

Important: This degree plan is effective for those starting this degree program in fall 2019 through summer 2020. 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/

FOUNDATIONAL SKILLS REQUIREMENTS (44-47 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
Communication & Information Literacy (13 hours)¹				
ENGL 101	Composition & Rhetoric	3	_____	_____
INQR 101	Inquiry 101	1	_____	_____
_____	Communications Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Information Literacy Elective	3	_____	_____
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Technological Solutions & Quantitative Reasoning (4-7 hours)¹

UNIV 101	University Core Competencies	1	_____	_____
MATH _____	Math Elective (MATH 114 or higher)	3	_____	_____
_____	Technology Competency ²	0-3	_____	_____

Critical Thinking (8 hours)¹

RLGN 105	Intr Bwww/Contemp Moral Issues ³	2	_____	_____
RSCH 201	Research 201	3	_____	_____
_____	Critical Thinking Elective	3	_____	_____

Civic & Global Engagement (5 hours)¹

EVAN 101	Evangelism & Christian Life ³	2	_____	_____
_____	Cultural Studies Elective	3	_____	_____

Social & Scientific Inquiry (6 hours)¹

_____	Natural Science Elective	3	_____	_____
_____	Social Science Elective	3	_____	_____

Christianity & Contexts (8 hours)¹

BIBL 105	Old Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
BIBL 110	New Testament Survey	2	_____	_____
THEO 201	Theology Survey I ³	2	_____	_____
THEO 202	Theology Survey II ³	2	_____	_____

Major Foundational Courses (19-27 hours)

Course		Hrs	Sem	Grade
BIOL 224	General Biology I ⁴	4	_____	_____
CHEM _____	_____	4 ⁵	_____	_____
CHEM _____	_____	4 ⁶	_____	_____
MATH 126	Elementary Calculus for Business & Sci ⁴			
or MATH 131	Calculus & Analytic Geometry I ⁴	3-4	_____	_____
MATH 201	Introduction to Probability & Statistics ⁴			
or MATH 211	Introduction to Statistical Analysis ⁴	3	_____	_____
PHYS 201	General Physics I ⁴			
or PHYS 231	University Physics I ⁴	4	_____	_____
PHYS 202	General Physics II ⁴			
or PHYS 232	University Physics II ⁴	4	_____	_____

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Core (54 hours)				
BIOL 225	General Biology II	4	_____	_____
BIOL 301	Genetics	4	_____	_____
BIOL 303	Microbiology	4	_____	_____
BIOL 313	Clinical Human Anatomy	3	_____	_____
BIOL 361	Forensic DNA Analysis	3	_____	_____
BIOL 402	Forensic Science Seminar	1	_____	_____
BIOL 421	Forensic Entomology	3	_____	_____
BIOL 462	Forensic DNA Analysis Lab	2	_____	_____
BIOL 465	Trace Evidence	2	_____	_____
CHEM 301	Organic Chemistry I	4	_____	_____
CHEM 302	Organic Chemistry II	4	_____	_____
CHEM 321	Analytical Chemistry	4	_____	_____
CJUS 420	Criminal Investigations I	3	_____	_____
CJUS 421	Criminal Investigations II	3	_____	_____
CRST 290	History of Life			
or CRST 390	Origins	3	_____	_____
_____	Forensic Science Elective ⁷	-	_____	_____
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FREE ELECTIVES (0-3 hours)

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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 skill 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

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⁷Choose a minimum of 7 credits from the following courses: BCHM 451, 452, BIOL 316, 455, 495, 499, CHEM 322, 461/462, 465/466, and 471

Suggested Course Sequence on second page

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

50% 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

SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCE

FRESHMAN YEAR

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENGL 101	3	RLGN 105	2
INQR 101	1	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3
UNIV 101	1	MATH Elective ¹ [MATH 201 <u>or</u> 211]	3
Natural Science Elective ¹ [BIOL 224]	4	BIOL 225	4
MATH 126 <u>or</u> 131	3-4	CHEM Elective(s) ³	4
CHEM Elective(s) ²	4	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	16
Total	16-17		

SOPHOMORE YEAR

RSCH 201	3	THEO 201	2
Communications Elective ¹	3	Information Literacy Elective ¹	3
Technology Competency ⁴	0-3	Critical Thinking Elective ¹	3
BIOL 301	4	BIOL 303	4
CHEM 301	4	CHEM 302	4
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	14-17	Total	16

JUNIOR YEAR

BIBL 110	2	BIBL 105	2
EVAN 101	2	THEO 202	2
PHYS 201 <u>or</u> 231 ⁴	4	PHYS 202 <u>or</u> 232 ⁴	4
BIOL 313	3	BIOL 361	3
CHEM 321	4	BIOL 465	2
CSER	<u>0</u>	CSER	<u>0</u>
Total	15	Total	13

SENIOR YEAR

Social Science Elective ¹	3	Cultural Studies Elective ¹	3
BIOL 402	1	BIOL 462	3
BIOL 421	3	CJUS 421	3
CJUS 420	3	CRST 290 or CRST 390	3
Forensic Science Elective ⁵	3	Forensic Science Elective ⁵	4
Elective	1	CSER	<u>0</u>
CSER	<u>0</u>	Total	16
Total	14		

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