

BIOL 3850/5850– MEDICAL & VETERINARY ENTOMOLOGY SPRING 201 3  
SYLLABUS & COURSE POLICIES

Lecture: BC 2022(M, W, F 11:00-11:50)

Laboratory : BC 2071 (Thursday: Section A 930-12:20; Section B1-3:50)

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The following scale will be used to assign final grades:

<u>POINTS EARNED</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
450-500	A
400-449	B
350- 399	C
300-349	D
< 300	F

Special needs Students requesting classroom accommodations or modifications due to a documented disability must contact the Access Office for Students with Disabilities located in Farber Hall. The phone numbers are 248-245 (V/VP) and 219-1348 (TTY).

Tentative Lecture Schedule- Spring 2013

<u>Lecture Topics</u>	<u>Assigned Reading</u>
Introduction & Overview of Arthropods	Ch.1
Morphological Adaptations of Parasitic Arthropods	Ch. 2
Epidemiology of Vectorborne Diseases	Ch.3
Forensic Entomology	Ch. 4
Cockroaches	Ch.5
Lice	Ch.6
True Bugs	Ch.7
Beetles & Fleas	Ch.8 & 9
Flies	Ch. 10 through 19
Moths & Butterflies	

Graduate Students: In addition to the requirements set forth above, students enrolled for Graduate Credit (BIOL 5850) will read and provide written critiques of assigned research papers (TA 20 points total) and present 3 class lectures (10 points each)

Grade scale for graduate students:

<u>POINTS EARNED</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
512-550	A
471-511	B
435- 470	C
360-434	D
< 360	F