Submission of Video assignment article (4 marks).

Week 8 Epigenetics.

Tutorial 7. Discussion of bivalent chromatin In-person Quiz 6 (2 marks)

Week 9 Regulation of splicing.

Students should check Brightspace

https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/Academic_ Accommodation_disabilities.pdf

Academic Consideration for Student Absence

Remember students must complete 76% of the course assessments to pass. In addition students must complete the video assignment to pass as that is a learning outcome. Non-completion of 76% of the assessments under any circumstances will result in failure of the course. In addition, remember there are make ups for Test 1 and 2. If the scheduled makeup for Test 1 and 2 can not be met and you have not completed 76% of the assessments there will be an examination on the material covered in the test missed. The accommodation for these students will be an evaluation of my choosing: essay, oral, short answer, problem solving or a mixture. Students will not be allowed to write a makeup if they have already written the test or final.

Academic Consideration for Student Absences

Missed Quizzes (2% each)

Absences from the quizzes do not have to be communicated to the instructor; therefore, no academic consideration is required to be supplied when you miss a quiz. The marks of a missed quiz will be put on the final examination. However, it is the student's responsibility to make sure that they keep track of how many assessments they have missed and whether they have completed sufficient assessments to pass the course (76%).

Late submission of Video Assignment Article (4%)

The assignment is due on. People who submit the assignment on or before the deadline will receive an automatic on-time bonus of 1/2 a mark. Assignments submitted after the deadline but on or before will not receive a late penalty. Therefore, you have been granted a 3 day no penalty period. This means that you can submit this assignment up to 3 days after the deadline without penalty. As such, requests for academic consideration will be denied. A mark will be removed for each subsequent day the assignment is late. The Video Assignment Article will be screened for plagiarism using turnitin. All plagiarism will be reported to the Dean of the student's faculty.

Tests 1 and 2

Assessments worth 10% or more of the overall course grade:

For work totalling 10% or more of the final course grade two approaches are possible:

You may use the self-attestation without medical documentation once in this course; or

You must provide valid medical or supporting documentation to the Academic Advising Office of your Faculty of Registration as soon as possible. For further

https://www.westerncalendar.uwo.ca/PolicyPages.cfm?Command=showCategory&PolicyCategoryID=1&SelectedCalendar=Live&ArchiveID=#SubHeading_400

The Student Medical Certificate is available at

https://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/medicalform.pdf.

Test 1 and 2 (20%). If both the test and makeup for one of these two tests is missed

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A non-programable calculator will be required to answer some questions during the tests and final exam. Therefore, the only things that you may have with you are a calculator and writing implements when writing the tests and exam in-person.

Scholastic offences are taken seriously and students are directed to read the appropriate policy, specifically, the definition of what constitutes a Scholastic Offence, at the following Web site:

http://www.uwo.ca/univsec/pdf/academic_policies/appeals/scholastic_discipline_unde rgrad.pdf

Professionalism & Privacy:

Western students are expected to follow the <u>Student Code of Conduct</u>. Additionally, the following expectations and professional conduct apply to this course:

All course materials created by the instructor(s) are copyrighted and cannot be sold/shared

Recordings are not permitted (audio or video) without explicit permission

Permitted recordings are not to be distributed

All recorded sessions will remain within the course site or unlisted if streamed

Online Etiquette:

Some components of this course will involve online interactions. To ensure the best experience for both you and your classmates, please honour the following rules of etiquette:

use your computer and/or laptop if possible (as opposed to a cell phone or tablet)

ensure that you are in a private location to protect the confidentiality of discussions in the event that a class discussion deals with sensitive or personal material

to minimize background noise, mute your microphone for the entire class until you are invited to speak, unless directed otherwise

In order to give us optimum bandwidth and web quality, turn off your video camera for the entire class unless you are invited to speak

internet connection becomes unstable

unless invited by your instructor, do not share your screen in the meeting

The course instructor will act as moderator for the class and will deal with any questions from participants. To participate please consider the following:

instructor to

acknowledge you before beginning your comment or question.

Please remember to unmute your microphone and turn on your video camera before speaking.

Self-identify when speaking.

Please remember to mute your mic and turn off your video camera after speaking (unless directed otherwise).

Keep in mind the different cultural and linguistic backgrounds of the students in the course.

Be courteous toward the instructor, your colleagues, and authors whose work you are discussing.

Be respectful of the diversity of viewpoints that you will encounter in the class and in your readings. The exchange of diverse ideas and opinions is part of the scholarly

Be professional and scholarly in all online postings. Use proper grammar and spelling. Cite the ideas of others appropriately.

Note that disruptive behaviour of any type during online classes, including inappropriate use of the chat function, is unacceptable. Students found guilty of Zoom-bombing a class or of other serious online offenses may be subject to disciplinary measures under the Code of Student Conduct.

11. Support Services

Please visit the Science & Basic Medical Sciences Academic Counselling webpage for information on adding/dropping courses, academic considerations for absences, appeals, exam conflicts, and many other academic related matters: <u>https://www.uwo.ca/sci/counselling/</u>.

Students who are in emotional/mental distress should refer to Mental Health@Western

in the past), you will find information about support services for survivors, including emergency contacts at

https://www.uwo.ca/health/student_support/survivor_support/get-help.html.