

online 1010 should also be taking the online 1020 Lab.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

This course fulfills one portion of Area D of the Learning Outcomes for Valdosta State University's Core Curriculum: Students will demonstrate understanding of the physical universe and the nature of science, and they will use scientific methods and/or mathematical reasoning and concepts to solve problems. (<http://www.valdosta.edu/academics/general-education-council/ge-outcomes.php>)

Specifically, students will:

- a. Learn about the nature of science and how to build scientific knowledge;
- b. Demonstrate a fundamental knowledge of evolution and h

COMMUNICATION:

Email: Email is the simplest and primary way to contact me outside of class and is the quickest way for me to contact you as well. You are required to check and maintain your Valdosta State University email account. I will only communicate with you through this official email account.

Do NOT email using the Blazeview system, all email should be sent directly to [bcring@valdosta.edu](mailto:bcring@valdosta.edu) using your VSU issued email account.

Blazeview: We will be using Blazeview throughout the semester as a tool for sharing information. All official course information is located on Blazeview and students are expected to regularly access the Blazeview website.

Notes on emailing your professor and graduate assistants:

In order to get a reply to your emails you must do the following in your email communication:

Course Component	% of Course Grade
Exams	65%
Participation	20%
Quizzes	15%
Total	100%

