



# Biology

## Course Overview:

Biology is typically the first science course taken in high school. My goal is to prepare students for college-level courses and give them an understanding of the basic biological world that surrounds them.

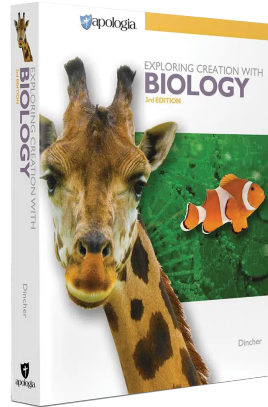
Topics include: the science and chemistry of life, ecology, cell structure and function, cellular energy, DNA and genetics, evolution, prokaryotes and viruses, protists and fungi, plant diversity and reproduction, plant structure and function, and the biology of various types of animals.

## Class Information

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<b>Grades</b>	9th
<b>Prerequisites</b>	N/A

## Required Materials

- **Exploring Creation with Biology**, 3rd Edition Student Text, Apologia: **ISBN-13:** 978-1-946506-45-0
- Composition Book for notes and experiments
- Lab materials will be provided by the instructor.



## Tuition

Tuition includes Lab Fees

**Self-Pay Tuition:** \$200 due on the first day of the fall semester; \$200 due on the first day of the second semester. If the class is dropped after the third class of the semester, tuition is not refunded.

**LAMP Tuition:** \$400 tuition; if LAMP only provides partial payment, you will be responsible for the rest, which will be due October 19, 2023. Students are required to self-pay for any missed LAMP payments due to dropping after the third class or not meeting LAMP requirements during the semester.

## About Me

I have a BA (linguistics) and an MS (geology) from the University of Florida. I taught upper school science for 8 years at a private Christian school in FL. Classes I've taught include biology, anatomy and physiology, physical science, physics, chemistry, and geology. My husband and I also head a teaching ministry where we talk about how the Bible and science agree. We firmly believe that science is a tool that we can use to understand God's amazing creation.

I am also a wife, mom, all around science junkie, knitter, yogi, and outdoor adventurer.