

## KOI HEALTH ADVISER

### COURSE OUTLINE

YOU WILL NEED ADOBE READER TO TAKE THIS COURSE  
IF YOU DON'T HAVE IT PLEASE EMAIL ME FOR HELP  
IF YOU HAVE ADOBE PRO PLEASE  
DO NOT EDIT ANY OF THE ORMS WITHOUT LETTING ME  
KNOW FIRST. APPRECIATE THAT  
SHORT INSTRUCTIONS

Download the unit and/or quiz onto your desktop or wherever you want to keep it on your computer.

When you complete the quiz, use the "save" function on your computer to save the quiz. Do not use "save as" or "save a copy".

Send the saved quiz to me at [khacourse@comcast.net](mailto:khacourse@comcast.net) as an attachment to a new email. Please don't send me a reply to my original email with the uncompleted quiz. I get confused easily .... :)

I will make sure to note receipt of the quiz and send it on the grader, who for now will be Terry Maxfield. It's a big job so please be patient. If you want the next unit before you get your quiz back, just let me know.

Once it is graded, it will be returned to you. So all of your email about the course should come from [khacourse@comcast.net](mailto:khacourse@comcast.net) or [terrymaxfield.kha@gmail.com](mailto:terrymaxfield.kha@gmail.com)

All of these units are being written to bring them up to date and incorporate new technology and experience from many koi keepers. If you run across something that you feel needs to be changed or added, please drop me a note at [khacourse@comcast.net](mailto:khacourse@comcast.net) and I will make sure the appropriate people get it

When you request a unit I will send you both the unit and the quiz. There is only one quiz for units four and five, so seven quizzes altogether. The test is open book and you should feel free to ask for help from any of several people listed below. The object is for you to learn, so we want to accommodate everyone's method of learning if possible.

The wet lab can be taken at any time while you are working on the course. You do not have to complete the courses to go to the web lab.

### PAYMENT METHOD IS ON YOUR APPLICATION

The only supplemental material that I would say is a must is the Units 4 and 5 material... Advanced Koi Care. No test questions come from the supplemental material to my knowledge.

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1. Unit One – Pond Design
  - i. PDF file of Unit One (43 pages)
  - ii. AKCA Booklet - Guide to Pond Construction (You can buy all of these guides from the AKCA store) recommended but not essential
2. Unit Two – Water Quality
  - i. PDF file of Unit Two (46 pages)
  - ii. AKCA Booklet -Guide to Basic Koi Ponds, Filters & Water Quality
3. Unit Three – Pond Filtration
  - i. PDF file of Unit Three (85 pages)
  - ii. AKCA Guide to Pre-Filters and Filters
4. Unit Four –Koi Anatomy and
5. Unit Five - Koi Physiology
  - i. PDF file of Unit Four (14 pages) and Five (15 pages)  
Advanced Koi Care by Nick Saint-Erne, DVM (highly suggested)
6. Unit Six - Koi Nutrition
  - i. PDF file of Unit Six (50 pages)
  - ii. AKCA booklet Guide to Koi Nutrition
7. Unit Seven - Koi Health
  - i. PDF Ffile of Unit Seven (37 pages)
  - ii. Koi Health and Disease 2 by Dr. Erik Johnson, DVM (You can buy this from the AKCA store) highly recommended but not essential
8. Unit Eight - Hobbyist Interface
  - i. SUPPLEMENTAL Articles by Julie Miller, Spike Cover, and others.

### PEOPLE TO ASK FOR HELP:

Technical problems with forms, emails, website, etc -

Sarah Garrison - [khacourse@comcast.net](mailto:khacourse@comcast.net)

Answers to questions or discussions about unit materia; =

your fellow koi keepers or Terry Maxfield [terrymaxfield.kha@gmail.com](mailto:terrymaxfield.kha@gmail.com)

Other KHA students and Active KHA's:

By joining the course, you have automatically been listed as a member of our KHA only forum. Just go to the website [www.khaakca.org](http://www.khaakca.org). You will not have a password at first - click on "forgot password" and it will send you a new one which you can change once you are signed in.

\*You may want to check into the AKCA Pond Builders' Special as it has several of the above supplemental materials in it at a reduced price. The only supplemental material that I would say is almost a must is the Units 4 and 5 material... Advanced Koi Care. The other supplemental materials are great to have when you are trying to help non-KHAs understand what you are trying to say. Having access to a copy through your club or your own library is a help. No test questions come from the supplemental material to my knowledge.