

**Principles of Biology Lab I - BIOL 1107L (Spring, 2022) Section F (CRN: 24673)**

1. Course Information

- Hours of credit: 1
- Lab location and time:

the syllabus. All students are expected to do their own work and to uphold a high standard of academic ethics. **Cheating** (including plagiarism) will not be tolerated. The instructor reserves the right to dismiss you from the course without credit if you are caught cheating. You will be respectful of your instructor and your fellow students at all times, or you will be dismissed from the class and potentially the course.

- Print out this syllabus and keep it in your lab notebook.

### 5. Lab Assignments and Evaluation Policy

Throughout the semester lab assignments will be given. Due dates of these assignments are shown in the lab schedule table in this syllabus.

12 quizzes (120) + Research report (10) = 130

Final (%) = Sum/1.3

Grading criteria

A ≥ 90;    B ≥ 80;    C ≥ 70;    D ≥ 60;    F < 60

**Lab quizzes.** There will be a 10-point quiz at the beginning of each lab session, so do not be late for lab! The quizzes will be based on material from the previous labs. If there is an error with your quiz grade you must contact me on the week the quiz is given, as grades will become final by the following week. If you miss taking quizzes for any reason, there is an opportunity for you to make up them. However, you will get a credit of 70% of your scores from make-up quizzes unless you provide me official documents to excuse your failure to take the quizzes at the scheduled time.

**Lab Assignments.** There will be one assignment. It

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## 7. TENTATIVE LAB SCHEDULE AND TOPICS

| Date | Lab | Topic                                 | Assignments |
|------|-----|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1/13 | 0   | Syllabus and General Lab Introduction |             |
| 1/20 | 1   | Basic Statistics                      |             |
| 1/27 | 2   | Basic Light Microscopy – Principle    | Quiz 1      |
| 2/3  | 3   | Basic Light Microscopy –              |             |