

**Requirements of the Department of Pharmacognosy and Botany towards students
entering laboratory practice in Pharmacognosy (1) – Winter Semester 2026/2027
– Microscopic and macroscopic analysis of herbal drugs –**

Supplementary information is shared at the Comenius University web and MS Teams platforms.
Access to such materials will be granted using students' e-mail addresses only, i.e., ...@uniba.sk.

The teaching process shall take place in-person (face to face) until the end of the semester.

Requirements:

- students are obliged to wear a white lab coat, which is necessary for laboratory work, (lab gloves and face masks are optional);
- a 100-% attendance at the laboratory practices is required;
- written reports (worksheets) from each laboratory practice are to be handed in;
- microscopic slides shall be handled with care
(the fee to be paid for a broken microscopic slide is 15,- €);
- students must pass **two tests** in the course of the semester (**weeks 5, and 12**), each of maximum 100 points;
 - the point yield should be at least 60 % (each test);
 - students who fail to reach at least 60 % of points in any of the semestral tests will be given the chance to write a reparative test (once each) – until **December 18, 2026**;
- according to the number of points gained in the two semestral tests, the classification will be given as following:
grade A: 200 – 184 points, grade B: 183 – 168 points, grade C 167 – 152 points,
grade D 151 – 136 points, grade E 135 – 120 points, grade FX (no pass): 119 – 0 points.

Note:

Successful passing of the laboratory practices, including the written tests, is a basic requirement to attend the exam in Pharmacognosy (1) in the Winter Semester.