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IDENTIFYIN	NG DATA						
Animal phy	ysiology II						
Subject	Animal physiology						
Code	II V02C031V01307						
Study	Grado en Biología						
programme							
Descriptors	ECTS Credits	Choose	Year	Quadmester			
I	6	Mandatory	3rd	2nd			
Teaching	#EnglishFriendly						
language	Spanish						
	Galician						
Department	t						
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Gonoral	English Friendly subject: International students may	request from the t	oachors:				
description	a) resources and bibliographic references in English	. b) tutoring session	ns in English. c)				
description	exams and assessments in English	, b, catoring session					
	Animal Physiology is a compulsory subject in the Bic	ology degree, there	fore its knowledg	e is essential in the			
	comprehensive training of a Biology graduate. The contents of this subject try to explain the basic						
	fundamentals of the functioning of an animal organism, trying to know all the activities (physical-chemical						
	reactions) of the cells, tissues and organs (whose st	reactions) of the cells, tissues and organs (whose structure and constituent elements have already been					
	studied previously) that make up the body of anima	ls. Likewise, the sul	bject deals in det	ail with how these			
	systems serve the different animals to adapt to the	environment. Beca	use physiological	processes are			
	extremely complex, the study and teaching of physic	lology must be appl	function reproce	ing the different			
	functional unit that the system conforming an anima	nowever, that each	function represe	ints a partial part of the			
	The time table of the subject can be consulted at the	e link <sup>.</sup>					
	http://bioloxia.uvigo.es/es/docencia/grado-en-biolog	ia/horarios					
Training ar	nd Learning Results						
Code							
A2 Studen	nts should know how to apply their knowledge to their	work or vocation in	a professional w	av They also should			
have th	he competences that are usually proved through the e	elaboration and def	ence of argumen	ts and the resolution of			
probler	ms within their study field.		5				
A3 Studen	nts should prove ability for information-gathering and i	interpret important	data (usually wit	hin their study field) to			
judge r	relevant social, scientific or ethical topics.			-			
B2 Manage	ge scientific-technical information using diverse and re	liable sources. Ana	lyze data and doo	cuments and interpret			
them c	critically and rigorously, including considerations on th	eir social relevance	e and in the profe	ssional field of Biology.			
B3 Apply t	the knowledge acquired in the degree and use the science	entific-technical ins	trumentation and	d CIT in contexts of			
Biology	y and/or related to the professional practice.						
B4 Draft a	and write reports, documents and projects related to B	liology. Proceed to	their presentatio	n and debate in the			
teachin	ng and specialized areas, highlighting the competence	es of the degree.					
C3 Perforn	m and interpret molecular, physicochemical and biolog	gical analyses, inclu	iding samples of	numan orıgın. Conduct			
assays	and integrate the functional and apportant cond		بالتنابية أممرم ممره				
thoir b	scanding and integrate the functioning of living beings	(cellular, tissue, or	yan and individu	ai ievei), explaining			
C9 Identify	v resources of hiological origin and assess their efficie	nt and sustainable	use in order to o	htain products of			
interes	st. Propose and implement improvements in productio	n systems.					

C10 Identify biological and biotechnological processes and their potential applications, in particular in health, agri-food and environmental fields.

- D1 Understand the meaning and use of the gender perspective in the different fields of knowledge and in professional practice with the aim of achieving a fairer and more equal society.
  D2 Communicate speaking and in writing in Galician.
- Commitment to sustainability and the environment. Equal, sensible and efficient use of resources. D3
- Collaborate and work in teams or multidisciplinary groups, promote negotiation skills and the ability to reach D4 agreements.

Expected results from this subject						
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			Results			
Identify the mechanisms and functions of the cardiovascular, respiratory,	A2	B2	C3	D1		
excretory/osmoregulatory, digestive, and reproductive systems	A3	Β3	C6	D2		
		Β4	C9	D3		
			C10	D4		
Identify the regulation and integration of animal functions, as well as functional adaptations to the	A2	B2	C3	D1		
environment in different groups of animals	A3	Β3	C6	D2		
		Β4	C9	D3		
			C10	D4		
Recognize the functioning of the animal as an integrated whole, reinforcing the role of coordination	nA2	B2	C3	D1		
and integration systems	A3	Β3	C6	D2		
		Β4	C9	D3		
			C10	D4		

Contents	
Торіс	
Chapter I: Cardiovascular Physiology (Professor	Topic 1. General characteristics of cardiovascular systems
Soengas)	Topic 2. The heart
	Topic 3. Regulation of cardiac activity.
	Topic 4. Arterial, venous and capillary circulation. Lymphatic system
	Topic 5. Regulation of blood pressure and circulation
Chapter II: Physiology of respiration (Professor	Topic 6. General characteristics of breathing
Soengas)	Topic 7. Aquatic breathing
	Topic 8. Air breathing
	Topic 9. Diffusion and transport of respiratory gases
	Topic 10. Regulation of breathing
Chapter III: Excretory function and	Topic 11. General characteristics of excretion
osmoregulation (Professor Soengas)	Topic 12. Formation of urine
	Topic 13. Osmoregulation
	Topic 14. Regulation of acid-base balance
Chapter IV: Digestive Physiology (Professor	Topic 15. Functional anatomy of the digestive system of vertebrates
Míguez)	Topic 16. Motility and digestive secretions
	Topic 17. Digestion and absorption
	Topic 18. Regulation of intake. hunger and satiety
Chapter V: Reproduction (Professor Míguez)	Topic 19. General characteristics of reproduction
	Topic 20. Male reproductive function in vertebrates
	Topic 21. Female reproductive function in vertebrates.
	Topic 22. Fertilization, gestation, birth and lactation
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Planning			
	Class hours	Hours outside the classroom	Total hours
Lecturing	16	35	51
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Seminars	2	16	18
Laboratory practical	12	6	18
*The information in the planning table i	s for guidance only and does no	ot take into account the het	erogeneity of the students.

Methodologies	
	Description
Lecturing	Lectures will be taught during the second semester until completing the scheduled hours. They will be held in the corresponding classroom, with the total number of registered students present. They will discuss, with the help of power point presentations, the theoretical foundations of the subject. Teaching materials will be available to students on the Tele-teaching Platform

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Seminars	-Topics related to the subject will be proposed for students to prepare, organized in groups of 2-3. -In the first face-to-face meeting with each type B group, the planning of the elaboration of the different topics will be carried out. Before the last meeting, the groups will deliver a report with the topics covered. In the last meeting of group B the students will present each topic (10 minutes).
Laboratory practical	Students will carry out 4 practical sessions in the laboratory of 3 hours each. Attendance at them is mandatory to pass the course. At the end of the practical classes, different groups will prepare a results report to be evaluated

Personalized assistance				
Methodologies	Description			
Lecturing	They will be interactive and will allow you to establish personalized reinforcement actions. Students may request individualized tutorials to resolve doubts and problems via email and/or the University's virtual classroom system			
Laboratory practical	During the practical classes, the teachers will give individual attention to each student for the correct understanding of the experimental objectives and the methodology or techniques used. Once the task is completed, each student or group of students will see their work supervised by the teacher. Students may request individualized tutorials to resolve doubts and problems via email and/or the University's virtual classroom system			
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Assessme	nt				
	Description	Qualificatio	n Trai	ning a	and
Lecturing	Partial exam 1 (25% of the score): chapters I and II	25	A2 B2 A3	C6 C9	D1 D2
	The exam will be made up of: Objective questions		, 10	C10	D3 D4
	Development questions				5,
	To pass the exam, a minimum mark of 5 points (out of 10) must be obtained. A minimum mark of 4 points (out of 10) is required to pass the subject.				
	Self-assessment test. The students will have several tests available on the tele- teaching platform in order to facilitate the self-assessment of knowledge and the completion of the exam. Its fulfilment by the students will be autonomous and totally voluntary. There will be 2 tests in relation to the following contents: Test 1. Chapter I (Circulation) Test 2. Chapter II (Breathing).				
	The self-assessment tests DO NOT GIVE marks in the evaluation of the subject				
Lecturing	Partial exam 2 (35% of the score): chapters III, IV and V The exam will be made up of: Objective questions	35	A2 B2 A3	C6 C9 C10	D1 D2 D3 D4
	Development questions				
	To pass the exam, a minimum mark of 5 points (out of 10) must be obtained. A minimum mark of 4 points (out of 10) is required to pass the subject.				
	Self-assessment test. The students will have several tests available on the tele- teaching platform in order to facilitate the self-assessment of knowledge and the completion of the exam. Its fulfilment by the students will be autonomous and totally voluntary. There will be 3 tests in relation to the following contents: Test 1. Chapter III (excretion-osmoregulation). Test 2: Chapter IV (digestive) Test 3: Chapter V (reproduction). The self-assessment tests DO NOT GIVE marks in the evaluation of the subject				

Seminars	The topics developed will be sent to the teacher in charge before the last meeting of the tutorial group. On that day there will be a 10-minute presentation in which the following will be evaluated: -Quality of the written memory presented (organization, writing, adequacy of the bibliography, focus and depth adjusted to the subject) -Quality of the oral presentation (adequacy to the time , quality of the information presented in the figures, oral expression, ability to transmit information, mastery of technical language) -Answers to the questions presented	30	A2 A3	B3 B4	C6 C9 C10	D1 D2 D3 D4
Laboratory practical	Attendance to practical classes is mandatory. At the end of them, a practiccal classes report will be delivered by each of the subgroups that will be organized in each practical group.	10	A2 A3	B3 B4	C3 C6 C9 C10	D1 D2 D3 D4

## Other comments on the Evaluation

#### 1) Continuous evaluation

To pass the subject, students must carry out all the evaluable activities.

<u>Practical classes and seminars</u>: Attendance at scheduled practice sessions and seminars is mandatory and necessary to pass the subject. To pass these activities, a minimum score of 5/10 points must be achieved in each of them. The justification of non-attendance to the practical sessions and seminars will not exempt students from carrying them out in another group, provided that the calendar allows it.

<u>Theory exam</u>. To pass this part it will be necessary to obtain 5 points in each of the two scheduled exams. However, it will be possible to pass the subject if a minimum score of 4 is achieved in each one of the theory exams, offsetting the practical and seminar scores until reaching 5 points. In case of not reaching the minimum score (4) in the theory exams, the final score for the subject will correspond to that score (the scores for practices and seminar will not be taken into account).

<u>Second opportunity and following courses</u>. Activities passed on the first opportunity will be saved for the second opportunity. It will not be possible to recover the practices or the seminars. Thus, the scores of these parts will be those obtained during the period of their completion in the course.

<u>Repeating students</u>. They will only have to evaluate the activities (practices, seminar) not passed in the previous courses, keeping the scores obtained in said activities.

## 2) Overall evaluation

Students may request the global evaluation that will be carried out on the official dates of first and second opportunities. This evaluation will allow reaching 100% of the subject score and is structured into three parts:

- Score of practices carried out in the period established in the calendar. 10%
- Score of the seminar carried out in the period established in the calendar. 30%

- Score of the global theory exam, which will be carried out on the dates set in the academic calendar for the official exams of the subject. 60%

The academic calendar can be consulted at the following link:http://bioloxia.uvigo.es/gl/docencia/horarios

The exam calendar can be consulted at the following link: http://bioloxia.uvigo.es/gl/docencia/exam

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## Recommendations

Subjects that continue the syllabus

Biotechnology applied to animal production/V02G031V01410

# Subjects that it is recommended to have taken before

Animal physiology I/V02G030V01502

#### **Other comments**

For the correct follow-up of the subject, the student must register at the beginning of the course on the tele-teaching platform.

In the registration, it is important that you include the e-mail address that you use regularly, in order to receive information from your teaching staff in a personalized way