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# DOMINION HERBAL COLLEGE

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Institution #283

## PREREQUISITE BIOLOGY COURSE OUTLINE 6 MONTHS DISTANCE LEARNING

### COURSE DESCRIPTION

Living things, cell structure, viruses and bacteria, microorganisms and man; histology and the organization of tissues, epithelial and connective tissue, the skin; nutrition, energy, important elements, food chains; growth, reproduction and genetics; rhythms of life; ecology.

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, the student will have an understanding of the basic principles of biology.

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

High School Diploma or High School Equivalency Diploma or Mature Student (19 years or older)

### COURSE DURATION

The course duration is 6 months (90 hours). Enrollment is ongoing. Students can start at any time. Students have six months to complete the lessons and final exam.

### STUDY HOURS

This course requires 4 hours of self-directed learning per week.

### DELIVERY & INSTRUCTIONAL METHODS

The course utilizes a distance learning delivery method in which the course is completed by self-directed learning. Lessons must be submitted for evaluation and correction by email or mail. The final exam is written with a proctor. Students are required to arrange for a proctor in their area.

### ATTENDANCE EXPECTATIONS

No attendance is required for this course.

### COURSE MATERIALS & REQUIRED TEXTBOOKS

Students are provided with course materials and a textbook.

### REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

No equipment is required for this course.

### STUDENT ASSESSMENT

The course consists of six lessons and a final exam. The overall course mark is comprised of 40% lessons and 60% final exam. Lessons must be submitted for evaluation and correction by email or mail. The final exam is written with a proctor. Students are required to arrange for a proctor in their area. Students are assessed on the following grading system:

| Grade | Percentage | Description |
|-------|------------|-------------|
| A     | 86-100     | Excellent   |
| B     | 75-85      | Very Good   |
| C     | 70-74      | Good        |
| D     | 1-69       | Fail        |

### COURSE COMPLETION

An official transcript will be issued upon successful completion of all academic requirements and financial obligations to Dominion Herbal College.