

§ GDAŃSK UNIVERSITY § OF TECHNOLOGY

Subject card

Subject name and code	Basic Biology With Elements of Cell Biology, PG_00054673								
Field of study	Biotechnology								
Date of commencement of studies	October 2023		Academic year of realisation of subject			2023/2024			
Education level	first-cycle studies		Subject group			Obligatory subject group in the field of study Subject group related to scientific research in the field of study			
Mode of study	Full-time studies		Mode of delivery			at the university			
Year of study	1		Language of instruction			Polish			
Semester of study	1		ECTS credits			3.0			
Learning profile	general academic profile		Assessment form			exam			
Conducting unit	Department of Pharmaceutical Technology and Biochemistry -> Faculty of Chemistry								
Name and surname of lecturer (lecturers)	Subject supervisor dr hab. Ewa Augustin								
	Teachers		dr hab. Ewa Augustin						
		dr hab. Gracjana Klein-Raina							
Lesson types and methods of instruction	Lesson type	Lecture	Tutorial	Laboratory	Projec	t	Seminar	SUM	
	Number of study hours	30.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	30	
	E-learning hours included: 0.0								
Learning activity and number of study hours	Learning activity Participation ir classes include plan		i didactic Participation in ed in study consultation hours		Self-study SUM				
	Number of study hours	30		5.0		40.0		75	
Subject objectives	The aim of the course is to familiarize students with the structure of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells and viruses, with particular emphasis on the molecular mechanisms responsible for their proper functioning.								
Learning outcomes	Course outcome		Subject outcome			Method of verification			
	K6_U02		The student is able to describe and explain the properties of biomolecules and the course of biological processes in the cell.			[SU2] Assessment of ability to analyse information [SU3] Assessment of ability to use knowledge gained from the subject			
	K6_W06		The student is able to describe and explain the structure of the prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells. Understands the basic mechanisms of the functioning of cellular structures and cell signaling.			[SW1] Assessment of factual knowledge [SW3] Assessment of knowledge contained in written work and projects			
Subject contents	Lecture program: The cell as the basic unit of life; model organisms. Biomacromolecules in cells; Methods of studying the structure and function of a cell; Fundamentals of the structure and function of a prokaryotic and eukaryotic cell; DNA and chromosomes. Basics of DNA replication; Basics of DNA recombination; Basics of gene expression: transcription, translation, gene expression control; Cell division and growth, regulation of the cell cycle; Intracellular transport; Intra- and extracellular signaling; Structure and function of the cytoskeleton; Intercellular connections; Pathology and cell death. Basic knowledge of the functioning of prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells and from other fields (chemistry								
and co-requisites	physics).								

Assessment methods	Subject passing criteria	Passing threshold	Percentage of the final grade				
and criteria	lecture - exam	60.0%	100.0%				
Recommended reading	Basic literature B. Alberts. Fundamentals of cell biology. PWN 2006.						
	Supplementary literature	dition, 2010.					
		S. Freeman. Biological Science. 4th edition, 2010.					
		W. Kilarski. Structural foundations of cell biology. PWN 3003.					
	eResources addresses	Adresy na platformie eNauczanie: Podstawy biologii z elementami biologii komórki - wykład 2023/2024 - Moodle ID: 32600 https://enauczanie.pg.edu.pl/moodle/course/view.php?id=32600					
Example issues/ example questions/ tasks being completed	What are the differences and similarities between a prokaryotic and a eukaryotic cell?						
3 1 1 1	Describe model organisms.						
	Basic concepts in DNA replication, transcription regulation and protein synthesis.						
	Chromatin organization levels.						
	What kind of signal molecules do you know?						
	Types of intercellular connections.						
	Regulation of the cell cycle.						
	The main difference between the mitotic and meiotic divisions.						
	Features of cancer cell.						
Work placement	Not applicable						