

BIOLOGY 178 SELECTED TOPICS IN IMMUNOLOGY
SPRING 2009 (To be held Thursdays from 1:30-4:00 in B006)

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Date	Topic
Jan 15	Introduction
Jan 22	Innate Immune System
Jan 29	Adaptive Immune Response
Feb 5	Treg/Th17 and Immune Regulation
Feb 12	Transplantation Therapy
Feb 19	No Class- Tufts Monday
Feb 26	Influenza
March 5	HIV
March 12	HIV
March 19	No class- Vacation Week
March 26	Cancer
April 2	Cancer
April 9	Class Presentations
April 16	Class Presentations
April 23	Class Presentations

Though individual students will be assigned papers to present to the class all students will be required to read all papers and participate in class discussion. For the last three classes each student will prepare a half hour presentation about a disease and how the immune system is involved with its pathogenesis and/or resolution. Students will also be required to write a ten-page paper about the topic they present in class. Class attendance and participation are mandatory- each class missed will result in a half grade lowering. Lack of participation and failure to read the assigned papers will result in a lower final grade.