# **BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES** WITHOUT CONCENTRATION B.S.

## **Program Requirements**

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# Minimum Requirements for Biological Sciences without Concentration B.S.: 120 credits

Students must earn a C- grade or better in each course.

| Code   | Title  | Credits |
|--|--|---------|
| General University Re  | •  |         |
| , ,  | l university requirements. (https://<br>nelors/#gurbachelorsdegreestext) |         |
| General Education Re   | equirements  |         |
| Complete the genera<br>(https://catalog.uaf.e<br>#generaleducationre |  | 35-40   |
| As part of the genera following:                                     | l education requirements, complete the                                   |         |
| MATH F230X   | Essential Calculus with Applications                                     |         |
| or MATH F251   | Calculus I   |         |
| CHEM F105X<br>and CHEM F106X   | General Chemistry I<br>and General Chemistry II                          |         |
| B.S. Degree Requiren   | nents  |         |
| •  | gree requirements. (https://<br>nelors/#bachelorofsciencetext)           | 15      |
| As part of the B.S. red  | quirements, complete the following:                                      |         |
| BIOL F115X   | Fundamentals of Biology I  |         |
| BIOL F116X   | Fundamentals of Biology II   |         |
| STAT F200X   | Elementary Statistics  |         |
| <b>Biological Sciences F</b>   | Program Requirements   |         |
| Complete the following   | ng:  |         |
| BIOL F260  | Principles of Genetics   | 4       |
| BIOL F360  | Cell and Molecular Biology   | 3       |
| BIOL F371  | Principles of Ecology  | 4       |
| BIOL F481  | Principles of Evolution  | 4       |
| CHEM F321  | Organic Chemistry I  | 4       |
| CHEM F325  | Organic Chemistry II   | 3-4     |
| or CHEM F449   | General Biochemistry: Metabolism   |         |
| PHYS F123X   | College Physics I  | 4       |
| or PHYS F211X  | General Physics I  |         |
| PHYS F124X   | College Physics II   | 3-4     |
| or PHYS F212X  | General Physics II   |         |
| or CS F103   | Introduction to Computer Programming                                     |         |
| or CS F201   | Computer Science I   |         |
| Complete one of the  | following:   | 4-8     |
|  |  |         |

| BIOL F111X<br>and BIOL F112X | Human Anatomy and Physiology I<br>and Human Anatomy and Physiology II   |       |
|------------------------------|---|-------|
| BIOL F310                    | Animal Physiology   |       |
| BIOL F342                    | Microbiology  |       |
| BIOL F430                    | Plant Physiology and Development  |       |
| Electives <sup>1</sup>       |   |       |
| Organismal elective          |   |       |
| Complete one additi          | onal course from the following:   | 3-4   |
| List D                       |   |       |
| Biology electives            |   |       |
| Complete four addit          | ional courses from the following:   | 12-16 |
| Lists A, B, C, D or          | E   |       |
| Capstone <sup>2</sup>        |   |       |
| BIOL F400                    | Research Capstone in Biological<br>Sciences   | 0     |
| can be done either w         | tion of a capstone research project, which<br>vorking individually with a faculty member<br>following courses: <sup>3,4</sup> |       |
| BIOL F440                    | Behavioral Neuroscience Research<br>Capstone  |       |
| BIOL F441                    | Animal Behavior   |       |
| BIOL F466                    | Advanced Cell and Molecular<br>Laboratory   |       |
| BIOL F472                    | Community Ecology   |       |
| BIOL F473                    | Limnology   |       |
| BIOL F491                    | The Human Microbiome  |       |
| Electives                    |   |       |
| General Electives            |   | 6-22  |
| Total Credits                |   | 120   |
|                              |   |       |

<sup>1</sup> BIOL F397, BIOL F497, URSA F388 or URSA F488 courses may be substituted by petition for a maximum of two required elective courses in biology (3-4 credits of independent study or research per substituted course). The subject area of the independent study or research will determine which biological subject areas the credits satisfy.

 $^{2}$  Fulfills the baccalaureate capstone requirement.

<sup>3</sup> Students working individually with a faculty member may, for example, take BIOL F497, or may work with a faculty member taking without course credits.

<sup>4</sup> Capstone courses may be double counted as electives.

# **Biology Elective Course Lists**

Courses that satisfy upper-division elective credit may require prerequisites.

#### LIST A - CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

| Code      | Title                             | Credits |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|---------|
| BIOL F342 | Microbiology                      | 4       |
| BIOL F360 | Cell and Molecular Biology        | 3       |
| BIOL F417 | Neurobiology                      | 3       |
| BIOL F435 | Introduction to Biology of Cancer | 3       |
| BIOL F460 | Principles of Virology            | 3       |
| BIOL F462 | Infectious Diseases               | 3       |
| BIOL F463 | Immunology                        | 3       |

| BIOL F466 | Advanced Cell and Molecular<br>Laboratory                   | 3 |
|-----------|---|---|
| CHEM F325 | Organic Chemistry II  | 4 |
| CHEM F449 | General Biochemistry: Metabolism                            | 3 |
| CHEM F450 | Information Storage and Transfer.<br>Molecules and Pathways | 3 |
| CHEM F470 | Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience                         | 3 |
| CHEM F474 | Neurochemistry  | 3 |

### LIST B - PHYSIOLOGY

| Code      | Title  | Credits |
|-----------|--|---------|
| BIOL F310 | Animal Physiology                            | 4       |
| BIOL F312 | Medical Physiology                           | 3       |
| BIOL F335 | Principles of Epidemiology                   | 3       |
| BIOL F342 | Microbiology                                 | 4       |
| BIOL F412 | Exercise Physiology                          | 3       |
| BIOL F417 | Neurobiology                                 | 3       |
| BIOL F430 | Plant Physiology and Development             | 3       |
| BIOL F440 | Behavioral Neuroscience Research<br>Capstone | 3       |
| BIOL F441 | Animal Behavior                              | 4       |
| BIOL F455 | Environmental Toxicology                     | 3       |
| BIOL F457 | Environmental Microbiology                   | 3       |
| BIOL F462 | Infectious Diseases                          | 3       |
| WLF F305  | Wildlife Diseases                            | 3       |

# LIST C - ECOLOGY AND EVOLUTIONARY BIOLOGY

| Code      | Title  | Credits |
|-----------|--|---------|
| BIOL F371 | Principles of Ecology                        | 4       |
| BIOL F385 | Global Change Biology                        | 3       |
| BIOL F415 | Systematic and Comparative Biology           | 4       |
| BIOL F418 | Biogeography                                 | 3       |
| BIOL F431 | Population Genetics                          | 3       |
| BIOL F441 | Animal Behavior                              | 4       |
| BIOL F446 | Freshwater Habitat Dynamics                  | 3       |
| BIOL F457 | Environmental Microbiology                   | 3       |
| BIOL F469 | Landscape Ecology and Wildlife Habitat       | 3       |
| BIOL F471 | Population Ecology                           | 3       |
| BIOL F472 | Community Ecology                            | 4       |
| BIOL F473 | Limnology                                    | 4       |
| BIOL F476 | Ecosystem Ecology                            | 4       |
| BIOL F486 | Vertebrate Paleontology                      | 3       |
| BIOL F487 | Conceptual Issues in Evolutionary<br>Biology | 3       |
| BIOL F488 | Arctic Vegetation Ecology: Geobotany         | 3       |
| BIOL F489 | Vegetation Description and Analysis          | 3       |
| BIOL F491 | The Human Microbiome                         | 4       |
| WLF F301  | Design of Wildlife Studies                   | 3       |
| WLF F421  | Ecology and Management of Large<br>Mammals   | 3       |

#### LIST D - ORGANISMAL BIOLOGY

| Code      | Title                               | Credits |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| BIOL F239 | Introduction to Plant Biology       | 4       |
| BIOL F331 | Systematic Botany                   | 3       |
| BIOL F406 | Entomology                          | 4       |
| BIOL F418 | Biogeography                        | 3       |
| BIOL F425 | Mammalogy                           | 3       |
| BIOL F426 | Ornithology                         | 3       |
| BIOL F427 | Ichthyology                         | 4       |
| BIOL F486 | Vertebrate Paleontology             | 3       |
| BIOL F489 | Vegetation Description and Analysis | 3       |

#### LIST E - BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE

| Code      | Title   | Credits |
|-----------|---|---------|
| BIOL F312 | Medical Physiology  | 3       |
| BIOL F335 | Principles of Epidemiology                                  | 3       |
| BIOL F402 | <b>Biomedical and Research Ethics</b>                       | 3       |
| BIOL F412 | Exercise Physiology   | 3       |
| BIOL F417 | Neurobiology  | 3       |
| BIOL F435 | Introduction to Biology of Cancer                           | 3       |
| BIOL F440 | Behavioral Neuroscience Research<br>Capstone                | 3       |
| BIOL F455 | Environmental Toxicology                                    | 3       |
| BIOL F460 | Principles of Virology                                      | 3       |
| BIOL F462 | Infectious Diseases   | 3       |
| BIOL F463 | Immunology  | 3       |
| BIOL F466 | Advanced Cell and Molecular<br>Laboratory                   | 3       |
| BIOL F491 | The Human Microbiome  | 4       |
| CHEM F450 | Information Storage and Transfer.<br>Molecules and Pathways | 3       |
| CHEM F470 | Cellular and Molecular Neuroscience                         | 3       |
| CHEM F474 | Neurochemistry  | 3       |
| WLF F305  | Wildlife Diseases   | 3       |