

MAYLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Welcomes you to:

Pest Management

Hor. 164-95

3 credit hrs. 4 contact hrs.

Course Description:

This course covers the identification and control of plant pests including insects, diseases, and weeds. Topics include pest identification and chemical regulations, safety, and pesticide application. Upon completion, students should be able to meet the requirements for North Carolina Commercial Pesticide Ground Applicators license.

Text: Ornamental and Turf grass Pest Management, Applying Pesticides Correctly, North Carolina Pesticide Laws and Regulations: NC State, Pests and Diseases, American Horticulture Society, Weeds of The Northeast, Virginia Tech.

Instructor Information:

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Attendance Policy/Tardiness/Make-up Work:

This is an internet class, you will be expected to login and stay in touch with the instructor as the class progresses

Grading Criteria/Tests/Projects:

The final grade will be determined as follows:

Questions	25%
Projects	25%
Mid term	25%
Final	25%

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 23, 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 November 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.