

# 2023-2024 Biology BS Degree Plan



Student name: \_\_\_\_\_ UMID: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor name: \_\_\_\_\_ Concentration: **None**

UNIVERSITY of  
MONTEVALLO

## The Purpose of General Education is to Gain:

- Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World
- Intellectual and Practical Skills
- Personal and Social Responsibility
- Integrative and Applied Learning

## Key Courses for General Education (50 hours)

1. **Written Composition (6)**  
Choose: ENG 101 or 103. 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Choose: ENG 102 or 104. 3 \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Humanities & Fine Arts (18)**  
Choose one: ENG 231, 233, 232 or 234.\* 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Students must complete a six-hour sequence in either History or Literature. Students may complete both sequences.  
Choose: COMS 101 or 102. 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Choose one Fine Arts: ART 100, 120, 220; 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 MC 100, 325; MUS 121 or 122, 125, 211, 240, 255, 342; THEA 120 or 122.  
Choose one Humanities:  
 ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 or 103, 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; GER 101, 102, 201, 202; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110.  
Choose two of the following (not used above):  
 ART 100, 120, 220; ENG 231 or 233, 232 or 234; 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 FRN 101, 102, 150, 201, 202, 250; SPN 101 or 103, 102 or 104, 150, 201, 202, 250; GER 101, 102, 201, 202; MC 100, 325; MUS 121 or 122, 125, 211, 240, 255, 342; PHIL 110 or 111, 180, 220 or 221, 230, 280, 290; REL 110; THEA 120 or 122.
3. **Natural Sciences & Mathematics (11)**  
Choose: CHEM 121. 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Choose: PHYS 201 or 241. 4 \_\_\_\_\_  
Choose: MATH 157. 3 \_\_\_\_\_
4. **History, Social & Behavioral Sciences (12)**  
Choose one: HIST 101, 103, 102 or 104.\* 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Students must complete a six-hour sequence in either History or Literature. Students may complete both sequences.  
Choose three of the following not used above:  
 EC 231, 232; FCS 291, 402; GEOG 231; 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 HIST 101/103, 102/104; POS 200, 250; 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 PSYC 201/202; SOC 101/102; SWK 203, 260, 322. 3 \_\_\_\_\_
5. **Personal Development (3)**  
Choose one of the following: 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 ART 250, 255; CS 161; ED 447; ES 200; FCS 281; EXNS 120; MATH 261; MIS 161; MUS 228.

## Major Course Requirements (40 hours)

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| BIO 101 (Freshman Experience in Biology)    | 1 _____ |
| BIO 105 (Introductory Biology I) or BIO 107 | 4 _____ |
| BIO 106 (Introductory Biology II)           | 4 _____ |
| BIO 205 (Ecology)                           | 4 _____ |
| BIO 206 (Genetics)                          | 4 _____ |
| BIO 307 (Cell Biology)                      | 4 _____ |
| BIO (310, 380, 390, 460 or 470)             | 4 _____ |
| BIO 300/400 Elective*                       | 4 _____ |
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| BIO 490 (Senior Seminar)                    | 3 _____ |
- \*BIO 405 cannot apply towards the Biology major.

## Additional Requirements (20-22 hours)

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| CHEM 122                     | 4 _____   |
| CHEM 221                     | 4 _____   |
| CHEM 222 or 370              | 4 _____   |
| MATH 150 (or MATH 144 & 149) | 4/6 _____ |
| PHYS 202 or 242              | 4 _____   |

## General Electives (8-10 hours)

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## Minor Course Requirements (Optional)

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Hrs. Req. \_\_\_\_\_

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## Additional Requirements for Degree

### Bachelor of Science Requirements

Satisfied through additional major requirements.

## GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. 50% of hrs in major area at UM
2. 30 hrs 300/400 at UM
3. 30 of last 40 hours at UM
4. 64 hr limit from 2-year school
5. 45 hr limit of non-traditional credit
6. 6-hr sequence in history or literature
7. Capstone experience within major
8. 2.0 or higher UM GPA and in all major and minor areas

Total Hours Required:	120
Total Hours Completed to Date:	_____
Hours Remaining for Completion:	_____
Hours Currently Registered:	_____
Hours Remaining:	_____