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functional knowledge of the technologies used to sustain life. Emphasis

To be set...

Textbook –either eBook or Print, your choice, this is a nice reference book with lots of useful design info
Human Spaceflight Mission Analysis and Design, Larson, McQuade and Pranke (2nd ed.), 2014/15
<https://spacetechnologyseries.com/books/Human-Spaceflight.html>

Topics (contents and sequence subject to minor revision during the semester)

Introduction to Human Spaceflight
Human Space Mission Objectives and Design Process
Space Environments – Orbit, Planets and NEO's
Human Physiology ~*alive and healthy*
Ergonomics, Human Factors and Psychology ~*happy and productive*

Systems Engineering Terminology, Definitions, Acronyms and Design Phases

~*Requirement Drivers*

Design Reference Mission (DRM) / Concept of Operations (ConOps)
Functional Decomposition Process
Requirements, Constraints and Ground Rules & Assumptions (GR&A)
Operational Concept (OpsCon)

Fundamentals of Orbits and Entry / Descent/ Landing / Ascent (EDLA) ~*getting there and back*

Defining and Sizing Spacecraft Elements (orbital and surface habitats) ~*support needs of the crew*
Human-Rating Process, 'Human in the Loop' Design Drivers ~*Accommodate, Utilize and Protect*
Determining Habitable Volume

Environmental Control & Life Support System (ECLSS) Functions & Enabling Technologies
Atmosphere Management

