Ms. Alumbaugh's Biology Syllabus



- Tests 40 100 pts. each
- Vocab. Quizzes 20 50 pts. each
- Classwork/Activities 10 50 pts. each
- Notebook checks 100 pts. each quarter
- Labs 10 50 pts. each
- Projects 25 50 pts. each
- Bell Ringers/prefix words 5 10 pts.

<u>Grades will be calculated by total points</u> <u>earned divided by total possible points:</u>

100-90	Α
89-80	В
79-70	С
69-60	D
59 and below	F

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Supplies:

- Pencils, pens, & colored pencils
- Expo Marker (1)
- Earbuds for the Chromebook
- YOU WILL BE GIVEN A BIOLOGY
 PERSONALIZED NOTEBOOK FROM ME!

An Average Day in My Classroom:

0-5 minutes: Question of the Day & Bell Ringers

5-45 minutes: Class

Assignment/Activity/Notes/Vocabulary/Labs 45-50 minutes: Review Material and Pack up

Course Outline:

Unit 0: Scientific Method/Investigation

Unit 1: Chemistry of Life

Unit 2: Cell Structure and Function Unit 3: Photosynthesis & Cellular

Respiration

Unit 4: Plants

Unit 5: Cell Growth and Division: Mitosis

Unit 6: Meiosis Unit 7: DNA

Unit 7A: Protein Synthesis & Biotechnology

Midterms: MOY

Unit 8: Genetics

Unit 9: Human Body Systems & Viruses/Antibiotics/Immune System

Unit 10: Evolution Unit 11: Classification Unit 12: Ecosystems Unit 13: Ecology

End of course Exams (EOC)

Class **Expectations**

- Be on time to class & ready to work.
- Be prepared for class every day.
- Respect each other & school property.
- Turn in work ON TIME! Late assignments will receive ½ credit.
- Can have water and snack if needed during class time.
- Electronic use is determined each day. No use of phones while I am teaching. Failure to follow this rule can result in phone confiscation.
- Cheating of any kind will result in a zero.

Textbook: I have a class set of Bio books.

Holt McDougal Biology: Student Edition 2012

Online Access through Class link HMH-Ed

Makeup Work Policy:

It is the student's responsibility to check canvas, focus, & my teacher web page when they are absent to get their assignments. You can complete assignments at home, so you are not behind when you return.

