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Biology

Transfer Planning Guide

Augustana College

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TRANSFER FACTS

- Students transferring to Augustana as Biology majors who use this guide in conjunction with the Black Hawk College Associate in Arts (AA), may transfer to Augustana and complete their BA in Biology **in an additional two years**.
- Students who earn the AA at Black Hawk will meet the Learning Perspective requirements at Augustana.
- In addition to Learning Perspective requirements, students must meet the Writing, Second Language, Reasoned Examination of Faith (REF), Physical Education activities, Transfer Transitions course (LSC 300) and the Suffix Requirements in Quantitative Reasoning (Q), Global Diversity (G) and Multicultural Diversity (D).
- Learning Perspectives, Second Language, Physical Education and Suffix requirements can be included in the AA degree to be able to complete the BA at Augustana in two years.
- Students must earn a minimum of 60 semester hours at Augustana to graduate with the BA in Biology.

1 st year, Fall semester			
Notes	BHC Courses	Credits	Augustana Equivalent
	ENG 101	3	ENGL 101
	CHEM 101	4	CHEM 131
	BIOL 105	5	BIOL 130
1	IAI Fine Arts	3	+
2	PE 125	1	PEA course
	Semester total	16	
1 st year, Spring semester			
	ENG 102	3	ENGL 102TR
	CHEM 102	4	CHEM 132
	BIOL 106	5	BIOL 140
1	IAI Social and Behavioral Science	3	+
2	PE 125	1	PEA course
	Semester total	16	
2 nd year, Fall semester			
3	CHEM 203 (see note)	5	CHEM 321
4	SPAN 101 or FREN 101	4	SPAN 101 or FREN 101
5	MATH 108, 228 or 124	3-4	MATH 200TR or MATH 160 (Q)
1	IAI Social and Behavioral Science	3	+
1	IAI Humanities	3	+
	Semester total	18-19	
2 nd year, Spring semester			
3	CHEM 204 (see note)	5	CHEM 322
4	SPAN 102 or FREN 102	4	SPAN 102 or FREN 102
	SPEC 101	3	SPCM 104
1	IAI Social and Behavioral Science	3	+
1	IAI Humanities or Fine Arts	3	+
	Semester total	18	
	60 min. total credits required for the AA degree	68-69	
+ Depending on course selection, transfers as Learning Perspective; Suffix G or D course; Major course; or elective.			

The information in this guide is subject to change; students are advised to contact Augustana College to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information rests with the student. Updated December 2020; 07202021.

NOTES:

1. All Augustana students must complete a course in both the Global Diversity (G) and Multicultural Diversity (D) suffixes. BHC requires one non-western studies course for graduation and it may simultaneously fulfill an IAI category in Humanities, Fine Arts, or Social and Behavioral Sciences, or be taken as an elective in the AA degree. **One course may meet multiple requirements.** Refer to the [BHC AA degree requirements](#) and the [Augustana General Education Requirements](#) for course options.
2. PE 125 may be repeated. Fulfills Augustana's Physical Education activity requirement. The requirement may also be completed at Augustana
3. Organic Chemistry is recommended, not required (depends on career goal), before the end of the junior year. If you are unsure if your career goal requires Organic Chemistry, contact Augustana.
4. Augustana College has a second language requirement for graduation that students may meet in one of the following ways: • Completion of four years of a single second language in high school. • Satisfactory performance on a competency test at Augustana. • Completion of course 102 in a foreign language at Augustana. • The equivalent of one year of a foreign language at another college (101 & 102 at Black Hawk College).
5. Statistics (Math 108 or 228) is a recommended support course for biology majors. Students who wish to work toward an M.S. or PhD in the biological sciences are encouraged to complete MATH 124, Calculus I. Both calculus and statistics will meet the Augustana College Quantitative Reasoning (Q) requirement.
6. Augustana graduation requirement to be taken at Augustana.
7. Refer to Augustana website at www.augustana.edu for additional possible major/minors.
8. Biology internship is optional (completes 2 credits)

Augustana Suggested Course Sequence

Note: This course sequence assumes the AA has been completed prior to transfer and that student begins in the fall semester at Augustana.

3rd year, Fall Semester

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
	BIOL 250 or BIOL elective	4
6	Reasoned Examination of Faith	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
6	LSC 300	1
	Total	13

3rd Year, January Term (optional)

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
	Study away or Elective	4

4th year, Fall Semester

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
	Senior Inquiry	4
	BIOL elective	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
	Total	12

4th Year, January Term (optional)

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
7	Study away or Elective	4

3rd year, Spring Semester

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
	BIOL 250 or BIOL elective	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
8	BIOL internship/BIOL elective	2-4
	Total	14-16

4th year, Spring Semester

Notes	Augustana courses	Credits
	BIOL elective	4
	BIOL elective	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
7	2 nd Major/Minor or interest	4
	Total	16
	TOTAL CREDITS AT AUGUSTANA	60 min