

Bachelor of Science in General Biology

2024-2025 Degree Completion Plan

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2024 through summer 2025. This degree plan will remain in effect for students who do not break enrollment or who do not change degree programs, concentrations, or cognates.

GENERAL EDUCATION/

Course		<u>Hrs</u>	Sem	Grade	Course		<u>Hrs</u>	Sem	Grade
Communica	tion & Information Literacy (12 hou	$irs)^1$			Major Found	dational Courses (19-27 hours)			
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3			BIOL 224	General Biology I ⁴	4		
	Communications Elective	3			CHEM	4,5	4		
	Information Literacy Elective	3			CHEM	4,6	4		
	Information Literacy Elective	3			MATH 126	Elementary Calculus for Business & Sci ⁴			
					<u>or</u> MATH 131	Calculus & Analytic Geometry I ⁴	3-4		
Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours) ¹					MATH 201	Introduction to Probability & Statistics ⁴			
UNIV 101	Foundational Skills	1			<u>or</u> MATH 211	Introduction to Statistical Analysis ⁴	3		
MATH	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3			PHYS 201	General Physics I ⁴			
	Technology Competency ²	0-3			or PHYS 231	University Physics I ⁴	4		
					PHYS 202	General Physics II ⁴			
Critical Thinking (5 hours) ¹				<u>or</u> PHYS 232	University Physics II ⁴	4			
RLGN 105	Intr Bwvw/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2							
	Critical Thinking Elective	3			MAJOR				
					·	Core (43 hours)			
Civic & Glo	bal Engagement (5 hours) ¹				BIOL 225	General Biology II	4		
EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2			BIOL 301	Genetics	4		
	Cultural Studies Elective	3			BIOL 310	Ecology	4		
					BIOL 317	Botany	4		
Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours) ¹				BIOL 400	Biology Seminar	1			
	Natural Science Elective	3			BIOL 415	Cell Biology	4		
	Social Science Elective	3			CHEM 301	Organic Chemistry I	4		
					CHEM 302	Organic Chemistry II	4		
Christianity & Contexts (8 hours) ¹					CRST 290	History of Life			
BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2			or CRST 390	Origins	3		
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2			BIOL	Biology Elective ⁷	_		
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2			BIOL	Biology Elective ⁷	_		
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2			BIOL	Biology Elective ⁷	_		
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Graduation Requirements

120 Total Hours

2.0 Overall grade point average

30 Hours must be upper-level courses (300-400 level)

Grade of 'C' Minimum required for all upper-level courses in the major

25% Of major taken through Liberty University

30 Hours must be completed through Liberty University

Grad App Submission of Degree Completion Application must be completed within the last semester of a student's anticipated graduation date

CSER All requirements must be satisfied before a degree will be awarded

Notes

All applicable prerequisites must be met

¹Refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened before enrolling in foundational skills requirements

²All students must pass the Computer Assessment OR complete applicable INFT course; refer to www.liberty.edu/computerassessment for more information

³Students transferring in 45 or more UG credit hours will have the requirements of RLGN 105 and EVAN 101 waived; Students transferring in 60 or more UG credit hours will also have the requirements of THEO 201 and THEO 202 waived

⁴Courses may also fulfill select General Education Requirements. Please refer to the list of approved general education electives at www.liberty.edu/gened

⁵Choose CHEM 121 *OR* CHEM 131 and 135

⁶Choose CHEM 122 OR CHEM 132 and 136

⁷Choose from the following: BIOL 400, or a 300-400 level BIOL course not already applying to the degree: 11 hours total required.

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester		
ENGL 101	3	RLGN 105		
MATH 126 <u>or</u> 131	3-4	CHEM Elective(s) ³		4
UNIV 101	1	Information Literacy Elective ¹		3
Natural Science Elective ¹ [BIOL 224]	4	MATH Elective ¹ [MATH 201 c	<u>or</u> 211]	3
CHEM Elective(s) ²	4	BIOL 225		4
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER		<u>O</u>
Total	16-17		Total	16
	SOPHOMOI	RE YEAR		
Communications Elective ¹	3	EVAN 101		2
Technology Competency ⁴	0-3	THEO 201		2
BIOL 301	4	Critical Thinking Elective ¹		3
CHEM 301	4	BIOL 415		4
Elective	3	CHEM 302		4
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER		<u>0</u>
Total	1 14-17		Total	15
	JUNIOR	YEAR		
BIBL 110	2	BIBL 105		2
PHYS 201 <u>or</u> 231	4	PHYS 202 <u>or</u> 232		4
Information Literacy Elective ¹	3	THEO 202		2
BIOL 310	4	BIOL 400		1
Elective	3	BIOL 317		4
CSER	<u>0</u>	Elective		1
Total	l 16	CSER		<u>0</u>
			Total	14
	SENIOR			
BIOL Elective ⁵	4	Cultural Studies Elective ¹		3
BIOL Elective ⁵	4	Social Sciences Elective ¹		3
Elective	3	BIOL Elective ⁵		3-4
Elective	3	CRST 290 or CRST 390	3	
CSER	<u>0</u>	Elective		3
Total	1 14	CSER		0
			Total	15-16

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