

Niagara Falls High School Biotech Course Curriculum Guide

NYS Performance Indicators	Objectives Essential Questions	Resources (Suggested Activities)	Cross-Curriculum Connections	Assessment Items
<p>HS-ETS1-1. Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.</p>	<p>What is Biotechnology? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Identify product domains - Outline steps in producing and delivering product - Give examples of careers - Describe scientific methods used to experiment and develop product - Make bioethical assessments 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 1</p> <p><i>Lab Activity:</i> Making Cheese – Quality Control and Technique (Found in “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium Lab Manual”</p> <p>Gummy Bear Lab Meeting</p>	<p>Engineering: Developing an understanding of problem-solving methods</p> <p>Math: Calculations and measurements connected to experimentation</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Chapter 1 Activity 1.1 – Use the internet to research biotechnology industry companies and products. Activity 1.5 – Summary of current article connected to biotechnology Bioethics – Using Animals in Science and Industry Assignment</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 1 Test (multiple choice and short answer)</p>
<p>HS-LS1-1. Construct an explanation based on evidence for how the structure of DNA determines the structure of proteins, which carry out the essential functions of life through systems of specialized cells.</p> <p>HS-LS1-2. Develop and use a model to illustrate the hierarchical organization of interacting systems that provide specific functions within multicellular organisms.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-1. Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative</p>	<p>What are the raw materials of biotechnology? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Explain the relationships between levels of biological organization - Describe cell structure - Differentiate between prokaryotes and eukaryotes - Identify classes of macromolecules - Define genetic engineering - Explain the Central Dogma 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 2 Biotechnology: Laboratory Manual Chap 2</p> <p><i>Lab Activities:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium Lab Manual” Studying the Plasma Membrane Egg/Vinegar Experiment</p> <p>Testing for Molecules</p> <p>Studying Cells with Microscopes</p> <p>Writing a Lab Report Lesson: Diagrams</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Calculations in experiments</p> <p><i>Health:</i> Food macromolecules</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Chapter 2 – “Thinking like a Biotechnician” review questions</p> <p>Eukaryotic and Prokaryotic Jigsaw – bio roots</p> <p>Bioethics – Research on embryonic stem cells and medical therapies</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 1 Test</p>

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<p>criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.</p>		<p>Stem cell lab</p> <p>The Effect of Alcohol on Cell Membranes</p>		
<p>HS-LS1-3. Plan and conduct an investigation to provide evidence that feedback mechanisms maintain homeostasis.</p>	<p>What are the basic skills of the Biotechnology Workplace? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Determine appropriate measurement tools for specific situations - Use micropipettes - Convert units - Describe pH and why it is important 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 3</p> <p><i>Lab Activities:</i> Pipetting By Numbers: STEAM Pipetting Practice</p> <p>Micropipette “Secret Code”</p> <p>Measurement Olympics</p> <p>pH Lab</p> <p>Buffer Lab</p> <p>Writing a Lab Report Lesson: Procedure</p> <p>Ion Exchange Chromotography</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Unit conversions</p> <p><i>Chemistry:</i> pH, ion exchange, and Buffers</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Measurement Practice Worksheet</p> <p>Lab analysis questions</p> <p>Activity 3.5 – Writing a Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Measurement Quiz</p>
<p>HS-LS3-1. Ask questions to clarify relationships about the role of DNA and chromosomes in coding the instructions for characteristic traits passed from parents to offspring.</p>	<p>What is the structure and function of DNA? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe the structure and function of DNA and how it encodes for protein 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 4</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> Strawberry DNA isolation</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Lab calculations and measurements</p> <p><i>ELA:</i> Writing for Science</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Lab Analysis Questions</p> <p>Lab Report Practice Questions</p>

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<p>HS-LS3-3. Apply concepts of statistics and probability to explain the variation and distribution of expressed traits in a population.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-3. Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discuss the characteristics of viruses and their importance in genetic engineering - Explain the process of genetic engineering - Describe and carry out the process of gel electrophoresis 	<p>Writing a Lab Report Lesson: Introduction</p> <p>Central Dogma Lab</p> <p>Linking Food Science to Biotechnology: Unlock the Color of Candies</p> <p>Writing a Lab Report Lesson: Conclusion</p> <p>Electrophoresis Lab: Outbreak</p> <p>Antibody / Antigen Interaction: Immunodetective Investigation</p> <p>What is the Source of the Ground Meat</p>		<p>Electrophoresis Practice Questions</p> <p>Exit Ticket for Labs</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit Test 2 Multiple Choice & Matching</p>
<p>HS-LS3-1. Ask questions to clarify relationships about the role of DNA and chromosomes in coding the instructions for characteristic traits passed from parents to offspring.</p> <p>HS-LS4-1. Communicate scientific information that common ancestry and biological evolution are supported by multiple lines of empirical evidence.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-4. Use a computer simulation to model the impact of proposed solutions to a</p>	<p>What are Proteins? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe the structure and function of proteins, amino acid R-groups, 3D structures - Explain steps of transcription and translation - Differentiate different protein functions - Examine enzyme activity - Analyze proteins in relation to evolutionary connections 	<p><i>Text:</i> "Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium" E.Daugherty Chapter 5</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> Protein Synthesis Race</p> <p>Nova Lab Protein Synthesis</p> <p>Create a protein using a 3-D printer</p> <p>From Fossils to Phylogenies – Mass Spec Activity</p> <p>From Fossils to Phylogenies – BLAST Activity</p>	<p><i>Technology:</i> Coding 3-D Printing</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Protein Synthesis Activity Results</p> <p>"Thinking like a Biotechnician" questions p. 159</p> <p>3-D Printing Rubric</p> <p>Fossils to Phylogenies – Questions</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 3 Quiz</p>

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<p>complex real-world problem with numerous criteria and constraints on interactions within and between systems relevant to the problem.</p>				
<p>HS-LS4-1. Communicate scientific information that common ancestry and biological evolution are supported by multiple lines of empirical evidence.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-2. Design a solution to a complex real-world problem by breaking it down into smaller, more manageable problems that can be solved through engineering.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-3. Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.</p>	<p>What are Potential Biotechnology Products? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Give examples of plant and animal derived products - Describe and conduct ELISA - Design ELISA protocol 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 6</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> ELISA Model</p> <p>Quantitative ELISA</p> <p>Alzheimer’s ELISA</p> <p>Bio Rad: Giant Panda Problem (Immunodetection, Design ELISA protocol, Qualitative, Quantitative Measurements, Genuine Antibody and Hormone detection)</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Measurements Lab Calculations</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i></p> <p>Lab Analysis Questions</p> <p>Panda Activity Rubric Scoring</p> <p>Activity 6.2 – PowerPoint created to share ELISA and Western Blot descriptions (rubric)</p> <p>Activity 6.3 – Informational Sheet on herbal remedy</p> <p>Activity 4.6 – Transcription Factors and Protection from Alzheimer’s Disease</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 3 Test Multiple Choice & Short Answer</p>
<p>HS-PS4-5. Communicate technical information about how some technological devices use the principles of wave behavior</p>	<p>What are Spectrophotometers?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe how spectrophotometers work 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 7</p>	<p><i>Chemistry:</i> Beers Law</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i></p> <p>Analysis of diagrams, and graphing assignments</p>

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<p>and wave interactions with matter to transmit and capture information and energy. *</p> <p>HS-ETS1-4. Use a computer simulation to model the impact of proposed solutions to a complex real-world problem with numerous criteria and constraints on interactions within and between systems relevant to the problem.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Determine the uses for different types 	<p><i>Labs:</i> Beers Law Virtual Lab</p> <p>Virtual Spectrophotometry</p> <p>Compare/Contrast Spectrophotometers</p> <p>Writing a Lab Report Lesson: Graphing</p>		<p>p. 218 – “Thinking like a Biotechnician” Questions</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 4 Test</p>
<p>HS-LS3-1. Ask questions to clarify relationships about the role of DNA and chromosomes in coding the instructions for characteristic traits passed from parents to offspring.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-3. Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.</p>	<p>How are recombinant biotechnology products produced? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outline steps in genetic engineering procedures and give examples of products - Describe mechanism of action and use of restriction enzymes - Explain bacterial transformation 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 8</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> Bacterial Transformation – Paper Simulation</p> <p>CRISPR Model</p> <p>How does Genetic Engineering produce human growth hormone?</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Lab calculations</p> <p><i>Art:</i> Constructing Models</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Diagram analyzed with rubric</p> <p>Lab questions</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 4 Test</p>
<p>HS-LS1-5. Use a model to illustrate how photosynthesis transforms light energy into stored chemical energy.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-1. Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative</p>	<p>How do you bring biotechnology products to market? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outline steps on brining genetically engineered procures to market 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 9</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> Plant Chromatography</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Lab calculations Statistical Analysis</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Lab analysis questions</p> <p>Lab Reports analyzed with rubric</p> <p>Activity 9.2 Setting the Standard in Biomanufacturing</p>

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<p>criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-3. Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Define chromatography and distinguish between the different types - Explain how product quality is maintained for key types of biomedical and pharmaceutical products - Describe clinical testing procedures and marketing and sales considerations 	<p>Affinity Chromatography of Glucose Binding Proteins</p> <p>Use of Animals for Medical Testing</p> <p>Clinical Trial Simulation</p>		<p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 5 Test</p>
<p>HS-ETS1-2. Design a solution to a complex real-world problem by breaking it down into smaller, more manageable problems that can be solved through engineering.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-4. Use a computer simulation to model the impact of proposed solutions to a complex real-world problem with numerous criteria and constraints on interactions within and between systems relevant to the problem.</p>	<p>What is bioinformatics and how is it useful? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use the tools of BLAST and Cn3D - Understand how bioinformatics can help solve medical issues - Connect bioinformatic skills with career options 	<p><i>Text:</i> Northwest Association for Biomedical Research Introductory Bioinformatics</p> <p>https://www.edvotek.com/342 Learn to Code - Introduction to Python for Detecting Disease</p>	<p><i>Technology:</i> Coding Database analysis</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Lab Reports analyzed with rubric</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 5 Test</p>
<p>HS-LS1-2. Develop and use a model to illustrate the hierarchical organization of interacting systems that provide specific functions within multicellular organisms.</p>	<p>What is the scope and role of biotechnology? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe the function of drugs and how they may be created - Detail multiple uses of antibodies and vaccines 	<p><i>Text:</i> "Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium" E.Daugherty Chapter 12</p> <p><i>Labs:</i> Digestion Connection</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Lab calculations and measurements</p> <p><i>Chemistry:</i> Chemical interactions and reactions</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Activity 12.1 – Antibiotic Resistance</p> <p>Lab Analysis Questions</p>

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<p>HS-LS1-1. Construct an explanation based on evidence for how the structure of DNA determines the structure of proteins, which carry out the essential functions of life through systems of specialized cells.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-1. Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.</p>	<p>What are current DNA Technologies? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe the process of DNA replication in both cells and in the lab - Explain the steps of PCR and the function of a thermocycler - Discuss the benefits and implications of knowing DNA sequences of humans and other organisms 	<p><i>Text:</i> “Biotechnology: Science for the New Millenium” E.Daugherty Chapter 13</p> <p><i>Labs:</i></p> <p>Golden Bread PCR</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Lab measurements and calculations</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Lab Analysis Questions Lab Report Rubric</p> <p>Thinking Like a Biotechnician p. 390</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Unit 7 Quiz</p>
<p>HS-ETS1-1. Analyze a major global challenge to specify qualitative and quantitative criteria and constraints for solutions that account for societal needs and wants.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-2. Design a solution to a complex real-world problem by breaking it down into smaller, more manageable</p>	<p>What is currently happening in Biotechnology Research and Applications? Students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Describe how bioinformatics and microarray technology are speeding genetic studies and the search for novel pharmaceuticals 	<p><i>Labs/Activities:</i> Current Event Research PowerPoint presentation</p> <p>Biotechnology Review – Stations</p> <p>Biotechnology – “Gram” Review Activity</p>	<p><i>Math:</i> Experimental Connections</p> <p><i>CFM:</i> Career Analysis</p>	<p><i>Formative:</i> Station Questions</p> <p>Biotechnology Career Summary</p> <p><i>Summative:</i> Final Exam</p>

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<p>problems that can be solved through engineering.</p> <p>HS-ETS1-3. Evaluate a solution to a complex real-world problem based on prioritized criteria and trade-offs that account for a range of constraints, including cost, safety, reliability, and aesthetics, as well as possible social, cultural, and environmental impacts.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Give examples of RNA technologies, the field of proteomics, and advances in stem cells.- Summarize the main topics and lab techniques covered in this course			
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