

GENERAL BIOLOGY

Semester Plan of Study

This plan shows one possible grouping of courses in Fall and Spring semesters that would allow students to graduate in 2 years with an Associate of Science in Multidisciplinary Studies in STEM and potentially transfer to a university. Please refer to a degree plan in the course catalog for official requirements to graduate. Students are encouraged to consult with Connors State College Student Success Coaches each semester to verify that courses selected each semester fulfill the degree plan and satisfy the student's educational goals.

First Semester				Hours	Second Semester				Hours		
ENGL	1113	English Composition I		3	ENGL	1213	English Composition II		3		
MATH	1513	PreCalculus Algebra, OR		3	HIST	1483	American Hist Survey to 1877, OR		3		
		<i>Any course designated (A)</i>			HIST	1493	American History Survey since 1877				
EDUC	1111	College Orientation, OR		1-3	MATH	1613	Plane Trigonometry, OR		3		
EDUC	1111	Strategies for Success					<i>Guided Elective</i>				
POLS	1113	American Federal Government		3	BIOL	1123	Evolution & Diversity, OR		3		
BIOL	1114	General Biology, OR		3-4			<i>Guided Elective</i>				
		<i>Any course designated (N)</i>			CHEM	1315	General Chemistry I, OR		4-5		
COMS	1133	Fund. Of Computer Usage, OR		3			<i>Any course designated (N, L)</i>				
		<i>Any General Education Elective</i>									
				Credit Hours:	16-19					Credit Hours:	16-17
Third Semester				Hours	Fourth Semester				Hours		
PSYC	1113	Intro to Psychology, OR		3	MATH	2214	Calculus II, OR		4		
		<i>Any General Education Elective</i>					<i>Guided Elective</i>				
		<i>Any course designated (H)</i>		3	PHYS	1214	General Physics II, OR		4		
BIOL	1131	Investigative Laboratory, OR		1			<i>Guided Elective</i>				
		<i>Guided Elective</i>			CHEM	1515	General Chemistry II, OR		5		
MATH	2214	Calculus I, OR		4			<i>Guided Elective</i>				
		<i>Guided Elective</i>					<i>Any course designated (H)</i>		3		
PHYS	1114	General Physics, OR		4							
		<i>Guided Elective</i>									
				Credit Hours:	15					Credit Hours	16
MINIMUM CREDIT HOURS: 60											

Graduation Requirements: Students are responsible for adhering to all policies, procedures, and regulations of Connors State College, including the responsibility for meeting all graduation requirements and for checking their degree check for accuracy. Student Success Coaches and faculty members may not substitute, waive or exempt students from any established requirement or academic standard. While these advisors make every effort to provide accurate and current information, all advising information regarding coursework, academic progress, and graduation is considered unofficial. The Connors State Registrar's office is the official and final authority for all program, degree, and graduation requirements. ***It is strongly recommended for students to enroll in a minimum of 15 hours each semester, and students should obtain a graduation check upon the completion of 30 credit hours.***

Minimum Hours for Graduation: Each degree program requires a specific minimum number of semester credit hours for graduation, as indicated in the college catalog. No student shall be permitted to graduate having completed fewer total hours than the requirement specified for that degree.

Grade-Point Average for Graduation: A retention/graduation grade point average of 2.00 or higher is required for all courses in which a student has a recorded grade, excluding any courses repeated or rerieved and excluding remedial courses and physical education activity courses.