Data retrieval

Download the nucleotide sequences of their assigned viral gene.

Align the sequences using tools like MACSE

It is important to generate codon-aware alignments, otherwise the selection analyses will fail.

Hyphy Analysis

- Students will go through the following steps in Hyphy
 - Input Preparation: Import the aligned sequences into Hyphy.
 - Model Selection: Select an appropriate substitution model.
 - Selection Analysis: Run selection analysis using methods such as SLAC (Single Likelihood Ancestor Counting), FEL (Fixed Effects Likelihood), and MEME (Mixed Effects Model of Evolution).