

Clearing the BIO 144 prerequisite for Grossmont College BIO145

The BIO 144 prerequisite will clear automatically for students who have successfully completed BIO 145 at Grossmont College. If you believe you have successfully completed a Biology 144 **equivalent** course at any accredited college or university, follow the instructions below to submit a request for prerequisite clearance. Please note:

- *Equivalency evaluations may take at least 2 weeks to be processed.*
- *Requests for expedited reviews will not result in a faster response.*
- *Failure to submit any items may result in delays processing.*

BIO 144 equivalent courses must have, at a minimum, the following characteristics:

- 4 semester units (or the equivalent): 3 units of lecture and 1 unit of lab
- Lecture and lab each equivalent to at least 48 hours
- Cover content similar to BIO 144 (physiological chemistry, cell physiology, structure and function of human tissues, bone, muscle, endocrine and nervous systems)

Courses must be part of a two-semester Anatomy and Physiology sequence in order to be considered equivalent to BIO144 and the topic list (body functions covered) should match BIO144.

To request a BIO 144 prerequisite clearance, submit the following information by email to the Biology Department Co-Chair, Selene Miles: selene.miles@gcccd.edu

1. Student's full name as registered
2. GCCCD ID number (seven digits, usually starting with 08 or 09)
3. Name of college /university and if it is on a semester or quarter schedule
4. The course name and number for the BIO 144 equivalent course
5. The link to the course's description in the college catalog where course was taken (more information, such as syllabus, may be required if description is insufficient).
6. The year the course was completed.
7. **ATTACH:** A copy of an unofficial transcripts (PDF or screenshot) showing the school name, your name, and the course and grade

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