

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE
Department of Nursing

ANATOMY
NS 1050 – YA2 – 2nd Year
Course Outline: Fall and Winter 2008

1. General Information

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Class Time: FALL
YA2 Tuesday September 9th - Oct 21st 2:30 – 3:50 p.m. in J201

WINTER
YA2 Monday Jan 12th – Feb 23rd 1:00 – 2:20 p.m. in J204
* No Classes the Week of Feb 16th – 20th

2. Calendar Description

Introductory study of human anatomy for health sciences. Students learn structural and functional components of selected systems of the human body.

3. Course Objectives

At the conclusion of the course the student will be able to:

1. Use and understand the anatomical terminology favored by professionals in the health related fields.
2. Describe the major characteristics of the various systems that comprise the human body.
3. Know the structural importance of anatomy to the functioning of the human body.

4. Required Textbooks and Resources

Saladin, Kenneth (2006), Anatomy and Physiology : The unity of form and function, 4th ed., McGraw-Hill, Boston MA.

5. Course Schedule

See Attached.

6. Transferability : UA - NURS 140, AU, Other

7. **Examination and Grading Scheme**

1.	Fall Test #1	20%
	Fall Final Exam	30%
	Winter Test #2	20%
	Winter Final Exam	30%

8. **Grading System:**

The following system will be used for converting percentage grades to alpha grades.

A+	4.0	90 - 100	<i>Excellent</i>
A	4.0	85 - 89	
A-	3.7	80 - 84	<i>First Class Standing</i>
B+	3.3	76 - 79	
B	3.0	73 - 75	<i>Good</i>
B-	2.7	70 - 72	
C+	2.3	67 - 69	<i>Satisfactory</i>
C	2.0	64 - 66	
C-	1.7	60 - 63	
D+	1.3	55 - 59	<i>Minimal Pass</i>
D	1.0	50 - 54	
F	0.0	0 - 49	<i>Fail</i>

Note: There may be slight deviations from this system in the conversion of percentage grades to alpha grades depending on the grouping of marks within the class.