

## Syllabus not real

Here's a detailed and professional-looking syllabus for a **University Biology 101: Introduction to Biology** course for a **Spring Semester** (assuming a start date of **Monday, January 13, 2025** and an end date of **Friday, May 2, 2025**). This includes quiz dates, assignment deadlines, course policies, and more:

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**University of [Your University Name]**  
**Department of Biological Sciences**  
**Spring 2025 Syllabus**

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### Course Title:

**BIOL 101: Introduction to Biology**

**Credits:** 3

**Class Schedule:** Monday & Wednesday, 10:00 AM – 11:15 AM

**Location:** Science Hall, Room 204

**Instructor:** Dr. Emily Thompson

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**Office Hours:** Tues 1:00–3:00 PM, Thurs 11:00–12:30 PM (or by appointment)

**Office Location:** Science Hall 318

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### Course Description

This course provides an overview of biological principles, including cell structure and function, genetics, evolution, ecology, and the diversity of life. Designed for non-majors or students seeking a general education science credit.

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## Course Objectives

By the end of the course, students will be able to:

- Understand the fundamental concepts of biology.
  - Analyze scientific data and evaluate scientific claims.
  - Apply biological knowledge to everyday life and current events.
  - Demonstrate comprehension through written, oral, and practical assessments.
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## Required Textbook

*Biology: Concepts and Connections*, 10th Edition, by Campbell et al.

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## Grading Breakdown

Component	Weight
Quizzes (5)	25%
Assignments (4)	25%
Midterm Exam	20%
Final Exam	20%
Participation	10%

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## Important Dates

**Midterm Exam:** Wednesday, March 5, 2025

**Final Exam:** Monday, May 5, 2025 (10:30 AM – 12:30 PM)

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## Quizzes Schedule

Quiz #	Topic	Date Assigned	Due Date
Quiz 1	Cell Structure & Function	Jan 22	Jan 26 (11:59 PM)
Quiz 2	Genetics & DNA	Feb 5	Feb 9 (11:59 PM)
Quiz 3	Evolution & Natural Selection	Feb 26	Mar 2 (11:59 PM)
Quiz 4	Ecology	Mar 24	Mar 28 (11:59 PM)
Quiz 5	Plant & Animal Systems	Apr 14	Apr 18 (11:59 PM)

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## Assignments Schedule

Assignment #	Title	Date Assigned	Due Date
Assignment 1	Microscopy Lab Report	Jan 29	Feb 2 (11:59 PM)
Assignment 2	Genetic Traits Survey	Feb 12	Feb 16 (11:59 PM)
Assignment 3	Evolution Case Study Analysis	Mar 3	Mar 7 (11:59 PM)
Assignment 4	Ecosystem Poster Presentation	Apr 7	Apr 11 (11:59 PM)

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## Weekly Topics Outline

Week	Topics Covered
1	Introduction to Biology & Scientific Method
2	Chemistry of Life
3	Cell Structure and Function
4	Energy and Photosynthesis
5	Cell Division & Genetics

6	DNA, RNA, and Protein Synthesis
7	Genetic Engineering
8	Evolution Theory
9	Speciation and Phylogenetics
10	Ecology and Population Biology
11	Ecosystems and Biomes
12	Plant Structure and Function
13	Animal Systems Overview
14	Reproduction and Development
15	Review and Student Poster Presentations

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## Course Policies

- **Attendance:** Attendance is highly encouraged and participation contributes to your grade.
  - **Late Work:** Late submissions lose 10% per day late (up to 5 days max).
  - **Academic Honesty:** Cheating and plagiarism will not be tolerated. Refer to the University Honor Code.
  - **Accessibility:** Students with disabilities should contact the Disability Services Office within the first two weeks.
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