



# EAST TEXAS A&M

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## **BSC 2401.01E: Anatomy and Physiology I: Spring 2026 (CRN:20985)**

### **INSTRUCTOR INFORMATION**

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### **COURSE INFORMATION**

Textbook: Holes Human Anatomy and Physiology, by Shier et al. 16th Edition

#### **Course Description**

Course Description: This class will cover the anatomy and physiology of the human body.

#### Student Learning Objectives

- \* Students will demonstrate an understanding of the structure and functioning of different body systems of the human body.
- \* Students will demonstrate a knowledge of homeostasis.

Course Goals: To give the beginning student interested in a career in health care a conceptual and practical understanding necessary for understanding the basic structure and function of the human organism. In addition, the student will learn thinking skills necessary for understanding and interpreting scientific information.

### **COURSE REQUIREMENTS**

Weekly quizzes: Short quizzes on D2L will be given on most weeks.

Tests: Tests will consist of objective questions. Tests will not be made up unless the absence is excused according to university policy. If the test is not made-up the student will receive no (0) points.

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## **Course Evaluation (Lecture + Lab)**

3 Exams - 150 pts (each test is worth 50 points) Final

(comprehensive) - 75 pts

Quizzes -75 pts

Lab 100 pts (Lab has its own practical exams, quizzes and grading policy)

**400 pts total**

**While the lecture and lab together constitute the course, lab and lecture have their own independent attendance and grading policies. You should make a passing grade in the lecture and the lab component independently. The cumulative total will represent your final grade.**

**If you have a good score in the lecture quizzes and tests but have low lab attendance and low lab practical grades, you will fail the whole course and will have to retake the lecture and lab again in the next semester.**

### **Course grading scale:**

A = > 359 points

B= 320-359

C= 280-319

D= 240-279

F=<240

### **Lab Evaluation:**

#### **Lab Grading Policy:**

Attendance and Participation 10%

Lab Review Sheets 25%

Quizzes 15%

Practicals 50%

### **Grading Scale:**

A= 90 to 100

B= 80 to 89

C= 70 to 79

D= 60 to 69

F= 59 and below

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## COURSE OUTLINE / CALENDAR

Topics and reading assignments(chapter)(Week of)(January 12<sup>th</sup> -May 1<sup>st</sup> )

\*All reading assignments should be completed within the week in which the corresponding lecture takes place. All topics in the readings will not necessarily be covered in lecture, but you may find questions from the reading on tests. Please read.

- 1 Introduction to Human Anatomy and Physiology (01-12)
- 2 Chemical Basis of Life (01-19)
- 3 Cells (01-26)
- 4 Cellular Metabolism (02-02)
- 5 Tissues (02-09) -----Exam 1
- 6 Integumentary System (02-16)
- 7 Skeletal System (02-23)
- 8 Joints of the Skeletal System (03-02)
- 9 Spring Break (03-09)
- 10 Muscular System (03-16) -----Exam 2
- 11 Nervous System I: Basic Structure and Function (03-23)
- 12 Nervous System II: Divisions of the Nervous System (03-31)
- 13 Nervous System III: Senses (04-07)-----Exam 3
- Final Exam (Comprehensive) -----Final Exam ( 75 pts)

Texas A&M University-Commerce acknowledges that there are legitimate uses of Artificial Intelligence, ChatBots, or other software that has the capacity to generate text, or suggest replacements for text beyond individual words, as determined by the instructor of the course.

Any use of such software must be documented. Any undocumented use of such software constitutes an instance of academic dishonesty (plagiarism).

Individual instructors may disallow entirely the use of such software for individual assignments or for the entire course. Students should be aware of such requirements and follow their instructors' guidelines. If no instructions are provided the student should assume that the use of such software is disallowed.

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In any case, students are fully responsible for the content of any assignment they submit, regardless of whether they used an AI, in any way. This specifically includes cases in which the AI plagiarized another text or misrepresented sources.

13.99.99.R0.03 Undergraduate Academic Dishonesty

<https://inside.tamuc.edu/aboutus/policiesproceduresstandardsstatements/rulesprocedures/13students/undergraduates/13.99.99.R0.03UndergraduateAcademicDishonesty.pdf>

13.99.99.R0.10 Graduate Student Academic Dishonesty

<https://inside.tamuc.edu/aboutus/policiesproceduresstandardsstatements/rulesprocedures/13students/graduate/13.99.99.R0.10.pdf>

## **TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS**

### **LMS**

All course sections offered by Texas A&M University-Commerce have a corresponding course shell in the myLeo Online Learning Management System (LMS). Below are technical requirements

LMS Requirements: <https://community.brightspace.com/s/article/Brightspace-PlatformRequirements>

LMS Browser Support:

[https://documentation.brightspace.com/EN/brightspace/requirements/all/browser\\_support.htm](https://documentation.brightspace.com/EN/brightspace/requirements/all/browser_support.htm)

Zoom

[helpdesk@tamuc.edu](mailto:helpdesk@tamuc.edu) Contact the HelpDesk to create a Zoom Account. Zoom appears in the Nav Bar of all D2L courses. For training in using Zoom contact [online@tamuc.edu](mailto:online@tamuc.edu)

## **ACCESS AND NAVIGATION**

You will need your campus-wide ID (CWID) and password to log into the course. If you do not know your CWID or have forgotten your password, contact the Center for IT Excellence (CITE) at 903.468.6000 or [helpdesk@tamuc.edu](mailto:helpdesk@tamuc.edu).

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**Note:** Personal computer and internet connection problems do not excuse the requirement to complete all course work in a timely and satisfactory manner. Each student needs to have a backup method to deal with these inevitable problems. These methods might include the availability of a backup PC at home or work, the temporary use of a computer at a friend's home, the local library, office service companies, Starbucks, a TAMUC campus open computer lab, etc.

## **COMMUNICATION AND SUPPORT**

If you have any questions or are having difficulties with the course material, please contact your Instructor.

### **Technical Support**

If you are having technical difficulty with any part of Brightspace, please contact Brightspace Technical Support at 1-877-325-7778. Other support options can be found here:

<https://community.brightspace.com/support/s/contactsupport>

## **Interaction with Instructor Statement**

## **COURSE AND UNIVERSITY PROCEDURES/POLICIES**

### **Course Specific Procedures/Policies**

#### **Syllabus Change Policy**

The syllabus is a guide. Circumstances and events, such as student progress, may make it necessary for the instructor to modify the syllabus during the semester. Any changes made to the syllabus will be announced in advance.

### **University Specific Procedures**

#### **Student Conduct**

All students enrolled at the University shall follow the tenets of common decency and acceptable behavior conducive to a positive learning environment. The Code of Student Conduct is described in detail in the [Student Guidebook](#).

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<http://www.tamuc.edu/Admissions/oneStopShop/undergraduateAdmissions/studentGuidebook.aspx>

Students should also consult the Rules of Netiquette for more information regarding how to interact with students in an online forum:

<https://www.britannica.com/topic/netiquette>

### **TAMUC Attendance**

For more information about the attendance policy please visit the [Attendance](#) webpage and [Procedure 13.99.99.R0.01](#).

<http://www.tamuc.edu/admissions/registrar/generalInformation/attendance.aspx>

<http://www.tamuc.edu/aboutUs/policiesProceduresStandardsStatements/rulesProcedures/13students/academic/13.99.99.R0.01.pdf>

### **Academic Integrity**

Students at Texas A&M University-Commerce are expected to maintain high standards of integrity and honesty in all of their scholastic work. For more details and the definition of academic dishonesty see the following procedures:

[Undergraduate Academic Dishonesty 13.99.99.R0.03](#)

[Undergraduate Student Academic Dishonesty Form](#)

<http://www.tamuc.edu/aboutUs/policiesProceduresStandardsStatements/rulesProcedures/documents/13.99.99.R0.03UndergraduateStudentAcademicDishonestyForm.pdf>

[Graduate Student Academic Dishonesty Form](#)

<http://www.tamuc.edu/academics/graduateschool/faculty/GraduateStudentAcademicDishonestyFormold.pdf>

<http://www.tamuc.edu/aboutUs/policiesProceduresStandardsStatements/rulesProcedures/13students/undergraduates/13.99.99.R0.03UndergraduateAcademicDishonesty.pdf>

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### **Students with Disabilities-- ADA Statement**

The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is a federal anti-discrimination statute that provides comprehensive civil rights protection for persons with disabilities. Among other things, this legislation requires that all students with disabilities be guaranteed a learning environment that provides for reasonable accommodation of their disabilities. If you have a disability requiring an accommodation, please contact:

Office of Student Disability Services

Velma K. Waters Library- Room 162

**Phone (903) 886-5930**

Fax (903) 468-8148

Email: [StudentDisabilityServices@tamuc.edu](mailto:StudentDisabilityServices@tamuc.edu)

**Website:** <http://inside.tamuc.edu/campuslife/campusServices/StudentDisabilityServices/default.aspx>

### **Nondiscrimination Notice**

Texas A&M University-Commerce will comply in the classroom, and in online courses, with all federal and state laws prohibiting discrimination and related retaliation on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, disability, age, genetic information or veteran status. Further, an environment free from discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, gender identity, or gender expression will be maintained.

### **Campus Concealed Carry Statement**

Texas Senate Bill - 11 (Government Code 411.2031, et al.) authorizes the carrying of a concealed handgun in Texas A&M University-Commerce buildings only by persons who have been issued and are in possession of a Texas License to Carry a Handgun. Qualified law enforcement officers or those who are otherwise authorized to carry a concealed handgun in the State of Texas are also permitted to do so. Pursuant to Penal Code (PC) 46.035 and A&MCommerce Rule 34.06.02.R1, license holders may not carry a concealed handgun in restricted locations.

For a list of locations, please refer to the [Carrying Concealed Handguns On Campus](#) document and/or consult your event organizer.

Web url:

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<http://www.tamuc.edu/aboutUs/policiesProceduresStandardsStatements/rulesProcedures/34SafetyOfEmployeesAndStudents/34.06.02.R1.pdf>

Pursuant to PC 46.035, the open carrying of handguns is prohibited on all A&M-Commerce campuses. Report violations to the University Police Department at 903-886-5868 or 9-1-1.

## **A&M-Commerce Supports Students' Mental Health**

### **Counseling Center Services**

The Counseling Center at A&M-Commerce, located in the Halladay Building, Room 203, offers counseling services, educational programming, and connection to community resources for students. Students have 24/7 access to the Counseling Center's crisis assessment services by calling 903-886-5145. For more information regarding Counseling Center events and confidential services, please visit [www.tamuc.edu/counsel](http://www.tamuc.edu/counsel)

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