

Lecture: 9:00—9:50 AM M-W-F, BSC 1011

Note that, because of social distancing requirements, only ~45 people are allowed in the classroom at one time. Consequently, the class will be divided in half (Group 1 = all of section A and half of section B; Group 2 = all of section C and the other half of section B); one group will attend class one day, the other half the next day, and we will continue to alternate like this through the entire semester. Given this arrangement, there will be no traditional lectures during class time. Instead, class will be “flipped” with all the material from each chapter of the text available within Blazeview as narrated Kaltura Capture videos. Class time will be devoted to going over any questions you may have about the material in the videos. During class you also will take a series of non-graded practice exams based on the videos you should have watched, as well as graded quizzes covering this same material (see the schedule below for topics to be covered each day and which group meets each day).

VSU Face Mask Policy: Current policy is that you must wear a face mask while inside buildings on campus. This includes attendance for lecture and lab. If you do not wear a mask, (a) a disposable one-use mask will be provided to you, or (b) you will be asked to leave the lecture or lab room. If you refuse to wear a mask and will not leave the room, the entire class will be dismissed immediately. You will still be responsible for the material that would have been covered during the lecture or lab period.

Lab:

Section A: 10:00 – 11:50 AM, Thursdays, BSC 1203

Section B: 2:00 – 3:50 PM, Thursdays, BSC 1203

Section C: 11:00 AM– 12:50 PM, Fridays, BSC 1203

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COURSE WEB SITE: All course materials are available in Blazeview. These include, among other things, Powerpoint files of all the lecture and lab material, narrated Kaltura Capture videos of these same files (to access these, select Media Gallery from the Kaltura menu at the top right of the course home page), the syllabus, and chapter review lists, which contain a list of terms you should know about for each chapter of the text.

TEXT: *Principles of Anatomy and Physiology*, 15th edition, by G. J. Tortora & B. Derrickson, John Wiley & Sons, 2019 (optional).

LAB MANUAL: There is no hard copy of the lab manual that is required. All the information concerning the lab exercises is available online (see <http://blog.valdosta.edu/AP2>). However, be aware that you need to have access to the protocols for each lab while in lab, whether it be a printed hard copy or electronically via laptop, tablet, or phone (note that, while a phone will

work, it can be difficult to read the text or view images because they are so small).

LAB KIT: Available in the bookstore. You will need to bring this to lab each week. You may also wish to purchase rubber or plastic examination gloves for use during the lab dissections. These are available at many local stores.

LAB SPECIMENS: Sheep heart and fetal pig. As a result of the institution of lab fees for this course, these specimens will be provided to you. Due to social distancing requirements, you will be dissecting these specimens individually.

COURSE GOALS: This course builds on the anatomical information discussed in BIOL 2651 by examining all the major human physiological systems.

EXAMS: There will be 4 exams in this course. The first four exams will each cover 1/4 of the lecture and reading material. Exams will be primarily multiple choice, and each will be worth 100 points. In addition, there will be an optional 100 point final exam. Note that, unlike the first 4 lecture exams, the final exam is **cumulative**. If you take the final I will drop the lowest of your five exam scores in calculating your final grade. Thus, you wind up with 500 potential points from the exams, but only 400 points will count. So, if you have a bad day and bomb an exam, remember it's not the end of the world and that score can be dropped.

Note: Exams will be administered face-to-face, with Group 1 taking the exam one day and Group 2 the following day. Because of this, the exams will be different for Group 1 versus Group 2. See the schedule below for the dates of each exam and which Group will take each exam on a particular day. Because few people typically take the final exam, everyone should be able to take the final during the scheduled exam period. Should this turn out to not be feasible, you will be informed toward the end of the semester about what other arrangements have been made.

MAKE-UPS: Because the final is optional and can make up for a previous exam, there will be **NO** make-ups for any of the first four exams. If you miss one, for whatever reason, that will represent your dropped exam and you will have to take the final. This policy has a couple of important implications: (1) you better not miss more than one exam, and (2) there is some incentive in taking the first four exams and thus possibly avoiding the final.

LABS: The exams are worth a total of 400 points. An additional 150 points of your grade will be based on your performance in the laboratory portion of this course. There will be three laboratory exams involving identification of anatomical structures. Each lab exam is worth 50 points. These exams **cannot** be made up!! Unlike the lecture exams, a missed lab exam cannot be covered by taking the final. If you miss a lab exam, you forfeit those points. **IMPORTANT NOTE:** Lab exams will involve some use of your specimens. This means you need to do a good and careful job on your dissections.

OTHER POINTS: There will be one lab exercise in which you will collect physiological data. You will analyze these data and turn in a short (very short) lab assignment worth 15 points. Additionally, there will be 8 5-point quizzes that will be administered during class

time. These quizzes and lab assignments are worth a total of 55 points.

GRADING: Exams, quizzes, and the lab assignment will be graded and scores will be entered into Blazeview within a day or two. Any questions, problems, complaints, etc. regarding your scores must be taken care of in the week after the grades are posted. The statute of limitations on appeals runs out at that time.

Final grades will be based on cumulative points and will be distributed according to the following percentages (the total number of points represented by these percentages is shown in parentheses):

90-100 (544-605) A
80-89 (484-543) B
70-79 (423-483) C
60-69 (363-422) D

If everyone in the class scores above 90%, then everyone will get an A. If no one scores above 90%, then I **may** adjust the curve downward appropriately.

ATTENDANCE: I do not take roll daily and it is your responsibility to decide whether or not to come to class and lab. However, be aware that you are ineligible to turn in a lab assignment or take a lecture quiz if you did not attend lab or lecture on the appropriate day.

Important Note: For those of you who do attend class, you **must** turn off all electronic devices prior to entering the classroom. Failure to do so during lecture will lead to immediate dismissal from the classroom. Failure to do so during an exam will result in a 0 for that exam.

Extra Credit: No extra credit is available in this course. Your grade will be based solely on the points you accumulate from lab, lecture quizzes, and the lecture exams.

Boilerplate:

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Access Statement: Students with disabilities who are experiencing barriers in this course may contact the Access Office for assistance in determining and implementing reasonable accommodations. The Access Office is located in Farbar Hall. The phone numbers are 229-245-2498 (V), 229-375-5871 (VP) and 229-219-1348 (TTY). For more information, please visit VSU's Access Office or email: access@valdosta.edu.

LECTURE SCHEDULE

Month	Dates	Monday	Wednesday	Friday
January	11-13-15	Group 1-syllabus	Group 2-syllabus	Group 1-practice test chap. 18
	18-20-22	MLK; No class	Group 2-practice test chap. 18	Group 1- Quiz 1
	25-27-29	Group 2-Quiz 1	Group 1-practice test chaps. 19-20	Group 2-practice test chaps. 19-20
February	1-3-5	Group 1-Quiz 2	Group 2-Quiz 2	Group 1- Exam 1
	8-10-12	Group 2- Exam 1	Group 1-practice test chaps. 20-21	Group 2-practice test chaps. 20-21
	15-17-19	Group 1-Quiz 3	Group 2-Quiz 3	Group 1-practice test chaps. 22-23
	22-24-26	Group 2-practice test chaps. 22-23	Group 1-Quiz 4	Group 2-Quiz 4
March	1-3-5	Group 1- Exam 2	Group 2- Exam 2	Group 1-practice test chaps. 23-24
	8-10-12	Group 2-practice test chaps. 23-24	Group 1-Quiz 5	Group 2-Quiz 5
	15-17-19	Group 1-practice test chaps. 24-25	Wellness Day; No class	Group 2-practice test chaps. 24-25
	22-24-26	Group 1-Quiz 6	Group 2-Quiz 6	Group 1- Exam 3
March/April	29-31-2	Group 2- Exam 3	Group 1-practice test chaps. 26-27	Wellness Day; No class
April	5-7-12	Group 2-practice test chaps. 26-27	Group 1-Quiz 7	Group 2-Quiz 7
	12-14-16	Group 1- practice test chap. 28	Group 2- practice test chap. 28	Group 1-practice test chap. 29
	19-21-23	Group 2-practice test chap. 29	Group 1-Quiz 8	Group 2-Quiz 8
	26-28-30	Group 1- Exam 4	Group 2- Exam 4	NO CLASS

FINAL EXAM --- Friday, May 7, 8:00 – 10:00 AM (Optional)

Videos to be covered on each lecture exam:

Exam 1: All videos for Chapters 18 and 19, videos 1-4 of Chapter 20, plus first 11 minutes of video 5.

Exam 2: Remaining videos of Chapter 20, all videos for Chapters 21 & 22, plus videos 1 & 2 of Chapter 23.

Exam 3: Remaining videos of Chapter 23, all videos for Chapters 24 & 25, video 1 of Chapter 26, plus first 3 minutes of video 2.

Exam 4: Remaining videos of Chapter 26, all videos of Chapters 27 & 28, plus videos 1-4 of Chapter 29.

LAB SCHEDULE

<u>Dates:</u>		<u>Topic:</u>
January	14, 15	NO LAB
	21, 22	Blood physiology
	28, 29	Sheep heart dissection 1
February	4, 5	Sheep heart dissection 2
	11, 12	Fetal pig blood vessels 1
	18, 19	Fetal pig blood vessels 2
	25, 26	Fetal pig blood vessels 3
March	4, 5	Lab Exam I
	11, 12	Fetal pig digestive system
	18, 19	Fetal pig respiratory system
	25, 26	Lab Exam II
April	1, 2	Wellness day April 2; NO LAB
	8, 9	Fetal pig urinary and reproductive systems
	15, 16	Wellness day April 15; NO LAB
	22, 23	Review for Lab Exam III
	29, 30	Lab Exam III (cumulative)