



Detailed syllabus

Course name

Animal Behavior

Lecturers

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Semester

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Course requirements

None

Final grade

Final exam

Course structure

Topic of the lesson	Lesson #
Introduction to animal behavior	1
Feelings & empathy in animals	2
Effects of stress on behavior	3
Attachment & social behavior I	4
Social behavior II	5
Foraging behavior	6
Predation risk	7
Competition & habitat selection	8
Reproductive behavior	9
Communication	10
Development & behavior	11
Learning, motivation & decision making	12
Mechanisms of animal behavior	13

TextbookAlcock J. 2013. Animal Behavior (10th edition). Sinauer. Earlier editions are also acceptable.