



# Biology with Mrs. Torres

~ ROOM G103

## communication with the teacher

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2. Remind101 app chat
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### Biology

Remind Code: \_\_\_\_\_

### Biology EOC

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Sign up for the class text alerts for updates on homework, tests, quizzes, and other important dates. **Download the Remind App** to be able to contact Mrs. Torres. Visit our class weelby at [torresrechsbiology.weebly.com](http://torresrechsbiology.weebly.com) for more information.

## school year units of study



### Fall Semester

1. Nature of Science
2. Biochemistry
3. Protein Synthesis
4. Cells
5. Viruses

### Spring Semester

1. Genetics
2. Evolution
3. Classification
4. Human Systems

# RESPONSIBILITY and PREPARATION

1  
Come prepared to class with your Science Interactive Notebook & required supplies. Start working on bell ringers immediately.

2  
Show respect. Stay on Task. Wait to be dismissed.

3  
Follow all school rules in accordance with BISD's student handbook. Always follow proper lab safety guidelines. Refer to your safety contract.

## class materials

Notebook paper

Pencils & pens

colored pencils, scissors, glue

sticky notes, highlighters



## class GRADES

66.7%

33.3%



## FOOD AND DRINK POLICY

In general, water and snacks are allowed in my class (with the exception of lab day). This is contingent on it not becoming a distraction in class, and as long as students can handle the responsibility. This policy is subject to change at my discretion, and at any time.



## BATHROOM PRIVILEGES

Should be used responsibly. No one will be allowed to leave during the first and last 15 minutes of class in accordance with our school's rules. You must ask permission and take a pass. Be quick! If you abuse it, you loose it! **You will loose your restroom privilege if you are late to class.**

## HOMEWORK/LATE WORK POLICY

If students do not complete work during the time allotted in class, it will be assigned as homework. If assigned, homework is expected to be completed and turned in at the beginning of class the day it is due. It will not be worked on in class unless otherwise stipulated.

All late work will be docked 30 points. Emergencies and excused absences will be dealt with on a case by case basis.

## ARRIVAL & DISSMISSAL

You are expected to be at your assigned seat and quietly working on the bell ringer by the time the bell rings. The bell at the end of class only indicates that instruction has ended. Class will be dismissed by the teacher.

## ABSENCES AND GRADES

Please make the necessary arrangements to make up missed work including labs. Daily work grades will be frequently updated. Please check grades regularly and feel free to ask me any questions that you might have about a particular grade.

It is your responsibility to obtain, complete, and turn in any assignment regardless of the reason for the absence. Students will be allowed one day for make-up for each day absent.

All make-up work will be placed in the allocated bin. It is your responsibility to ask for help on making up any missed assignments.

**Test retakes** must be completed within **5 days** after test was administered by appointment only. The maximum score possible for retakes is a **70**.

## CLASS WEEBLY

[torresrechsbiology.weebly.com](http://torresrechsbiology.weebly.com)

## ELECTRONIC DEVICES



Electronic devices should be kept in student's backpacks. Devices should not be out during class, unless otherwise instructed by the teacher or with permission.

First offense: A warning will be issued.

Second offense: Student will turn the phone into the teacher until the end of class.

Repeated offenses: Phone will be turned into office and parents will have to pick up the device.