

Greetings and welcome to Microbiology 102!

This is mostly a repeat of an email sent to the class earlier this week and it includes additional information about lab supply sales. Hopefully all who have signed up through this week will have received this.

Microbiology 102 does meet the first week of the semester. There is no tie-in to the separate lecture course, Microbiology 101. Both courses do not need to be taken at the same time, as there is no coordination of lecture and lab material. In fact, many students take 102 in a later semester.

Each of the four sections meets once a week in lab, and there is also a virtual component which will be explained shortly. During the second week of the semester, we will not meet in lab but rather have a "virtual week" to get an introduction to the virtual component. Otherwise, as for the fall semester, we will have the regular lab during the remaining 14 weeks of the semester.

There is a required fee of \$15 to cover the lab manual and supplies which will be available for purchase from the Microbiology Club during the first and second weeks of the semester. Please note the attachment.

We will use Learn@UW for posting scores privately during the semester. Instead of using Learn@UW for posting course announcements and links to resources, we have our own (much handier) website at this address:

<http://www.jlindquist.com/microbiology102/index.html>

Cheers, John Lindquist Coordinator of Microbiology 102