

Molecular Biology 2025/2026

Course Regulations

1. Attendance in all classes of the Molecular Biology Course is compulsory.
2. Being 15 minutes late for class is equal to an absence.
3. Absences in class must be formally excused with a medical certificate of temporary absence
disability obtained from a physician or with an excuse approved by the Dean's office.
4. Such an excuse should be presented to the course coordinator within seven working days after the last day of absence. After this time, absences will not be excused.
5. In justified cases, an excused absence is allowed, and making up the missing portion of the course is decided according to the binding course regulations.
6. The course coordinator decides upon the form in which a student is to make up for a missed class.
7. A student who misses more than 50% of classes is unclassified – will not be allowed to take the final test and will not get credit.
8. Transfers between groups are not allowed.
9. Eating, drinking, and having food or beverages during on-site classes is prohibited.
10. Using any electronic equipment during classes is not allowed without permission of the teacher.
11. Recording and taking pictures of slides during seminars is not allowed without the teacher's permission – presentations are protected by copyright law.
12. There will be a pop quiz during each seminar and each practical in Molecular Biology.
The quiz will consist of 5 multiple-choice questions (with one correct answer; please see syllabus section 3) for preliminary requirements. Each student must collect 60% of points from the quizzes to be allowed to take the final test.
13. All students who do not collect 60% of points from the quizzes must write and pass an integrative test before the final test. There will be one retake of the integrative test.
14. There will be a written examination at the end of the course. It will cover topics discussed during lectures, seminars, and labs. The final test will consist of 30 multiple-choice questions (with one correct answer). The threshold for passing the test is 60% of correctly answered questions. There will be two retakes of the final test. The test will be held at the CiTK using the OLAT platform.
16. Unexcused absence during the final test equals a test failure.

17. Students seeking clarification of material presented in class can participate in the consultations with the course TAs. The consultations are available after prior arrangements via email.

18. In cases concerning procedures not included in the present Molecular Biology Course Regulations, School Regulations apply.