



INSTITUTION:
SCHOOL OR COLLEGE:
MAJOR:
EMPHASES:

UW-Whitewater
College of Letters and Sciences
Biology
General; Cell/Physiology; Ecology/Field; Marine Biology (in conjunction with Deakin University, Australia), Secondary Certification Available - see also Education



1. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

UW-System application is required for admission to the university. Official transcripts from high school and all colleges/universities attended are also required.

3. COURSE REQUIREMENTS FOR ENTRANCE INTO BIOLOGY MAJOR

Registration for the below courses are very competitive at UW-Whitewater and it is recommended that students who wish to major in Biology should take the following introductory courses at a UW College during the first and second year:

BIO 162	General Botany*
BIO 171	Animal Biology*
BIO 211	Genetics
CHE 145	(General Chemistry I) AND CHE 155 (General Chemistry II)
MAT 211	Calculus, OR
MAT 124	Pre-Calculus Mathematics

A) UW College students who have earned the Associate of Arts and Science Degree will have met all university general studies core, breadth and proficiency requirements. Therefore, students should include the courses listed above as part of the Associate Degree Requirements.

B) UNIQUE REQUIREMENTS

a. Bachelor of Arts (BA)

- One year at the college level of the same foreign language (or equivalent). Requirement waived for students who graduated high school prior to 2012 with 2 years of the same language in high school. Students graduating after 2012 will need to provide UW placement test scores to demonstrate equivalency.

AND

- Six credits of upper division coursework (300 or 400 level courses) from arts, humanities, or social sciences. They may not be in the discipline of the major or minor.

b. Bachelor of Science (BS)

- 2 laboratory sciences from different disciplines

AND

- 5 credits of math beyond Math 141 (Intermediate Algebra)
OR 3 credits of math and 3 credits of computer science.

4. SPECIAL NOTES

For information on University proficiency, breadth and core requirements, please refer to the transfer guide "Letters and Sciences - General Information for All Majors."

- An approved minor is required for this program of study. Chemistry fits most easily into this requirement.
- Students may design a program of study with help of an advisor to meet particular interests and needs. *The Biological Sciences Department has an affiliation agreement with the State Laboratory of Hygiene, UW-Madison, which enables students to complete clinical education in cytotechnology as an emphasis in the Biology major.
- Summer programs are available at the Pigeon Lake Field Station near Drummond in Bayfield County.

5. CONTACT PERSONS AND TELEPHONE NUMBERS/E-MAIL ADDRESSES

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The information on this screen is deemed accurate and correct. Students are encouraged to consult an advisor to verify progress toward the degree.

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