Biology - General Biology Course Plan

Catalog Year 2020-2021

Legend

* Major Requirement

Must be taken to fulfill major requirements.

† Major Elective

Must be taken to fulfill major requirements, or replaced with an equivalent course.

‡ Gen-Ed Requirement

Must be taken to fulfill general education requirements.

§ Elective

Can be chosen from a selection of courses.

See MyGFU for detailed academic requirements.

First Year

Fall Semester

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Spring Semester

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General Biology II (BIOL 212) * 4 credits

Math Elective* (MATH 240 recommended) † 3 credits

I Believe (THEO 102) ‡ 3 credits

Introduction to Communication (COMM 100) ‡ 3 credits

Social Science GE Requirement** (PSYC 150 or SOCI 150 recommended) ‡ 3 credits

Semester Total 16 credits

Cumulative Total 33 credits
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Second Year

Fall Semester

Biology Group Elective †	4 credits
General Chemistry I (CHEM 211) *	4 credits
Lifelong Fitness (HHPA 120) ‡	2 credits
HUMA 205 or Alternate Philosophy & Literature GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Elective Credits §	3 credits
Semester Total	16 credits
Cumulative Total	49 credits

Spring Semester

Biology Group Elective †	4 credits
General Chemistry II (CHEM 212) *	4 credits
Bible Elective GE Requirement (THEO 215 or 315) ‡	3 credits
Elective Credits §	6 credits
Semester Total	17 credits
Cumulative Total	66 credits

Third Year

Fall Semester

Biology Group Elective †	4 credits
Organic Chemistry I (CHEM 331) *	4 credits
HUMA 290 or Alternate Fine Arts GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
History/Politics/International Studies GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Elective Credits §	3 credits
Semester Total	17 credits
Cumulative Total	83 credits

Spring Semester

Biological Exploration*** (BIOL 490) *	2 credits
Organic Chemistry II (CHEM 332) *	4 credits
Biology Group Elective †	4 credits
Intercultural GE Requirement ‡	3 credits
Elective Credits §	3 credits
Semester Total	16 credits
Cumulative Total	99 credits

Fourth Year

Fall Semester

Engaging Christ in Transition (LIBA 400) ‡ 3 credits
Elective Credits § 9 credits

Semester Total 16 credits

Cumulative Total 115 credits

Spring Semester

Upper Division Biology Elective † 4 credits
Elective Credits § 12 credits
Semester Total 16 credits
Cumulative Total 131 credits

Notes

*To fulfill GE Requirements students can take MATH 150, MATH 180, MATH 190, MATH 201, or CSIS 201. To fulfill Biology Major Requirements students need to take MATH 201, MATH 240 (recommended, but does not meet GE requirements), or CSIS 201 (offered in the Fall). It is recommended that students take either MATH 190/201 or CSIS 201 and MATH 240. Please talk with your CAP Coach or Faculty Advisor for more information about these options.

Please work with your Faculty Advisor and/or CAP Coach to select Biology Group Electives

^{**}Students on a Pre-med track should consider taking both PSYC 150 and SOCI 150

^{***}BIOL 490 is only offered in Spring Semester