Biology Syllabus



Complete each of the assignments in each section in the order listed. Lab activities may be added as you progress through the units.

All chapters and page numbers listed are for *Holt Biology: Principles and Explorations*, 2001 edition

Vocabulary assignments must be completed on Frayer diagrams. All other assignments are to be completed on your own paper unless noted otherwise.

Unit Assignments are different for each unit, and are available from your instructor

Unit exams can be taken on paper, but may be available online. All exams must be completed during class time

Lab Safety Module

Complete if needed

Unit 1: Biodiversity and Change

Chapter 13: p 275-294 and Chapter 15: p 319-330

Vocabulary:

- Adaptation
- Evolution
- Natural selection
- Competition

VestigialClassification

Speciation

- Dichotomous key

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

Unit 2: Interdependence

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Chapter 17: p 359-374 and Chapter 18: p 381-398

Vocabulary:

- Population
- Autotroph
- Heterotroph
- Herbivore
- Carnivore

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

Unit 3: Flow of Matter and Energy

Chapter 5: p 93-110

Vocabulary

- Aerobic
- Anaerobic
- Cellular respiration
- Photosynthesis
- Fermentation
- Glycolysis

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

- Omnivore
- Symbiotic relationship
- Succession
- Producer
- Consumer

- Kreb's cycle
- Electron transport chain
- ATP



Unit 4: Chemistry of Life

Chapter 2: p 27-42

Vocabulary

- Protein _
- Carbohydrate _
- Lipid -
- Nucleic acid _
- Enzyme _

Substrate _

- Reactant _
- Product -
- Monomer _
- Polymer _

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

Unit 5: Cell Structures and Processes

Chapter 3: p 49-66 and Chapter 4: p 73-86



Vocabulary

- Organelle -
- Hypertonic
- Isotonic _
- Hypotonic _
- _
- Endocytosis

- Exocytosis -
- Diffusion
- Osmosis -
- Active transport -
- Passive transport _

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

Unit 6: Heredity and Genetics

Chapters 6-10 (pieces of each)

Vocabulary

- DNA
- RNA
- Transcription
- Translation
- Genotype

- PhenotypeHomozygous
- Heterozygous
- Meiosis
- Mitosis

Unit Assignment

Unit Exam

Biology AYP/ EOC Review

Biology AYP/ EOC

This exam is given only in December and again in May

