

# Lee County High School

COURSE SYLLABUS  
2018-2019



**COURSE TITLE:.....Introduction to Healthcare**

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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

Introduction to Healthcare Science is the foundational course for all Health Science pathways and is a prerequisite for all other Healthcare Science pathway courses. This course will enable students to receive initial exposure to the many Healthcare Science careers as well as employability, communication, and technology skills necessary in the healthcare industry. The concepts of human growth and development, interaction with patients and family members, health, wellness, and preventative care are evaluated, as well as the legal, ethical responsibilities of today's healthcare provider. Fundamental healthcare skills development is initiated including microbiology, basic life support and first aid. This course will provide students with a competitive edge to be the better candidate for either entry into the healthcare global marketplace and/or the post-secondary institution of their choice to continue their education and training. The pre-requisite for this course is advisor approval.

**Who Should Take this Course:** Any student who wants to improve their study skills, students who want to be knowledgeable parents, and students who are thinking of a possible career in education should take this course.

## COURSE CURRICULUM CONTENT

The entire list of the course standards can be accessed at [www.georgiastandards.org](http://www.georgiastandards.org).

Units/Topics	Instructional Materials & Supplies
Health Care Careers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ 3-ring binder</li> <li>❖ Colored Pencils</li> <li>❖ Paper/Pen/Pencils</li> <li>❖ Dividers</li> </ul>
Communications	
Healthcare Delivery Systems	
Cultural, Social, and Ethnic Diversity	
Legal and Ethical Responsibilities	
Safety Precautions	
Infection Control	
CPR, AED, First Aid	
Human Growth & Development	
Medical Math	

## EVALUATION AND GRADING

Assignments	Grade Weights	Grading Scale
Exams	40%	A: 90-100
Projects	30%	B: 80 – 89
Daily Assignments/Quizzes	20%	C: 70-79
Notebook Check	10%	F: 69 and below

## OTHER INFORMATION

Expectations for Academic Success	Additional Requirements
<p><b>Be prompt:</b> Be in your seat working when the tardy bell rings.</p> <p><b>Be prepared:</b> Show determination and quality of work on every assignment. Ask questions and continue working until the bell rings.</p> <p><b>Be productive:</b> Maximize instructional time by staying on task and following all directions.</p> <p><b>Be polite:</b> Respect yourself and others! It is important that everyone feels comfortable and safe as participation is a key component of this class.</p> <p><b>Be passionate:</b> Teachers with genuine passion can make the impossible happen!</p> <p>***<b>NO</b> cell phones are allowed during class unless we are using them for BYOT instructional time.</p>	<p><b>Academic Honesty Guidelines:</b> Cheating includes any attempt to defraud, deceive, or mislead the instructor in arriving at an honest grade assessment for you or a classmate. Plagiarism is a form of cheating that involves presenting as one's own the ideas or work of another. Cheating of any kind may result in a penalty of a grade of zero for the work and a parent conference.</p> <p><b><u>Consequences for breaking the rules</u></b>            1st Offense-Verbal Warning            2nd Offense-1 day of detention            3rd Offense-Detention and parent contact            4th Offense-Office Referral</p>

**Makeup Work:** Make up work is defined as work assigned during a student's absence, not work assigned prior to an absence. The student has three (3) school days upon returning to school to complete make-up work. The teacher has the discretion to grant a longer period to make up work, if there are extenuating circumstances.

**Late Work:** Late work is defined by the instructor as work assigned in class that the student fails to complete by the due date assigned. As in the professional world, late work will be accepted, but a 10 point penalty will be assessed for each day the work is late, up to 30 points. For example, if an assignment is turned in 2 days late, then a 20 point deduction will be “charged” to your grade. The teacher has the discretion to give extended time on an assignment, if there are extenuating circumstances.

**Please complete this portion and turn in:**

Student name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address

Parent name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address

1. I have read and understand the attached **course syllabus**.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student signature Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature Date

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