

2025-2026

BIOLOGY MAJOR, B.A.

Science & Health Department; Shaw School of Sciences

The biology degree prepares students for entry level work in the life sciences, for admission to medical programs, and for graduate study in disciplines such as anatomy, physiology, genetics, microbiology, ecology, and plant science

To graduate must complete all major requirements, foundational requirements, and additional electives needed for 124 hour minimum degree requirement.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (63)

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3	PSY	315	Stats for Behavioral Science

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Choose one Plant Biology:					
	BIO	•••	Aquatic/Wetland Biology		
4	BIO		Principles Plant Biology		
Choose one Cellular Biology:					
	BIO	322	Genetics		
3-4	BIO	372+374	Cell & Molecular Bio		
Choose one Human Biology:					
	BIO		Microbiology		
3-4	BIO		Human Anatomy		
	BIO	379	Immunology		

PLUS FOUNDATIONS REQUIREMENTS (49)

(3 hours Math and 4 hours Science satisfied by required major courses.)

Plus electives needed for the 124 hour degree requirement (12)