SOPHIA Learning

HumBio1001: Human Biology (3 semester credits)

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Students in the Human Biology course will analyze fundamental biological principles related to the human body. Course topics include the molecular and cellular basis of life, genetics, organ systems, and the impact of nutrition and exercise on human health

Course Effective Dates: March 2019 - Present

Prerequisite(s): Entry level Gen Ed course – no prerequisites

Length of course: This is a self-paced course. Students have 60 days with an additional 30 day extension (if needed) to complete the course.

ACE CREDIT® Recommendation: In the lower-division baccalaureate/associate degree category, 3 semester hours in biology (2/19).

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

- 1. Describe basic human biology concepts.
- 2. Describe skeletal and muscular systems.
- 3. Articulate nervous system and sensory system related to human health.
- 4. Analyze respiratory, circulatory, immune and digestive systems.
- 5. Describe urinary, endocrine, and reproductive systems.
- 6. Describe genetics and biotechnology and their application.

OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- Science Basics
- Cells
- Macromolecules
- Metabolism
- The Skeletal System
- Skeletal Muscles
- Neurons
- The Nervous System
- Sensory Systems
- The Respiratory System
- The Circulatory System
- Blood
- The Immune System
- The Endocrine System
- The Reproductive System
- Prenatal Development
- The Digestive System
- The Urinary System
- Genetics and DNA

• Genes and Inheritance

GRADING

This is a pass/fail course. Students are required to complete all 19 formative and 6 summative assessments with an overall course average of 70% or better.