Early-Entry Pathway

Welcome to North Dakota State University's Early-Entry Pathways program.

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

If you are interested in a degree in biological sciences, you can take early-entry courses to get started on your degree. Early-entry courses listed meet the requirements or electives of this major. These courses may be used to meet your general education requirements as well. We suggest you also review the list of recommended general education courses.

Calculus I

MATH 165 | 4 credits General Education Category: R

Limits, continuity, differentiation, Mean Value Theorem, integration, Fundamental Theorem of Calculus and applications. Prereq: MATH 105, MATH 107 or placement.

General Chemistry I

CHEM 121 | 3 credits General Education Category: S

General Chemistry I Lab

CHEM 121L | 1 credit General Education Category: S

Matter, measurement, atoms, ions, molecules, reactions, chemical calculations, thermochemistry, bonding, molecular geometry, periodicity, and gases. Prereq or Co-req: MATH 103, MATH 107 or Math placement.

General Chemistry II

CHEM 122 | 3 credits General Education Category: S

Intermolecular forces, liquids, solids, kinetics, equilibria, acids and bases, solution chemistry, precipitation, thermodynamics, and electrochemistry. Prereq: CHEM 121.

Introductory Statistics

STATS 330 | 3 credits General Education Category: Does not meet NDSU's general education requirements.

Frequency tables, histograms, probability, well-known probability distributions, one and two sample tests of hypotheses, confidence intervals, and contingency tables. Prereq: Algebra 2, MATH 103, MATH 104 or MATH 107 or Math placement into MATH 105, MATH 146 or MATH 165.

College Composition I

ENGL 110 | 3 credits General Education Category: C

Guided practice in the reading and writing of various genres for different situations and audiences. Includes research on the web and in the library. Prereq: English

College Composition II ENGL 120 | 3 credits General Education Category: C

Advanced practice in reading and writing of various genres for different situations and audiences. Includes field research, collaboration, and visual communication. Prereq: ENGL 110 or placement.

Fundamentals of Public Speaking

COMM 110 | 3 credits General Education Category: C

Theory and practice of public speaking with emphasis on content, organization, language, delivery, and critical evaluation of messages.

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