Towson University Introduction to Biology in the Caribbean Summer 2025

(subject to change)

Tuesday, May 27	Arrive in <u>Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic</u> Bus from the airport to housing On-site orientation Team building activity Group welcome dinner and group discussion Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Wednesday, May 28	Breakfast Visit the <u>National Museum of Natural History</u> Guest lecture: TBD Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Thursday, May 29	Breakfast Review of lab reports and group research projects Cultural visit Class Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Friday, May 30	Breakfast Visit to <u>Ebano Verde Scientific Reserve in Constanza</u> Lab activity in the biome dome Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Saturday, May 31	Breakfast Visit to <u>Damajagua waterfalls</u> with lab activity Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Sunday, June 1	Breakfast Visit to <u>Parque Nacional Isabel de Torres</u> in Puerto Plata with lab activity Class Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Monday, June 2	Breakfast Visit the <u>Parque Zoológico Nacional</u> Lab activity at the zoo Class Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic
Tuesday, June 3	Breakfast Visit to Los Haitises National Park in Sabana de la Mar Class Overnight in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic

Wednesday, June 4	Breakfast Check out of housing Bus to the airport Lecture on the bus Fly to San Juan, Puerto Rico Bus from the airport to your housing Walking tour of area with discussion about Puerto Rican history Group welcome dinner Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Thursday, June 5	Breakfast Visit <u>Old San Juan</u> Lab activity Class (quiz) Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Friday, June 6	Breakfast Visit <u>Parque Nacional de las Cavernas del Rio Camuy</u> (Camuy River Cave Park) Visit El Tallonal Forest Lab activity Guest lecture: Topic TBD Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Saturday, June 7	Breakfast Visit the <u>University of Puerto Rico at Mayaguez</u> Lab activity Guest lecture: Topic TBD Lab activity Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Sunday, June 8	Breakfast Visit the <u>Salt Flats of Cabo Rojo</u> Lab activity Guest lecture: Topic TBD Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Monday, June 9	Breakfast Visit <u>La Parguera mangrove area</u> Lab activity Free time in the afternoon Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Tuesday, June 10	Breakfast Visit the <u>Botanical and Cultural Garden William Miranda Marin in Caguas</u> Lab activity Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Wednesday, June 11	Breakfast Visit <u>Flamenco Beach</u> on Culebra Island Guest lecture: Topic TBD Lab activity Visit <u>Cabezas de San Juan Nature Reserve</u> and kayak on the bioluminescent bay Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico

Thursday, June 12	Breakfast Visit <u>El Yunque National Forest</u> Lab activity Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Friday, June 13	Breakfast Class Visit <u>Piñones</u> Group farewell dinner Overnight in San Juan, Puerto Rico
Saturday, June 14	Breakfast Check out of housing Bus to the airport Depart Puerto Rico