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Nutrition 260 (VDG 260)

Qualification	Undergraduate
Faculty	Faculty of Natural and Agricultural Sciences
Module credits	12.00
Programmes	BSc Biological Sciences
Prerequisites	CMY127
Contact time	1 practical per week, 3 lectures per week
Language of tuition	English
Academic organisation	Animal and Wildlife Sciences
Period of presentation	Semester 2

Module content

Nutrition in the context of growth, development and composition of organisms. Metabolic processes and control in the body. Overview of nutritional processes. The study of the fundamental principles of nutrient metabolism (including macro- and micro-nutrients and water) and digestion physiology. Applications are made regarding man and animals.

Practical work: Experimental work and problem orientated tasks.

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