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**Biology** Benjamin Cummings

This concepts-based, full-color text focuses on the "big picture" issues related to human biology, an approach appropriate for liberal arts, nonmajor students. This affordable alternative offers complete discussions, without bogging students down with technical details.

**Human Biological Diversity** Universitätsverlag Winter

Seeking to reenergize Americans' passion for the space program, the value of further exploration of the Moon, and the importance of human beings on the final frontier, Claude A. Piantadosi presents a rich history of American space exploration and its major achievements. He emphasizes the importance of reclaiming national command of our manned program and continuing our unmanned space missions, and he stresses the many adventures that still await us in the unfolding universe. Acknowledging space exploration's practical and financial obstacles, Piantadosi

challenges us to revitalize American leadership in space exploration in order to reap its scientific bounty. Piantadosi explains why space exploration, a captivating story of ambition, invention, and discovery, is also increasingly difficult and why space experts always seem to disagree. He argues that the future of the space program requires merging the practicalities of exploration with the constraints of human biology. Space science deals with the unknown, and the margin (and budget) for error is small. Lethal near-vacuum conditions, deadly cosmic radiation, microgravity, vast distances, and highly scattered resources remain immense physical problems. To forge ahead, America needs to develop affordable space transportation and flexible exploration strategies based in sound science. Piantadosi closes with suggestions for accomplishing these goals, combining his healthy skepticism as a scientist with an unshakable belief in space's untapped—and wholly worthwhile—potential.

**Life on Earth** Columbia University Press

This book introduces key contemporary topics in the study of human variation and human biology and is accessible for students with no background in anthropology or biology. New chapters on

human variation in the skeleton and dentition, and on tracing human population affinities. Fully updated with pedagogical features.

**Human Biology** McGraw-Hill Science, Engineering & Mathematics

Human biology is the science that studies the human body through the lens of anatomy, human genetics and evolution, physiology, immunology, epidemiology and anthropology. It also provides the foundation for a scientific approach to the study of diseases in humans, which involves therapy, diagnosis and prevention. The important sub-disciplines of human biology are pathophysiology, medical genetics, pharmacology, toxicology, pathology, etc. Some of the principal systems of the human body are the circulatory system, digestive system, the nervous system, respiratory system, muscular system and the skeletal system. This textbook attempts to understand the science of human biology in an interdisciplinary manner. This book is a valuable compilation of topics, ranging from the basic to the most complex theories and principles in the field of human biology and related fields. Coherent flow of topics, student-friendly language and extensive use of examples make this book an invaluable source of knowledge.

**Explorations in Basic Biology** Springer

Covers essential topics in evolution, including evolutionary theory, basic genetics, primates, paleontology, and human variation. Featuring updated readings, this book uses a variety of materials ranging from Darwin's original works to popular science writing, to make the information interesting, timely, and relevant.

**Biology Cram101**

Specifically designed for courses in general biology where the human organism is emphasized, and for a growing number of courses in human biology. This lab manual contains 32 outstanding exercises by the successful author of our Basic Biology lab manual. The latest edition contains updates, revisions (See exercises 4, 15 and 30) along with one entirely new exercise, (See exercises 5) on "Enzymes".

**Biology and Politics. Recent Explorations** Pearson Educacion

The Instructor's Manual contains a list of major suppliers; guidelines for infection control in the lab; and chapter-by-chapter materials lists that contain: solution preparation instructions, operational suggestions, and specific assignment tips. Each chapter is followed by the corresponding lab report answers.

**Biological Science** Pearson

No detailed description available for "Biology and Politics. Recent Explorations".

**The Limits of Political Belonging** University of Michigan Press

Anthropology, with its dual emphasis on biology and culture, is--or should be--the discipline most suited to the study of the complex interactions between these aspects of our lives. Unfortunately, since the early decades of this century, biological and cultural anthropology have grown distinct, and a holistic vision of anthropology has suffered. This book brings culture and biology back together in new and refreshing ways. Directly addressing earlier criticisms of biological anthropology, *Building a New Biocultural Synthesis* concerns how culture and political economy affect human biology--e.g., people's nutritional status, the spread of disease, exposure to pollution--and how biological consequences might then have further effects on cultural, social, and economic systems. Contributors to the volume offer case studies on health, nutrition, and violence among prehistoric and historical peoples in the Americas; theoretical chapters on nonracial approaches to human variation and the development of critical, humanistic and political ecological approaches in biocultural anthropology; and explorations of biological conditions in contemporary societies in relationship to global changes. *Building a New Biocultural Synthesis* will sharpen and enrich the relevance of anthropology for understanding a wide variety of struggles to cope with and combat persistent human suffering. It should appeal to all anthropologists and be of interest to sister disciplines such as nutrition and sociology. Alan H. Goodman is Professor of Anthropology, Hampshire College. Thomas L. Leatherman is Associate Professor of Anthropology, University of South Carolina.

**Building a New Biocultural Synthesis** Prentice Hall

There is a revolution underway in biology. It is based on a new perception of bodies and genes, in which the former are the end product of the latter within the continuum of evolution. Twenty five years after Richard Dawkins helped revolutionize our thinking about "selfish genes," it is time to re-evaluate. *Revolutionary Biology* explains in simple, vivid terms what this exciting approach has to offer, and then applies its stunning insights to human beings. This novel perspective, galvanizes our understanding of how evolution works, what living things are all about and, not least what it means to be human. The controversial disciplines of sociobiology and evolutionary psychology have generated startling insights into longstanding questions concerning the nature and purpose of families, altruism vs. selfishness, and free will vs. biological determinism. Written by one of its foremost figures, *Revolutionary Biology* is a manifesto and educated layman's guide to this ongoing revolution. Barash's purpose is to demystify the basic concepts of the genetic revolution and take the reader on a tour--accessible and authoritative--of the principles that underlie this fascinating turn in scientific thought. Much has been written about evolution, animals, and the

animal and evolutionary origins of human behavior, yet only recently have biologists begun to appreciate these connections. The key concept is that genes--not species, not groups, and not even individuals--are the apple of evolution's eye. The result has been a major biological paradigm shift that is making itself felt in the social sciences as well. Barash explores the phenomenon of altruism both at the animal level, and the human level. Barash draws not only on a wealth of biological evidence but on literature, philosophy, and the familiar details of everyday life to communicate the essentials of this increasingly influential approach to the study of the human species. Clearly and engagingly written, *Revolutionary Biology* will be fascinating reading for those seeking an entry into this new science.

**Advances in Biological Science Research** McGraw-Hill Science, Engineering & Mathematics

This comprehensive introduction to the field of human biology covers all the major areas of the field: genetic variation, variation related to climate, infectious and non-infectious diseases, aging, growth, nutrition, and demography. Written by four expert authors working in close collaboration, this second edition has been thoroughly updated to provide undergraduate and graduate students with two new chapters: one on race and culture and their ties to human biology, and the other a concluding summary chapter highlighting the integration and intersection of the topics covered in the book.

**Outlines and Highlights for Biological Explorations** Walter de Gruyter GmbH & Co KG

This self-contained laboratory manual is designed for one-semester or full-year introductory biology courses taken by non-biology majors, and mixed biology majors.

**Human Biology** Transaction Publishers

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Easy to read and understand, this book is intended for non-scientists interested in human biology. The scientific method is emphasized. Easy-to-read book with over 200 illustrations. Clearly stated lab directions. Laboratory exercises conveniently located after each exercise. Clearly stated lab directions accompanied by illustrations. Simplified discussion of the karyotype formation. For those interested in learning more about human biology.

**Biology-- a Human Approach** Oxford University Press, USA

'Material Bodies' is a book about the multiple connections, exchanges, interfaces, between biology and culture. It explores how Americans, past and present, have been empowered or constrained by biological factors (real or imagined), how the biology of human life has been holding a special place within US culture, organizing people's praxis, and at the same time also their desires and fears. Positioned at the intersection of somatic and semantic systems, this volume seeks to bring the resources of materialist cultural critique to an exploration of various material arenas of human life, ranging from the public life of public diseases, the cultural grammars of the human body in genetics, in age and disability, all the way to the tensions between suffering and (its) representations in the available cultural archives. In the arguments presented here, human life and particularly the human body manifest themselves as an endowment, even a resource, but also as sites of questioning, of reflexivity, even of limitation, sites which mark the involuntary dimension of human existence as they impose inexorable limits on individual or collective hopes and projects.

**Human Biology** Academic Press

*Advances in Biological Science Research: A Practical Approach* provides discussions on diverse research topics and methods in the biological sciences in a single platform. This book provides the latest technologies, advanced methods, and untapped research areas involved in diverse fields of biological science research such as bioinformatics, proteomics, microbiology, medicinal chemistry, and marine science. Each chapter is written by renowned researchers in their respective fields of biosciences and includes future advancements in life science research. Discusses various research topics and methods in the biological sciences in a single platform Comprises the latest updates in advanced research techniques, protocols, and methods in biological sciences Incorporates the fundamentals, advanced instruments, and applications of life science experiments Offers troubleshooting for many common problems faced while performing research experiments

**Human Biology** Academic Internet Pub Incorporated

Compatible with any textbook, this manual provides 33 stimulating laboratory exercises for either human biology or introductory biology courses for non-majors in which the human organism is emphasized. The level of rigor, user-friendly language, and abundant illustrations make this manual ideal for students who have had little, if any, prior science laboratory experience. Orientation, The Microscope, The Cell, Chemistry of Cells, Enzymes, Diffusion and Osmosis, Photosynthesis, Cellular Respiration, Cell Division, Heredity, Molecular and Chromosomal Genetics, DNA Fingerprinting, Organization of the Human Body, Dissection of the Fetal Pig, Circulation of Blood, Blood, Gas Exchange, Digestion, Neural Control, Sensory Perception, Support and Movement, Excretion, Reproduction, Fertilization and Development, Prokaryotes, Protists, and Fungi, Plants, Structure of Flowering Plants, Simple Animals, Mollusks, Annelids, and Arthropods, Echinoderms and Chordates, Human Evolution, Ecological Relationships, Population Growth, Appendix A: Common Prefixes, Suffixes, and Root Words, Appendix B: Common Metric Units and Temperature, Appendix C: Oil Immersion Techniques, Appendix D: Classification of Organisms. Intended for those interested in learning the basics of human biology *Biological Science : an Ecological Approach* Transaction Pub Activities to explore the major principles of biology, self-grading quiz, comprehensive glossary, and integrated link to the text-specific Web site.

**Revolutionary Biology** Prentice Hall

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**Human Biology and Health** Kendall/Hunt Publishing Company

Citizenship is increasingly the core concept by which human belonging is defined but do we really understand what it is? This book develops an evolutionist argument to challenge accepted ideas about citizenship and question how well it fits between political prescriptions for sociality and human nature.

**The Human Organism** John Wiley & Sons

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