

## **Course Overview**

Course Title Introduction to Chemistry

Course and Section Number CHM-101-1

Number of Credits 4 Semester Credits

Term 21/WIN1

**Course/Section Dates** 10/11/2021 – 12/11/2021

Meeting Time Class meets on Thursday's at 6:00PM CDT

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Textbook Information: None

(e.g. title, edition, publisher, ISBN)

Link to Doane Bookstore:

https://www.bkstr.com/doaneuniversitystore/shop/textbooks-

and-course-materials

**Additional Course Materials** 

Course Description This course introduces students to chemistry in the context of

the environment and everyday life. Upon successful completion of the course, students will demonstrate an understanding of the chemistry of acid rain, ozone layer depletion, global warming, nuclear reactions of power plants, molecules of life like DNA, proteins, important pharmaceuticals, etc. In contrast to general chemistry, this course stresses the conceptual perspectives of chemistry rather than focusing on quantitative reasoning. This course is designed for non-science majors and

is not required for a science related major. Lecture and

laboratory.



## Foundational Area of Knowledge

Students will gain a greater understanding of scientific thinking and applications using core ideas in courses that include laboratory or field experience. Students will consider the complexities of scientific methodologies in one or more disciplines of the natural sciences, the scientific context of issues they will confront as informed citizens, and the scientific impact on the global community. Students will work to

- employ methods of science for inquiry in a scientific discipline
- develop their scientific literacy and ability to critically evaluate scientific information
- consider the ethical and social implications of scientific study

# Course Learning Outcomes/Objectives

- Describe what chemistry is and the philosophy of chemistry as a science.
- Discuss the periodic table.
- Outline the basic concepts of general, inorganic, and organic chemistry and biochemistry.
- Describe some of the methods routinely used for chemical investigations.
- Demonstrate a basic knowledge of chemistry laboratory procedures.
- Apply knowledge of chemistry to everyday situations.

#### **Technology Requirements**

For the successful use of Canvas please refer to Doane University's <u>minimum computer requirements</u>. This may also include:

- Reliable computer and internet connection
- A web browser (Chrome or Mozilla Firefox)
- Adobe Acrobat Reader (free)
- Word processing software -Microsoft or Google Docs
- Webcam and mic

#### Syllabus Addendum

## www.doane.edu/syllabus includes information regarding:

- Academic Support
- Military Friendliness & Services
- Study Time
- Credit Hour Definition
- Catalog and Policies

#### **Technological Support**

If you are in need of technical assistance, please contact the help desk at 402-826-8411 or by email at helpdesk@doane.edu.



Learning Management System

Canvas: <a href="https://doane.instructure.com">https://doane.instructure.com</a>

Campus Network or Canvas
Outage

When access to Canvas is not available for an extended period of time (greater than one entire evening - 6pm till 11pm) you can reasonably expect that the due date for assignments will be changed to the next day (assignment still due by midnight).