

Recommended Timetable for the Biology Major

The Biology major consists of 36 credit hours to be completed in four years (eight semesters). This timetable includes organic chemistry and physics, which we recommend, but which are NOT required. The timetable does not include courses needed to complete the General Education Requirements.

First Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Biol 121 - Biological Concepts I (4 credits)	Biol 122 - Biological Concepts II (4 credits)
Chem 111 - General Chemistry I (4 credits)	Chem 112 - General Chemistry II (4 credits)
General Ed. Courses _____ (7-9 credits)	General Ed. Courses _____ (7-9 credits)
Total Sem. Cr. (15-17 credits)	Total Sem. Cr. (15-17 credits)

TOTAL CREDITS ACCUMULATED FOR 1st YEAR (30 - 34 credits)

Second Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Biol 211 - Cellular Biology (4 credits)	Biol 341 - General Genetics (4 credits)
Biol 210 - Intro. to Ecology (3 credits)*	Biol 210 - Intro. to Ecology (3 credits)*
*(Biol 210 may be taken either fall or spring semester.)	
Chem 211 - Organic Chemistry I (4 credits)	Chem 212 - Organic Chemistry II (4 credits)
(Chem 211-212 is recommended, but not required)	
General Ed. Courses _____ (3 - 10 credits)	General Ed. Courses _____ (3 - 7 credits)
Total Sem Cr. (14 - 18 credits)	Total Sem. Cr. (14 - 18 credits)

CREDITS COMPLETED IN MAJOR (11 credits)
TOTAL CREDITS ACCUMULATED FOR 2nd YEAR (60 - 66 credits)

Third Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Biol Electives (4 - 8 credits)	Biol Electives (3 - 8 credits)
Physics 101/105 University/General Physics	Physics 102/106 University/General Physics
(Either University of General Physics is recommended, but not required)	
General Ed. Cr. (3 - 9 credits)	General Ed. Cr. (3 - 9 credits)
Electives _____ (3 - 6 credits)	Electives _____ (3 - 6 credits)
Total Sem. Cr. (14 - 18 credits)	Total Sem. Cr. (14 - 18 credits)

CREDITS COMPLETED IN MAJOR (19 - 27 credits)
TOTAL CREDITS ACCUMULATED FOR 3rd YEAR (90 - 96 credits)

Fourth Year

Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Biol 451 - Seminar (2 credits)*	Biol 451 - Seminar (2 credits)*
*(Students take Biol 451 once, either in the Fall or Spring semester.)	
Biol elective (3 - 9 credits)	Biol elective (3 - 9 credits)
Electives _____ (3 - 9 credits)	Electives _____ (3 - 9 credits)
Total Sem Cr. (14 - 18 credits)	Total Sem. Cr. (14 - 18 credits)

CREDITS COMPLETED IN MAJOR (36 credits)
TOTAL CREDITS ACCUMULATED FOR 4th YEAR (122 credits)

The following courses will also satisfy some of the General Education Requirements and/or Across The Curriculum Requirements (ATC):

Goal 3 - Biol 121 and 122

Environmental Awareness - Biol 122 and Biol 210

Speaking intensive - Biol 451

Writing Intensive - Biol 211, Biol 250, Biol 311, Biol 312, Biol 322, Biol 351, Biol 363, Biol 364, Biol 385, Biol 391, and Biol 411.