## 2020 - 21 Alternative Delivery Assessment Plan

To be completed by course instructors or program directors for 3 credit courses that are offered in **BOTH** the traditional (15 week face-to-face) format and in an alternative format (dual credit, online, and condensed time formats). Submit to the Assessment BlackBoard site.

Department: Natural and Computer Science Date: 9-30-2020 Course: Bio 243

Alternative Format(s) – select as many as are applicable: Dual Credit Select Select

Members (must include more than course instructor only) involved with the development of this

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**Course Requirements:** Course syllabi and credit hour calculators are collected by the Dual Credit Coordinator (Dual Credit Courses) and the respective Deans for other courses.

## **Student Outcome:**

- 1. What student outcome will be assessed? Do students understand basic concepts of the process of science, cell biology, biochemistry, genetics, and molecular biology, and can they apply their knowledge of these topics?
- 2. State as follows: Students should be able to [action verb] [something]. Students should demonstrate a basic understanding of structure and function of each system discussed in the course.

**Question**: What specific question(s) are you attempting to answer through assessing this student outcome? (What are you trying to find out? There may be more than one question, but no more than three.) Can students identify the relevant structures associated with a specific physiological function?

Can students recall the function of a tissue, organ, or system that are associated with a specific function? Can students understand the terminology of anatomy and physiology?

## Methodology

- 1. Student Outcome OBJECT\*
  - a. What student artifact from the traditional course will be used to assess the outcome? A cumulative multiple choice assessment to be given at the end of the semester.
    - i. How will the artifact be collected? As questions on the final exam.
  - b. What student artifact from the alternative course(s) will be used to assess the outcome? A cumulative multiple choice assessment to be given at the end of the semester.
    - i. How will the artifact be collected? As questions on the final exam

## **Analysis of Artifacts:**

- 1) Student Outcome: PERFORMANCE CRITERIA\*
  - a. How will the artifacts be analyzed (attach rubrics/scoring tools if used):
    - i. Traditional course: Multiple choice questions will be graded
    - ii. Alternative course(s) (note SAME if the same as the traditional course): SAME
- 2) COMPARABILITY How you will determine if the outcomes of the two are comparable? (For example – there will not be a statistically significant difference among the mean final exam scores). A t-test will be used to assess whether the means between the traditional and dual credit classes are statistically different.

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