

MAYLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Welcomes you to:
Applied Plant Science
Hor. 162-10
Monday and Wednesday
11:00am-12:50pm
3 credit hrs. 4 contact hrs.

Course Description:

This course introduces the basic concepts of botany as they apply to horticulture. Topics include nomenclature, physiology, morphology, and anatomy as they apply to plant culture. Upon completion, students should be able to apply the basic principles of botany to horticulture.

Text: Botany For Gardeners, Capon

Instructor Information:

Instructor: Eugene A. Stano. AAS Mayland CC

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Attendance Policy/Tardiness/Make-up Work:

Roll will be taken and you are expected to be in class each time it meets. You will be allowed one unexcused absence without grade penalty, but if you must miss class you are responsible for obtaining notes, arranging for help on any material that you do not understand, and for turning in any work due in a timely manner. NOTE: Any student with 3 or more absences will be withdrawn from class by the instructor. Being more than ten minutes late for any class constitutes a tardy. Three tardies will constitute one absence.

Grading Criteria/Tests/Projects:

The final grade will be determined as follows:

Note Book	20%
Quizzes	20%
Projects	20%
Mid term	20%
Final	20%

Grading Scale:

90-100	A
80-89	B
70-79	C
60-69	D
59 below	Fail

Academic Standards/Student Expectation/Ethics:

See student handbook.

Tests:

There will be no makeup tests given except in extreme cases, and at my discretion.

Late Work:

All work must be turned in on time unless prior arrangements have been made. There will be a five point penalty for each class session it is late.

Behavior:

Students are expected to behave appropriately in class. Any excessive talking, profanity, leaving class or other inappropriate behavior will result in the student being asked to leave the class. A conference with student services will be required to return to class. Any one cheating on a test or quiz will be given a zero for the assignment and referred to the Academic Dean for disciplinary action.

Withdrawal Dates:

If you wish to audit this course, you must file a drop/add form with the registrar prior to August 24, 2007. End of unconditional withdrawal, September 25, 2007. If you cannot complete the requirements of this syllabus, you must withdraw from this class by filling a drop/add form with the registrar by Nov 1, 2007. Otherwise you will receive a grade of F for this course.

The following Administrative Withdrawal statement: If a student has not been in contact with the instructor and has not attended class for a consecutive two-week period, an administrative withdrawal will be submitted by the instructor.

Additional Information:

Any student requesting special accommodations for this course due to a disability should apply for services through the SOAR Office of the Counseling Center, which will document the disability. A counselor will then help determine which accommodations, if any, the student needs for success in this course.

Disclaimer:

While I have attempted to be as thorough as possible with this syllabus, course procedure may vary from this outline to meet the needs of this particular group. All dates contained in this syllabus are subject to change due to weather and/or the discretion of the instructor.

Important Note:

Mayland Community College is a tobacco free environment. This includes all smoking and smokeless tobacco. No tobacco is allowed in the horticulture classroom and greenhouses.

