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| First year @ UPG | FallBIOSC 0170: Bio 1 *(3c)*BIOSC 0070: Bio 1 Lab *(1c)*CHEM 0110: General Chem 1 *(4c)*ENGCMP 0020: Sem in Comp *(3c)*Arts GER *(3c)**(14c)* | SpringBIOSC 0180: Bio 2 *(3c)*BIOSC 0080: Bio 2 Lab *(1c)*CHEM 0120: General Chem 2 *(4c)*Soc Sci GER *(3c)*Phil GER *(3c)**(14c)* | SummerMATH 0220: Calc 1 *(4c)* |

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| Second year @ UPG | FallCHEM 0310: O-chem 1 *(3c)*CHEM 0330: O-chem 1 lab *(1c)*PHYS 0110: Physics 1 *(4c)*Lit GER *(3c)*Glob Issues GER *(3c)**(14c)* | SpringCHEM 00320: O-chem 2 *(3c)*CHEM 0340: O-chem 2 lab *(1c)*PHYS 0111: Physics 2 *(4c)*Creative Work GER *(3c)*Cross Cultural Aware GER *(3c)**(14c)* | SummerSTAT 1000: Stats *(4c)* |

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| Third year @ Pgh | FallBIOSC 0350: Genetics *(3c)*BIOSC 0370: Ecology *(3c)*HIST + DIV GER *(3c)*2nd language *(3c)*Minor/Free elective *(3c)**(15c)* | SpringBIOSC 1000: Biochemistry *(3c)*BIOSC elective-1 *(3c)*GEOGRAPHIC REGION GER *(3c)*2nd language *(3c)*Minor/Free elective *(3c)**(15c)* | Summer |

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| Fourth year @ Pgh | FallBIOSC elective-2 *(3c)*BIOSC elective-3 *(3c)*BIOSC elective lab-1 *(1c)*Minor/Free elective *(3c)*WRIT #1 GER *(3c)*Experience *(2c)**(15c)* | SpringBIOSC HL elective *(3c)*BIOSC elective lab-2 *(1c)*BIOSC 1010: Comm. In BIOSC *(2c)*Minor/Free elective *(3c)*Minor/Free elective *(3c)*Experience *(3c)**(15c)* | Summer |

*\*Please note: this is just one suggested path through the Biological Sciences major. You should check with an advisor, the major requirements, and the DSAS Gen-Ed requirements for more clarification.*

**Tips for relocating to Pitt (Pittsburgh)**

**TO MAJOR IN Biological Sciences**

Below we list course recommendations for current UPG students intending to relocate to Pitt (Pittsburgh) to major in Biological Sciences. *These are just recommendations and General Education requirements and approved courses may change at any time without notice.* For more information about how courses transfer, please check our Biological Sciences Relocation Worksheet or reach out to our advising office (bioadv@pitt.edu).

**SKILLS and GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS** (for students who matriculate Fall 2018 or later)

1. Take your Basic Writing and Seminar in Composition courses (must be completed before transfer). Options at UPG include **ENGCMP 0020** (Workshop and Seminar in Comp).

2. Take your Algebra requirement (must be completed before transfer). Options at UPG include MATH 0031: Algebra and MATH 0200: Prep for Scientific Calculus. Or take **MATH 0220**: Analytic Geometry and Calculus 1 and satisfy your Algebra and Quantitative Reasoning requirements as well as one of your BIOSC co-requisite courses.

3. Begin taking some Division Requirements. DSAS students need courses in Literature, Arts, Social Science, Historical Change, and more to satisfy their General Education Requirements. Check the DSAS Gen-Ed requirements and the Biological Sciences Relocation Worksheet to get some ideas of courses to take. You should take at least 1-2 each term before you transfer.

**BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES MAJOR REQUIREMENTS** Please visit our website and review the major requirements in more detail ([www.biology.pitt.edu/undergraduate/advising](https://www.biology.pitt.edu/undergraduate/advising)).

1. Take the first year Biology sequence (**BIOSC 0070/0170 & 0080/0180**). Students need a grade of ‘C’ (not ‘C-‘) or better in both parts to be eligible to declare the Biological Sciences major.

2 Take the first year Chemistry sequence (**CHEM 0110 & 0120**). Students need a grade of ‘C’ (not ‘C-‘) or better in both parts to be eligible to declare the Biological Sciences major.

3. Take some math classes. Biological Sciences majors are required to take at least 2 math courses: Calculus 1 and either Calculus 2 or Statistics. You can satisfy these courses by taking **MATH 0220** and either MATH 0230 or **STAT 1000**.

4. Take the Organic Chemistry (**CHEM 0310/0330 & 0320/0340**) and Physics (**PHYS 0110 & 0111**) sequences. This will allow you to maximize your time taking Bio classes at Pitt.*\*Please note: to receive the Chemistry minor, you would need to complete at least half of the required courses at the Pittsburgh campus. These tips do not support this option, but are the best advice we can offer.*

5. Do NOT split your sequence courses (those that have a part 1 & part 2) between schools! For example, do NOT take Organic Chemistry 1 at one school and Organic Chemistry 2 at a different school. Different schools break the material up differently and you will likely be at a big disadvantage if you do this.

The above are just guidelines and recommendations. Student Records will officially evaluate your transcript when you apply to tell you how all of your courses transfer. At least 50% of the credits for majors and minors must be completed on the Pittsburgh campus.