



Biology 1120 (602) – Human Anatomy & Physiology 1
Course Outline – Winter 2026 – CRN 71497

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Classes: Mon/Wed/Thurs: 10:30-1:00

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Marieb, Elaine N., Hoehn, Katja. Human Anatomy and Physiology. 12th edition or other. E-text without Mastering ISBN 9780138244415

[Marieb Human Anatomy & Physiology](#)

(Saladin, Anatomy & Physiology 6th ed and later also acceptable.)

Textbooks: -Kapit, Wynn and Lawrence M. Elson. 2014. **The Anatomy Coloring Book**, Benjamin-Cummings, Publishers. San Francisco (optional – for bonus)

-McIntyre, Gordon. 2021. **Laboratory Manual for Anatomy and Physiology**. Vancouver Community College. (Bookstore. Also, on my website as PDF).

Mark breakdown	
ASSIGNMENT	%
Lab quizzes (3)	5.0 ea
Nutrition report	5.0
Lab report 1	10.0
Colouring book	Optional, (bonus)
Midterm 1	23
Midterm 2	23.5
Final exam	23.5
Pop quizzes	(bonus)



<u>SEQUENCE OF COURSE TOPICS</u>	<u>Marieb chapter (Saladin)</u>
Introduction/history/science	1 (1)
Anatomical orientation	1
Biochemistry	2 (2)
The cell	3 (3)
Genetics	29 (4)
Histology (tissue)	4 (5)
Midterm	
Nervous tissue	11 (12)
Central nervous system	12 (13&14)
Peripheral nervous system	13
General sensation	15 (16)
Midterm	
Special senses	15 (16)
Autonomic nervous system	14 (15)
Endocrine system	16 (17)
Male Reproductive System	27 (27)
Female Reproductive System	27 (28)
Human development	28 (29)
Final	

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- VCC Counselling: <https://www.vcc.ca/services/services-for-students/counselling/>
- VCC Learning Centre: <https://library.vcc.ca/learningcentre/>
- Disability Services: <https://www.vcc.ca/services/services-for-students/disability-services/>
- SUVCC: <https://www.vcc.ca/services/current-students/students-union---suvcc/>
- Library: <https://library.vcc.ca/>

PLEASE NOTE:

- Quizzes and midterms will be in class, dates could change.
- Make-up tests and quizzes a form to be filled out for the Department Head.
- The final day of classes is December 10, 2026.
- The final exam will be between December 14-18.
- The final exam must be written to pass the course.
- Order the text and lab manual from the bookstore, or online.
- Attendance is mandatory at all classes.
- Late assignments have 5% deducted per day (a week max to hand in).
- Copying of material will result in zero or fail of the course.
- The course outline is subject to change
- If you miss 3 classes in a row, you must let me know the reason, and if you intend to withdraw, you must do so through the registrar, or an F will appear on your transcript.
- Unless indicated by professor, using AI including ChatGPT for written assignments is not allowed.

GRADE SCHEME:

A+ 90 – 100	A 85 – 89	A- 80 – 84
B+ 76 – 79	B 72 – 75	B- 68 – 71
C+ 64 – 67	C 60 – 63	C- 55 – 59
D 50 – 54	F below 50	

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IMPORTANT DATES:

<https://www.vcc.ca/about/college-information/important-dates/fall-term-2026/>

Last day to drop, no "W" grade will appear: Sept 29

Last day to officially withdraw: Nov 30

