

MICR200B
Introductory

Tentative Class Schedule:

topic	dates	text (subject to revision)
1) <i>Organisms and Phylogeny</i>		14 – 17
2) <i>Scientific Method</i>		NA
3) <i>Genetics and Molecular Biology</i>		4, 6
<i>Midterm 1</i>	Jan. 25	15% of final grade
4) <i>Environment</i>		18 – 21
5) <i>Microbial Interactions</i>		22
<i>Midterm 2</i>	Feb. 26	15% of final grade
6) <i>Immunology</i>		24 – 26
7) <i>Bacteria and Human Disease</i>		23, 28 – 32
8) <i>Microbes and Industry</i>		21

Grading:

A⁺	90 -100	B⁺	77 - 79	C⁺	65 - 69	F	< 50
A	85 - 89	B	73 - 76	C	60 - 64	N **	< 50
A⁻	80 - 84	B⁻	70 - 72	D	50 - 59		

**** N grades**

Students who have completed the following elements will be considered to have completed the course and will be assigned a final grade:

Both midterm exams and the final exam must be completed to complete the course. Additionally, students must successfully complete the laboratory component of the course (see details above).

Failure to complete one or more of these elements will result in a grade of “N” regardless of the cumulative percentage on other elements of the course. An N is a failing grade, and it factors into a student’s GPA as 0. The maximum percentage that can accompany an N on a student’s transcript is 49

DEPARTMENT INFORMATION AND POLICIES

1. The Department of Biochemistry and Microbiology upholds and enforces the University’s policies on academic integrity. These policies are described in the current University Calendar.

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