Biology (2010-2011)

Veterinary

This is a **general curriculum** guide and is not applicable to every student and is not a replacement for meeting with your advisor. **Consult with your pre-professional advisor early and often!**-Assumes that the MTH 110 requirement has been fulfilled-

Fall Semester – Year One	credits	Winter Semester- Year One	credits
BIO 120: General Biology I (Gen Ed)	4	BIO 121: General Biology II	4
CHM 115: Principles of Chemistry I (Gen Ed)	5	CHM 116: Principles of Chemistry II	5
MTH 122: College Algebra (Gen Ed)	3	WRT 150: Principles in Writing	4
Gen Ed.	3	MTH 123: Trigonometry	3
Total	15	Total	16
Fall Semester – Year Two	credits	Winter Semester – Year Two	credits
BIO 215: General Ecology	4	BIO elective ²	4
MTH Cognate ¹	3	CHM 242: Organic Chemistry for Life	4
CHM 241: Organic Chemistry for Life	4	Science II	
Science I		Gen Ed.	3
Gen Ed.	3	Gen Ed.	3
Total	14	Total	14
Fall Semester – Year Three	credits	Winter Semester – Year Three	credits
BIO 375/376: Genetics & Lab	4	PHY 221: General Physics II	5
PHY 220: General Physics I	5	BIO 303: Plants and Fungi	4
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CHM 461: Biochemistry I	4	Gen Ed. or Theme	3
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CHM 461: Biochemistry I	4	Gen Ed. or Theme	3
CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme	4 3	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³	3 3
CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme Total Fall Semester – Year Four	4 3 16	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³ <i>Total</i>	3 3 15
CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme <i>Total</i>	4 3 16 credits	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³ Total Winter Semester – Year Four	3 3 15 credits 3 3
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CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme Total Fall Semester – Year Four BIO 405/406: Cell and Molecular Biology w/lab	4 3 16 credits 6	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³ Total Winter Semester – Year Four BIO 495:Evolutionary Biology BIO elective ²	3 3 15 credits 3 3
CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme Total Fall Semester – Year Four BIO 405/406: Cell and Molecular Biology w/lab BIO 357: Environmental Microbiology OR	4 3 16 credits 6	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³ Total Winter Semester – Year Four BIO 495:Evolutionary Biology BIO elective ² Elective	3 3 15 credits 3 3 3
CHM 461: Biochemistry I Gen Ed. or Theme Total Fall Semester – Year Four BIO 405/406: Cell and Molecular Biology w/lab BIO 357: Environmental Microbiology OR BMS 212/213: Introductory Microbiology ²	4 3 16 credits 6 4 4	Gen Ed. or Theme WRT 305: Writing in the Disciplines ³ Total Winter Semester – Year Four BIO 495:Evolutionary Biology BIO elective ² Elective Gen Ed. or Theme	3 3 15 credits 3 3 3 3

Notes:

Special Notes:

- A. This is a **general** curriculum guide and will not work for everyone, especially those students who have AP or CLEP credit.
- B. Courses that have (Gen Ed) written after them are classes that are required in the major and also fulfill a section of the general education program.
- C. Remember to fulfill your 2 SWS requirements; 1 can be taken in the gen ed program and 1 in your major.
- D. Some classes are in multiple sections within the gen ed. If you take a course that can be counted in two categories, you can open up 1-2 more spots for biology electives.
- E. You must have 120 credits to graduate from Grand Valley State University.

It is imperative to meet with your faculty advisor or an advisor in the CLAS Academic Advising Center early in your career. The CLAS Academic Advising Center is located in C-1-140 MAK, 616-331-8585.

Online at: http://www.gvsu.edu/clasadvising
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¹ One course must be selected from MTH 125: Survey of Calculus, MTH 201: Calculus and Analytical Geometry, or STA 215: Introductory Applied Statistics. Calculus is a pre-requisite at some schools.

² Consult with the Pre-Veterinary Advisor to select the appropriate classes for vet school.

³ Students who pass out of WRT 305 have room to take a GenEd, Theme, or elective course in this semester.