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EVALUATION:	A. Lecture/Lab Quizzes	- 20%
	B. MidTerm Exam	- 30%
	C. Final Lab Exam	- 20%
	D. Final Lecture Exam	- 30%

RESOURCES: (* denotes main resources)
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LECTURE OUTLINE ZOOLOGY 2520 AND ZOOLOGY 2530
(Numbers in parentheses refer to page numbers in Barnes)

PROTOZOA

Importance to humans

Sizes

Difficulties in defining the phylum

Phylum Sarcomastigophora

Subphylum Mastigophora (the flagellates) (14-24)

Locomotion

Nutrition

Reproduction and life cycles

Examples:

Free-living: Choanoflagellates, Dinoflagellates

Parasitic: Trypanosomes - species, vectors, diseases

Giardia

Subphylum Sarcodina (the amoebae) (24-34)

Locomotion and types of pseudopodia

Nutrition

Reproduction and life cycles

Amoebae as research animals

Examples:

Free-living

Parasitic: Entamoeba

The Sporozoans (split into three phyla in the lab manual) (34-37)

General features

Plasmodium - species, vectors, life cycles

Quinine, chloroquinone, newer drugs

A vaccine?

Phylum Ciliophora (the ciliates) (37-56)

Form and structure

Locomotion

Nutrition

Water Balance

Reproduction and life cycles

PORIFERA (71-91)

General features

The three types: asconoid, syconoid, leuconoid

General features of an asconoid type

General features of a syconoid type

Feeding in sponges

The three classes of sponges

The commercial bath sponge

Asexual and sexual reproduction in sponges

Fragmentation

Gemmule formation

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CNIDARIA (92-163)

General features

The classes

Alternation of generations (?)

 Polyps and medusae

 Polymorphism

Cell types of a polyp

Polyp morphology - differences between classes

Medusa morphology - differences between classes

Nematocysts: Anatomy, function, how discharged, independent effectors,

 dual stimuli, penetration of prey, miscellaneous

Feeding and digestion by Hydra

Typical life cycle of a Hydrozoan: *Obelia*

Atypical life cycle of a hydrozoan: *Hydra*

Reproduction

Coral reefs

PLATYHELMINTHES (164-202)

General features

The classes

Symbiosis and free-living

 Obligate versus facultative relationships

 Dispersal and colonization

 Typical class life cycles

 Fecundity

 Sexual and asexual reproduction

Class Turbellaria

 Distribution, orders

Dugesia tigrina detail

 Ectocommensal examples

Class Monogenea

 Distribution, orders

 Anatomy

 Life history

Class Digenea

 Distribution, major orders

 Anatomy

 Life history of selected examples: *Schistosoma*, *Alaria*,

Clonorchis

 Swimmer's itch

Class Cestoda

 Distribution, major orders

 Anatomy

 Life history of selected examples: *Diphyllobothrium*, *Taenia*,
Echinococcus, *Proteocephalus*, *Triaenophorus*

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THE PSEUDOCOELOMATES (217-262)

The pseudocoelomate phyla

 General features

 The phyla

Phylum Nematoda

 General features

 Hydrostatic skeleton

 Growth, moulting, life cycle, the L₃ stage

 "Excretory" system

 Sensory structures

 Importance to man

 Free-living

 Plant parasitic

 Animal/human parasites: *Necator*, *Ascaris*, *Enterobius*,

Dracunculus, *Trichinella*, *Wuchereria*, *Onchocerca*,

Parelaphostrongylus, *Pseudoterranova*

ECHINODERMATA

Deuterostome & protostome features
Three basic features of echinoderms
Five classes
Aboral & oral surfaces
Five importances to humans
Five characteristics
Deriving classes from a common bilateral ancestor
Larvae of echinoderms (773-776)

Class Stellaroidea

Subclass Asteroidea

Body wall (776-778, 782), pedicellariae
Water-vascular system (778-780)
A functional anterior end?
Regeneration and autotomy (787-788)
Asexual reproduction (787)
Sexual reproduction & embryogeny (788-790)

Subclass Ophiuroidea

Body wall (792-793)
Locomotion (793-795)
Water-vascular system (795)
Nutrition (795-797)
Regeneration & reproduction (799)

Class Echinoidea

Regular echinoids vs. irregular echinoids (800-805)
Body wall (805)
Locomotion (806-808)
Water-vascular system (808-809)
Viscera (809-812)
Reproduction & embryogeny (812-814)

Class Holothuroidea

General features & external structure (816-818)
Water-vascular system (821-823)
Sexual reproduction & embryogeny (825)
Evisceration (824)
Tubules of Cuvier (824)
Respiratory tree (819-821)

Class Crinoidea

External structure (826-829)
Nutrition (829-831)
Regeneration & reproduction (832-833)

Class Concentricycloidea

Features
Relation to Stellaroids

Fossil Echinoderms & phylogeny (834-841)

PHYLUM ANNELIDA

Relationships amongst the Mollusca, Annelida, & Arthropoda
Major taxa
Six features of the phylum
Segmentation (263-267)
Schizocoelom (264-265)
Urogenital system (297)

- Prostomium
- Dorsal brain & ventral nerve cord (299, 318-319, 333)
- Trochophore larva (308-309)
- Class Polychaeta** (267-311)
 - Six non-reproductive features
 - Four reproductive features
 - Adaptive diversity
 - Asexual reproduction (302)
 - Sexual reproduction (302-303)
 - Typical life cycle
 - Epitokous reproduction (303-305)
- Class Oligochaeta**
 - Six non-reproductive features
 - Four reproductive features
 - Aquatic oligochaetes
 - Terrestrial oligochaetes
 - Deposit feeders
 - Anatomy of the gut (315-317)
 - Accessory gut structures (316)
 - Asexual reproduction & regeneration (320)
 - Sexual reproduction (320-325)
 - Worms are our friends
- Class Hirudinea**
 - Six non-reproductive features
 - Four reproductive features
 - Proboscis leeches
 - Jawed leeches
 - Various aspects of feeding (330-332)
 - Digestion (332)
- Worm-like animals
 - Phylum Pogonophora** (716-719)
 - Phylum Sipuncula** (719-722)
 - Phylum Echiura** (722-725)

PHYLUM MOLLUSCA

- General features
- Seven classes
- Survey of the four minor classes (393-402, 440-442)
- Hypothetical archetype molluscan: habitat, mantle, shell, odontophore, radula, gut, protostyle, coelomic structures, route of blood, mantle cavity, gills, nervous system, life cycle (342-347)
- Class Gastropoda**
 - Three subclasses
 - Torsion (347-349)
 - Subclass Prosobranchia** (353-354)
 - Subclass Opisthobranchia** (354-358)
 - Subclass Pulmonata** (358-359)
 - Locomotion (359-364)
 - Feeding (364-379)
 - Reproduction & embryogeny (384-389)
- Class Bivalvia**
 - General features (402-406)
 - Gills & filter-feeding (407-413)

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Life cycles (437-439)

Life styles (416-433)

Infauna: shallow burrowers in soft substrate, deep burrowers in soft substrate, boring bivalves in hard substrate

Epifauna: unattached, attached via threads, attached via cement

Pearls

Class Cephalopoda

General features (442-446)

Subclass Nautiloidea

Subclass Ammonoidea

Subclass Coleoidea (446-451)

Orders: **Belemnoidea, Sepioida, Teuthoidea, Octopoda, Vampyromorpha**

Feeding by squids (452-455)

Cephalopod ink (459-460)

Reproduction (460-463)

PHYLUM ARTHROPODA

Exoskeleton (474-479)

Metamorphosis

Subphylum Trilobita (487-490)

Subphylum Chelicerata

Class Merostomata (492-497)

Class Arachnida

Tagmata & appendages of an arachnid (497)

Order Araneae (508-529)

General features

Spider silk

General features

Four non-reproductive uses of silk

Four reproductive uses of silk

Spider poison & dangerous spiders

Survey of some arachnid orders:

Scorpiones (503-507)

Palpigradi, Schizomida, Uropygi (507-508)

Amblypygi (529), **Ricinulei** (530), **Pseudoscorpiones** (531-534), **Solifugae** (534)

Spiders vs. opilionids (534-536)

Order Acari

Hard ticks

Soft ticks

Mites

Acari & disease

Class Pycnogonida

Subphylum Crustacea

General features (554-560)

Malacostracans vs. entomostracans

Tagmata & appendages of a generalized crustacean

Survey of the **Class Malacostraca** (592-652)

Subclasses **Phyllocarida, Eumalacostraca**

Superorders **Haplocarida, Peracarida, Eucarida, Syncarida**

Survey of the entomostracans (561-591)

Reproduction in Crustacea

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General features (559-560, 653-654)
Reproduction in **Decapoda** (623-629)

Subphylum Uniramia

Class Chilopoda (667-673)

Class Symphyla (673-674)

Class Diplopoda (674-680)

Class Paupoda (681)

Class Insecta

Body form & locomotion (685-689)

Internal structure (689-697)

Feeding strategies

Reproductive strategies

Medically important insects

Economically important insects