonstration of the Bomb Calorimeter Computerized Diet Analysis of Students' Dietary Intake QUIZ ON KALOKO COVE	Handouts
	2/12-2/14	Digestive System: Begin Fetal Pig Dissection. Digestive structures: Dissection of <i>Lumbricus</i> (earthworm), demos of molluscan radula, echinoderm Aristotle's lantern, baleen from whales, and <i>Squalus</i> (dogfish shark) spiral valve DEVELOPMENT OF EAST OAHU COASTLINE PAPER DUE	Manual: Topic 28, pp. 237-243 Atlas: pp. 118-119, 128,163-166;199-205 Handouts

2/19-2/21	<p>Oxygen Consumption Experiment: Winkler Oxygen Titration Method of Determining Oxygen Consumption in Fish and Crayfish Respiratory system: Dissection of Fetal Pig Demonstrations of Respiratory structures: gills, trachea, spiracles and stoma LAB REPORT DRAFT DUE 2/26 & 2/28</p>	<p>Handouts Manual: Topic 28, pp. 240-241 Atlas: pp. 125, 199-205</p>
2/26-2/28	<p>Waikiki Aquarium and/or Honolulu Zoo OXYGEN CONSUMPTION DRAFT DUE FINAL OXYGEN CONSUMPTION REPORT DUE 3/19 & 3/21</p>	<p>Handouts</p>
3/5-3/7	<p>MIDTERM LABORATORY EXAM</p>	
3/12-3/14	<p>Plant Respiration and Circulation Circulatory System: Dissection of 'Fetal Pig, Blood Cells, blood Pressure Measurement (Sphygmomanometer), Chemical Effects on Hearts</p>	<p>Manual: Topic 28 pp. 243-247, 251-257 Atlas: pp. 9-10, pp. 158-162, 199-205</p>
3/19-3/21	<p>Volume Regulation with Sea Hares and Crabs Excretory and Reproductive Systems: Dissection of Fetal Pig Demonstrations of flame cells of Planaria and Dissection of Malpighian tubules of grasshopper OXYGEN CONSUMPTION LAB DUE VOLUME REGULATION LAB REPORT DUE 4/10 & 4/12</p>	<p>Handouts Manual: Topic 28, pp. 247-250; Topic 36, pp. 331-333; pp. 166-168 Atlas :pp. 125, 199-205</p>
3/25-3/29	<p>SPRING BREAK- NO CLASSES</p>	
4/2-4/4	<p>Plant Reproduction: Cone, Flowers, Fruits and Seeds Contraceptive Devices: IUD, Sponge, Condom, Other Types, Sea Urchin Fertilization & Embryology</p>	<p>Handouts Manual: Topic 34: pp. 303-316; Topic 35, pp. 317-330, Atlas: pp. 22, 96-98, 169- 171</p>

13	4/8	LAST DAY TO WITHDRAW/ LAST DAY FOR CREDIT/NO CREDIT	
	4/9-4/11	Nervous System: Dissection of Sheep Brain, Model of Brain, Ear, Eye, and Skeletal-Muscular System, Rabbit Psoas Muscle Experiment	Manual: Topic 30, p.259-268: Topic 35: p. 269-280 Handouts
		VOLUME REGULATION LAB REPORT DUE	Atlas: pp. 10, 11, 13, 15, 141-157
14	4/16-4/18	Area State Park Hike: Tropical Forest and Freshwater Habitats Use of photometer, sling psychrometer, and transect methods	Handouts
15	4/23-4/25	Animal Behavior: Taxis and kinesis behavior, agonistic display, Mimosa and Hermit crab behavior Dissection of Crab, Clam and Starfish	Manual: Topic 24, pp. 193-194;197-205 Handouts Atlas: pp. 113-114; 126-127
16	4/30-5/1	FINAL LABORATORY EXAM LAB NOTEBOOKS ARE DUE	