

Each specified course or blank space on this form represents 3 credit hours.

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First Year “First Year” courses are required for the degree, but not necessarily in the first year. Some may be deferred if they are not prerequisites for subsequent courses.
30 credit hours

<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1010 or BIOL 1020 (C ¹)	<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 1011 or BIOL 1021 (C ¹)	Life/Physical Sciences
<input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 1011 ²	<input type="checkbox"/> CHEM 1012 ²	Life/Physical Sciences
_____	_____	Lang/Humanities <input type="checkbox"/> WC ³
_____	_____	Social Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> WC ³
_____	_____	Language ⁴

- ¹Minimum grade required to take 2nd year BIOL courses. Some 2nd year courses may be taken if C is not earned in both introductory courses.
- ²Recommended (but not prerequisites) for BIOL 2020 (Cell Biology) and BIOL 2030 (Genetics and Molecular Biology).
- ³Writing Course; 6 credit hours required. The Writing Course may be used to satisfy one of the subject groupings. SCIE 1111 is recommended for BIOL 2040 (Evolution), and if taken counts as an elective (below) but not a Writing Course for BA students.
- ⁴Normally 6 credit hours in one subject; advanced courses may be substituted. See general degree program requirements in the calendar.
- No more than 18 credit hours may be in a single subject in the first year.
- MATH/STAT 1060 (or STAA 2000; Agricultural Campus) is recommended during the first year as it is a prerequisite for BIOL 2060 (Introductory Ecology); it counts as an elective (below). If BIOL 2060 is not taken (students starting prior to Fall 2017 only), MATH/STAT 1060 is not required.

Subsequent Years
90 additional credit hours; at least 72 credit hours must be above the 1000 level

BIOL courses (including BIOL-equivalents*)

<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2020 (Cell Biology)	<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2003 (Animal Diversity)
<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2030 (Genetics and Molecular Biology)	<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2004 (Diversity of Plants and Microorganisms)
<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2040 (Evolution)	<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 2060 (Introductory Ecology)
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_____	<input type="checkbox"/> BIOL 4 _____

BIOL 2020, 2030, 2040, and 2060 are offered in Fall and Winter. BIOL 2003 is offered in Fall only, and BIOL 2004 is offered in Winter only. Students starting prior to Fall 2017 may choose two of BIOL 2003, BIOL 2004, and BIOL 2060. An additional BIOL or BIOL-equivalent course is required if all three are not taken.

3000+ level courses; for a list of BIOL-equivalent courses*, see the Biology section of the undergraduate calendar. Students starting in Fall 2016 or later must include at least one 4000-level course.

Electives (any subject including BIOL)

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Maximum 54 credit hours in BIOL.

Electives (any subject except BIOL)

_____	MATH/STAT 1060
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< prerequisite for BIOL 2060

To add a minor to your degree, take a minimum of 18 credit hours at the 2000+ level in the minor subject, to a maximum of 27 credit hours for FASS subjects and 36 credit hours for FoS subjects. Specific courses may be required, depending on the subject.

*Courses with biology emphasis from other departments that can count as BIOL courses.