

# Programme of lectures and practicals in Oral histology and embryology (aZLOH) for the 2nd year of Dentistry

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## Lectures (even weeks)

1. 17. 2. – 21. 2. 2025

**Introduction**, information about the completion of the course, recommended literature.

**Orofacial system**, its structural components, and functions. **Oral cavity** - walls and contents. Structure and functions of the **oral mucosa**, types of mucosae. **Taste buds**.

2. 24. 2. – 28. 2. 2025

3. 3. 3. – 7. 3. 2025

### Salivary glands, TMJ

Microstructure and classification of salivary glands. Temporomandibular joint, microstructure and function.

4. 10. 3. – 14. 3. 2025

5. 17. 3. – 21. 3. 2025

### Alveolar process, Periodontium

Microstructure of the alveolar process and clinical aspects of its remodelling.

Microstructure of the periodontium, its function and clinical aspects. Gingiva, sulcus gingivalis.

6. 24. 3. – 27. 3. 2025

7. 31. 3. – 4. 4. 2025

### Enamel, Cementum

Enamel microstructure, function, amelogenesis and age-related changes. Microstructure of cementum, types and its clinical significance.

## Practice (odd weeks)

1. 17. 2. – 21. 2. 2025

2. 24. 2. – 28. 2. 2025

Microscopic structure and functional histology: lips, palate, cheeks, tongue.

Samples: *labium oris, palatum molle, apex linguae, papilla vallata, radix linguae.*

3. 3. 3. – 7. 3. 2025

4. 10. 3. – 14. 3. 2025

Salivary glands, TMJ – microstructure.

Samples: *gl. parotis, gl. submandibularis, gl. sublingualis, gl. apicis linguae, TMJ.*

5. 17. 3. – 21. 3. 2025

6. 24. 3. – 27. 3. 2025

### Tonsils, Introduction to the tooth

Samples: *Tonsilla palatina, tonsilla lingualis.*

7. 31. 3. – 4. 4. 2025

8. 7. 4. – 11. 4. 2025	<p><b>Dentin-pulp complex</b></p> <p>Dentin as living tissue. Microstructure of the dental pulp, functions.</p> <p><u>Samples:</u> Tooth (ground section).</p>
9. 14. 4. – 18. 4. 2025  <b>Development of the face, oral and nasal cavities</b>  Development of the face, oral and nasal cavities, palate, nasal septum, atrium of the oral cavity, upper and lower jaws.	
10. 21. 4. – 25. 4. 2025	<p><b>10. 21. 4. – 25. 4. 2025</b></p> <p><b>Tooth development</b></p> <p><u>Samples:</u> Different stages of tooth development - pig, human.</p>
11. 28. 4. – 2. 5. 2025  <b>Development of the tongue, salivary glands, pharyngeal arches</b>  Tongue development, defects. Development of salivary glands. Development and features of pharyngeal arches and their derivatives.	<p><b>11. 28. 4. – 2. 5. 2025</b></p>
12. 5. 5. – 9. 5. 2025	<p><b>12. 5. 5. – 9. 5. 2025</b></p> <p><b>Science and research, regenerative dental medicine</b></p> <p>Current focus of dental research, advances in the field of regenerative dentistry. Are we going to be able to repair or regenerate our teeth?</p> <p><u>Discussion.</u></p> <p><u>Credit test</u> (the course will be credited only after attendance at the invited lecture)</p>
13. 12. 5. – 16. 5. 2025  <b>Permanent dentition, defects</b>  Development of permanent dentition and a time overview. Mixed dentition. Differences in the structure of primary and secondary teeth. Developmental defects of teeth.	<p><b>13. 12. 5. – 16. 5. 2025</b></p>
14. 20. 5. – 24. 5. 2025	<p><b>14. 20. 5. – 24. 5. 2025</b></p> <p><b>RESERVE TERM / INVITED LECTURE</b></p>

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