

Valdosta State University
Organismal Biology – BIO 1030 Section A
CRN: 81236
TR 3:30-4:45
Bailey Center 1011

Course Description: An introduction to modern biology for the nonmajor with special emphasis on the processes involved in the development and maintenance of complex multicellular organisms.
-Co-requisite BIOL 1040L

Prerequisites: NA
Fall 2013

Professor: Dr. Matthew Waters

Office Location: Bailey 1106

Office Hours: Tuesday and Thursday 10-11 and 2:30-3:15. These are my officially scheduled office hours; however, you may stop by my office **at any time**; however, if you email ahead of time we can schedule a time to meet. If I am not in my office during office hours, check my lab in Bailey 1055 down the hallway across from my office.

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FINAL COURSE GRADE

Grading Scale: A = 89.5-100%
B = 79.5-89.49%
C = 69.5-79.49%
D = 59.5-69.49%
F = < 59.49%

ATTENDANCE POLICY:

- At VSU, attendance is mandatory for at least 80% of the classes. If you miss over 20% of the classes, I reserve the right to remove you with a failing grade.
- If you miss class, see a classmate for what you missed.
- Missed assignments
Quizzes *will not* be made up after class

Missed Tests:

ADA POLICY:

Chapter	Topic (<i>Tentative</i>)	Number of Lectures
2	The Chemistry of Life	2
3	A tour of the cell	1
4	The energy of life	2
*****EXAM 1 *****		
6	Respiration	2
5	Photosynthesis	2
7	DNA and Gene Function	2-3
*****EXAM 2 *****		
8	Mitosis and the Cell Cycle	2
9	Meiosis	2
10	Genetics	2
*****EXAM 3 *****		
22	Plant Function	1
24-25	Animal Tissues and nerves	1
28-29	Muscles, blood and oxygen	1
30-31	Digestion and gas exchange	1
*****EXAM 4 *****		