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PRE-AP BIOLOGY DISTANCE LEARNING

In its simplest definition, biology is the study of life. In our study of living organisms, we will look at their origins, reproduction, changes over time, their interactions with each other, and their interaction with their environment in order to survive. The primary objective of Pre-AP Biology Distance Learning is to provide students with a solid understanding of biology and scientific methods. This course is recommended for students who are highly motivated, have particular interest in biology and the natural sciences, and want to gain a solid foundation for success in future courses in Biology. The Pre-AP Biology curriculum differs from the typical Biology I curriculum in several ways. A very high priority is placed on critical thinking skills and the integration of facts to analyze real life situations. The labs performed in this course provide an excellent vehicle for gaining an understanding of fundamental processes in nature; learn analytical skills, and mastering lab techniques used in advanced science classes. This course is taught using Blackboard and Live Meeting video conferencing. There is one mandatory orientation meeting on Monday August 24th (4:15 pm – 7:00 pm) at the LCB Academy. In addition, there will be two or three Monday after-school lab sessions at the LCB Academy. The course will be broadcast to you at your home school during the school day. You may enroll in either the 2nd hour or the 6th hour class session.

Students enrolling in the Distance Learning Course will be assigned a laptop computer with the necessary hardware and software to participate in the Live Meeting component of the Distance Learning Class. Students successfully completing this class will earn credit in Biology I.

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THE LCB ACADEMY at 217-4391