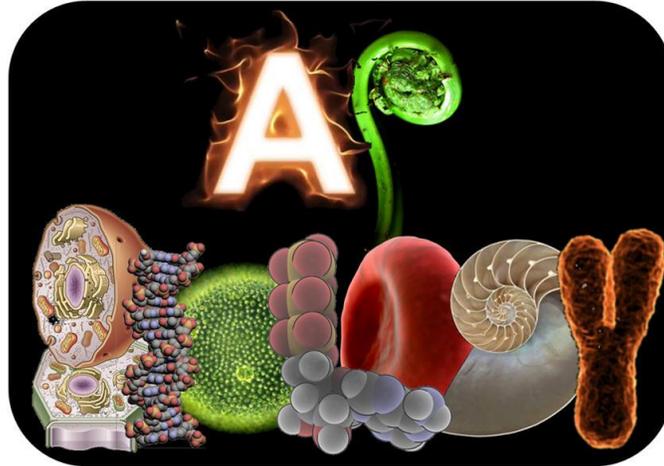


Welcome to MST AP Biology!



Welcome to MST AP Biology! Thank you for choosing to take this class. I am so excited for the year to come with you all!

You will come to see that this class will not be a walk in the park. It is a college level course and will be run in a very similar way. It will require you to be an active participant in class, stay on top of reading/homework assignments, keep up in your AP Biology review book (more on this later), and study for frequent quizzes and tests. It will also require you to develop a new set of skills including how to critically think about how concepts connect (instead of simply memorizing) and how to measure and analyze qualitative/quantitative data through the performance of various labs. While this course will require effort on your part, we promise it will also be a lot of fun! Our AP Biology class will become our own little family. And of course, one main goal of taking this course is to try and get college credit from it! If you take a look at Ms. Missig's Wall of Fame, you know this is possible and very probable.

Please sign up for Remind: @mstapbio23

Please carefully read through the summer work and school supply list sections below! Do not wait until the last minute to complete this project/order your review book. Let me know if any questions arise! Enjoy your summer. I look forward to the fall with you all!

~Ms. Missig (soon to be Mrs. Tawney)

Summer Work

You have 2 main goals for summer homework:

- Design and conduct your own experiment while you use **Speedy Sprouts!** You will present your results the 1st week of school.
- Complete a **“What Does Medicine Do?” presentation/model** that you will present to your team members during the 2nd week of school.

School Supply List

When you begin in the fall, I would like you to have the following materials/school supplies:

- Order the following review book for \$16.50:
 - Go to this link: <https://www.savvas.com/index.cfm?locator=PS1t3p>
 - Type in our district’s **zip code: 48036**; then click on **“L’Anse Creuse School District”**
 - Type in this number **ISBN: 9780136486930**; make sure the book comes up as **“Test Prep Workbook for AP Biology 7e Holtzclaw”** (see below)

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- Check out as a guest.
- If you have any questions, send a Remind message to Ms. Missig!

Please order this test prep book ASAP from the following website and bring it into class on the *2nd day of school* to be checked in for a grade (my book came in the mail 6 days after ordering it so it should not take long to get to you). If you order from any site (including Amazon), it will be way more expensive so please use the site below where the book is only \$16.50. It is important to get the 7th edition of this book (not an old version from a previous student of mine)...the curriculum changed in 2020 so the old editions do not have all the correct material for the course. We will be working with this review book throughout the year instead of only reviewing the month before the AP test! You will get in the habit of turning in your review book the day of each unit test with all the questions completed. You will also be highlighting in it, writing in it, etc. throughout the year. The book will be like your baby! My students rely on the Holtzclaw book so much each year! If ordering/paying for this review book is difficult for you to do right now, please let me know and I will be happy to help.

- 1.5-2 inch binder (you will be given a lot of note packets so a binder will be your best bet at staying organized)
- Loose leaf paper/notebook for additional notes/lab data
- 8 tabs to put in your binder for our 8 units (you can label them ahead of time according to your Holtzclaw units)
- Black/blue pens for note taking
- Multi-color highlighters/pens for note taking
- Red pens for correcting