## **GRADE 11 BIOLOGY TERM PLAN**

## 2024-2025

## **TERM ONE: September 2- December 19, 2024**

DATES	WEEK	THEORY	LABS/QUIZ/TESTS	
SEPTEMBER				
September 2-6	WEEK 1 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>Review of End of Year Exam</li> <li>Discuss expectations for CSEC labs and point out common errors made in Grade 10</li> </ul>		
September 9-13	WEEK 2 3 Sessions	RESPIRATION	**Completion of Outstanding Labs  *Lab #1-Enzymes  OR  LAB #2- The effect of exercise on respiration	
September 16-20	WEEK 3 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>RESPIRATORY SYSTEM</li> <li>Mechanism of breathing</li> <li>Gaseous exchange</li> <li>Effects of cigarette smoking on the respiratory system</li> <li>Diseases of the respiratory system</li> </ul>	Coursework 1- Worksheet on Respiration and the Respiratory system	

September 23-27	WEEK 4 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>IRRITABILITY AND MOVEMENT         <ul> <li>Definition of 'stimulus' and 'response';</li> <li>Response of green plants to stimuli</li> <li>Growth movement in plants</li> <li>Response of invertebrates to variations in light intensity, temperature and moisture</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Assign Group presentation on Brain, Skin and Eye objectives.  LAB #2- The effect of exercise on respiration
		<ul> <li>Growth movement of animals</li> <li>Explain why the response to stimuli is important for the survival of organisms</li> <li>OCTOBER</li> </ul>	
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September 30- October 4	WEEK 5 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>IRRITABILITY</li> <li>Receptor and Effector</li> <li>Relationship among the receptor, the central nervous system and the effector</li> <li>explain a simple reflex action</li> <li>describe the functions of the main regions of the brain</li> <li>physiological, social and economic effects of drug abuse</li> </ul>	LAB #3- Respiration- Drawing of gills  LAB WRITE UP-  Complete lab write ups for Respiration
October 7-11	WEEK 6 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>Structure and function of the human eye</li> <li>explain accommodation, sight defects and the corrections of each</li> <li>Relate the structure of the human skin to its function in temperature regulation and protection</li> </ul>	LAB - IMPLEMENTATION for IP  Coursework 2- Group Presentation on Brain, Skin and Eye.

Oct 14-16	WEEK 7 1-3 Sessions	<ul> <li>movement</li> <li>relate the structure of the skeleton to its function in humans</li> <li>discuss the importance of locomotion in animals</li> <li>describe the mechanism of movement in a human forelimb</li> </ul>	*Assign Lab #5-Growth of Pea		
	October 17 - 21 MID TERM BREAK				
	1st Standardized Test Oct 22 - 28 Week 8				
October 29 -November 1	WEEK 9 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>Review the stages of Mitosis using 2-D diagrams; Group activity</li> <li>Define growth</li> <li>Measurement of growth</li> <li>Growth of insects and crustaceans</li> </ul> NOVEMBER			
November 4-8	WEEK 10 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>GROWTH</li> <li>Factors affecting population growth</li> <li>S-curves</li> <li>Germination</li> <li>Role of mitosis in asexual reproduction</li> </ul>	Hand out the procedure for LAB#5-Variation lab.		
November 11-15	WEEK 11 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>GENETICS</li> <li>Definitions of terms genes, chromosomes, DNA, etc.</li> <li>Monohybrid cross for codominance incomplete dominance and complete dominance.</li> <li>Practicing the monohybrid cross</li> </ul>	Write up LAB #4- Growth of Pea		

November 18-22	WEEK 12 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>Introduction of continuous and discontinuous variation</li> <li>VARIATION &amp; NATURAL SELECTION</li> <li>Variation (continuous and discontinuous) Mutation</li> <li>Sex linked disease, sex determination, sickle cell, color blindness, testcross, pedigree chart</li> <li>Continue variation (Example: foot size, presence or absence of horns in cattle, pod size, tongues rolling, and leaf size. Mention genetic and environmental effects).</li> <li>Complete teaching on Variation</li> </ul>	Course Work 3- Quizizz on Genetics
Nov 25-29	WEEK 13 3 Sessions	NATURAL SELECTION & EVOLUTION  Define Biological species Speciation (definition of speciation, types of speciation (causes by physical/geographical separation; caused by ecological/behavioral differences)  Importance of natural selection in preserving useful adaptations, e.g., evolution of cassava plants, sea turtles, Caribbean lizards)  Distinguish between natural and artificial selection	.Assign Coursework -Group research and presentation of the Advantages and Disadvantages of Genetic Engineering

		Explain how natural selection plays a role in biological evolution     Examples: peppered moth, the Galapagos finches, bacterial resistance, radiation of the Caribbean lizards.      DECEMBER		
December 2-6	WEEK 14 3 Sessions	<ul> <li>What is genetic engineering?</li> <li>How can it be used to change the traits of an organism?</li> <li>Advantages and Disadvantages of genetic engineering:</li> <li>(Social, ethical and ecological implications; Fingerprinting, DNA tests, gene therapy, captive breeding programs).</li> </ul>		
2nd Standardized Test				
		Dec 9-13		
Week 15				
December 16-19	WEEK 16 1-3 Sessions	Revision for Mock Exam		
END OF TERM				
December 19, 2023				