

HUMAN BIOLOGICAL EVOLUTION AT A GLANCE



Introduction to Anthropology



Theory & Methods in Human Biological Evolution



Cells, Tissues, Organs, and Organ Systems



Human Health, Wellness, and Disease



Gorilla gorilla gorilla, Los Angeles Zoo

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PART OF THE ANTHROPOLOGY PROGRAM

ANTHRO 101 - Human Biological Evolution examines the evolution of the human species. Students learn about cells, DNA, genetics, and the four forces of evolution (migration, mutations, genetic drift, and Natural Selection). The class begins with the colonial history of anthropology and how the field, with its unethical collection of human biological material, contributed to the subtle destruction of “other” Indigenous peoples. This class emphasizes the skeletal system and how humans evolved alongside plants, animals, and the environment. The class incorporates hands-on practicums where students learn from a collection of fossil hominid skeletons, replica fossils, and our closest biological relatives, the living monkeys and apes. The course plan prepares students to understand the human body and how it heals and grows.

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