

## 1. Course Information

Course number and section: BIOL 1107K (section: F) CRN: 81256  
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Department, College, University: Department of Biology, College of Arts and Sciences, Valdosta State University

## 2. Instructor Information

Instructor name: Dr. Jonghoon Kang  
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Instructor office hours: Mon and Tue 9:00 am - 10:00 am

## 3. Course Description

Lab Manual: Goddard, R.H. 2013. Methods and Investigations in Basic Biology. 6th edition.

## 4. Lab Conduct

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- No eating or drinking during the lab.

- Attendance to lab is mandatory. Excused absences are usually given for medical emergencies and documentation must be provided; the professor determines whether or not an absence is "excused" or not. If a student misses three labs for any reason the student cannot earn higher than a "D" for his/her final grade. Except under extenuating circumstances, labs cannot be made up outside of scheduled laboratory sessions. Students are still responsible for all lab content even if they received an excused absence.

- Students must take care of lab equipment. Notify the professor if something is not working properly or if something breaks during the course of the lab

- Each student will be assigned a microscope. It is the student's responsibility to properly use the microscope. After lab the professor will check each scope to make sure that it was put away properly. Failure to do so will result in one point being subtracted from the student's total lab points (not the final percentage) each week it is not put away properly. Notify the professor if your microscope is not functioning properly.

- Cell phones are not allowed to be used in lab with the exception of using them as timers when necessary.

5. Lab assignments and Lab Practical Exams: