# PRAIRIE VIEW A&M UNIVERSITY

# **SYLLABUS**

# BIOL 3014 Anatomy and Physiology I Fall 2019

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Course Location: P04: Room 311, P84: Room 311

Class Days & Times: P04: TTH, 5:00-5:50 pm; P84: TTH, 6:00-7:50 pm

Catalog Description: For biology and physical education majors. Human structure, physiology, organ systems,

and related principles. An introductory course examining the organization of a human body and the mechanisms for maintaining homeostasis. Topics include chemistry of life, cell and tissue structure, metabolism, skeleton, muscular, nervous, endocrine, and integumentary

system.

Prerequisites: Co-requisites:

**Required Texts:** Anatomy and Physiology: The Unity of Form and Function

8th Edition by Kenneth Saladin

Recommended

Texts:

# **Student Learning Outcomes:**

	Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:	Program Learning Outcome # Alignment	Core Curriculum Outcome Alignment
1	Identify and summarize the steps of the scientific method and recognize their role in the context of a laboratory experiment	#1	Critical Thinking, Communication
2	List, identify, and classify the cellular organic macromolecules, specify the monomers for each, and explain their relevance to human structure and function.	#1	
3	Explain basic cellular functions such as protein synthesis, cellular respiration, DNA replication, and cell division.	#2, #3	Communication
4	Recognize the anatomical structures, explain functional anatomy and physiological functions, and recognize and explain the principle of homeostasis applied to the integumentary, nervous, endocrine, muscular and skeletal systems	#4	

5	Perform Oral and Written communication of biomedical terms	#5	Communication
	relative to the human body		
6	Collaboratively work through Functional Anatomy case studies	#5	Teamwork
7	Demonstrate a critical understanding of Functional Anatomy	#4	
	and biological processes		
8	Analyze quantitative and empirical biomedical datasets and	#5	Empirical and
	graphs		Quantitative

#### **Student Support and Success**

#### John B. Coleman Library

The library and its partners have as their mission "to provide resources and instructional material in support of the evolving curriculum, as a partner in Prairie View A&M University's mission of teaching, research, and service" and to support the University's core values of "access and quality, diversity, leadership, relevance, and social responsibility" through emphasis on ten key areas of service. It maintains library collections and access both on campus, online, and through local agreements to further the educational goals of students and faculty.

#### **Center for Academic Support**

The Center for Academic Support (CAS) offers Tutoring via peer tutoring. The services include workshops (i.e., Save My Semester, Recalculate Your Route), seminars (i.e., Tools You Can Use: TI-84), group review sessions (i.e., College Algebra Topic Reviews, GRE Preparation), group study opportunities (i.e., TSIA, HESI, Study Break, Exam Cram), and test-taking strategies (How to take Notes, Study Buddy, 5 Day Study Guide). The Tutoring Center is a nationally certified tutoring program through the National Tutoring Association. The peer tutors are trained and certified by the coordinator each semester. Location: J.B. Coleman Library

#### **COMPASS**

The Center for the Oversight and Management of Personalized Academic Student Success (COMPASS) is designed to help Prairie View students in their second year and beyond navigate towards graduation by providing the following services: Academic Advisement, Targeted Tutorials for Personalized Learning, Campus-Wide Referrals, and Academic & Social Workshops. Location: J.B. Coleman Library

#### **Writing Center**

The Writing Center provides student consultants on all aspects of the writing process and a variety of writing assignments. Writing Center consultations assist students in such areas as prewriting, brainstorming, audience awareness, organization, research, and citation. Location: Hilliard Hall 121

#### **University Rules and Procedures**

#### **Disability statement (See Student Handbook):**

Students with disabilities, including learning disabilities, who wish to request accommodations in class should register with the Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD) early in the semester so that appropriate arrangements may be made. In accordance with federal laws, a student requesting special accommodations must provide documentation of their disability to the SSD coordinator.

#### Academic misconduct (See Student Handbook):

You are expected to practice academic honesty in every aspect of this course and all other courses. Make sure you are familiar with your Student Handbook, especially the section on academic misconduct. Students who engage in academic misconduct are subject to university disciplinary procedures.

#### Forms of academic dishonesty:

- 1. Cheating: deception in which a student misrepresents that he/she has mastered information on an academic exercise that he/she has not mastered; giving or receiving aid unauthorized by the instructor on assignments or examinations.
- 2. Academic misconduct: tampering with grades or taking part in obtaining or distributing any part of a scheduled test.

- 3. Fabrication: use of invented information or falsified research.
- 4. Plagiarism: unacknowledged quotation and/or paraphrase of someone else's words, ideas, or data as one's own in work submitted for credit. Failure to identify information or essays from the Internet and submitting them as one's own work also constitutes plagiarism.

#### Nonacademic misconduct (See Student Handbook)

The university respects the rights of instructors to teach and students to learn. Maintenance of these rights requires campus conditions that do not impede their exercise. Campus behavior that interferes with either (1) the instructor's ability to conduct the class, (2) the inability of other students to profit from the instructional program, or (3) campus behavior that interferes with the rights of others will not be tolerated. An individual engaging in such disruptive behavior may be subject to disciplinary action. Such incidents will be adjudicated by the Dean of Students under nonacademic procedures.

# Sexual misconduct (See Student Handbook):

Sexual harassment of students and employers at Prairie View A&M University is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. Any member of the university community violating this policy will be subject to disciplinary action.

### **Attendance Policy**

Prairie View A&M University requires regular class attendance. Excessive absences will result in lowered grades. Excessive absenteeism, whether excused or unexcused, may result in a student's course grade being reduced or in assignment of a grade of "F". Absences are accumulated beginning with the first day of class.

#### **Student Academic Appeals Process**

Authority and responsibility for assigning grades to students rests with the faculty. However, in those instances where students believe that miscommunication, errors, or unfairness of any kind may have adversely affected the instructor's assessment of their academic performance, the student has a right to appeal by the procedure listed in the Undergraduate Catalog and by doing so within thirty days of receiving the grade or experiencing any other problematic academic event that prompted the complaint.

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#### Important dates:

Please visit this link for more details: http://www.pvamu.edu/registrar/academic-calendars/fall-2019/

Aua 26 First Class Day Monday

Aug 26 - Sep 03 Attendance Reporting Period (NS/SH) Students who do not attend class during this Monday through Tuesday period will have their courses removed and financial aid reduced or cancelled Sep 11 Final Day to Drop/Withdraw from Course(s) without Academic Record (A Financial

Record will still exist) Wednesday

Oct 17 - Oct 19

Mid-Semester Examination Period Thursday through Saturday

Oct 22

Mid-Semester Grades Due Tuesday

Dec 04 - Dec 10

Wednesday through Final Examination

Tuesday

Dec 12 Final Grades due for Graduation Candidates (12:00 p.m.) - Fall 2019 16-week

Thursday session

Dec 14 Commencement

Saturday