Biology Freshman Seminar, BIOL 1100 Fall 2013

Time: 11-11:50 am Day: Tuesdays

Room: Bailey Science Complex

Pre- and/or Co- Requisites:

BIOL 1100 is required as a co-requisite for all incoming freshmen biology majors before or during enrollment in BIOL 1107.

Course Learning Outcomes:

Students will learn the following:

- x Biology major requirements, general advising, strategies for success, and related career paths from biological research to professional programs. These topics will be covered as indicated on the schedule;
- x The basics of the scientific method and scientific writing.

These learning outcomes correspond to the biology educational outcome #1 and the VSU General Educational Outcomes 3, 5, 7 and 8.

Required Course Materials:0

Total	100 %			
Career Slide	10 %		<59.9 %	= F
Career Plan	10 %	60	±69.9 %	= D
Scientific Writing	20 %	70	±79.9 %	= C
		80	±89.9 %	= B
	%	90	±100 %	= A

Attendance: Attendance in this course is absolutely required. Each student is responsible for all material missed regardless of the reason for absences. Note the University policy regarding attendance: 1) Students who miss 20% of lecture time will receive an automatic failing grade for the course. 2) Students who do not regularly attend lecture, as determined by taking class role, by the proof roll date may be automatically dropped from the class. (3) Students who neither drop nor attend class by the midterm date will receive an automatic F for the course.

Students who miss 20 % of lecture time on a given day will be counted as absent for that day.

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