Chemistry Major

with a Biochemistry Concentration

Major Academic Plan (MAP) for Catalog Year 2022-2023

The catalog is the final authority on CATC and major requirements; this is intended as a tool for planning purposes. Student course sequencing may vary depending on course offerings and other variables.

Fall Semester 1	Spring Semester 1	Summer 1
CHEM 231: General Chemistry I ^F or CHEM 341: Organic Chem. I* ^{,F} MATH 231: Calculus I ^{*1} CORE 101: First Year Seminar First-Year CATC options- • AHS 101: Wellness (2) • COMM 101: Oral Comm (2) • ENGW 103: First-Year Writing • Language Core Competency or Thematic Core Course	CHEM 232: General Chemistry II ^{*,5} or CHEM 342: Organic Chem. II ^{*,5} MATH 231: Calculus I [*] , if not complete First-Year CATC options Language Core Competency BITH 211/ARCH 211: Old Testament	Consider study, internship or research options – Wheaton In summer program, WIN (HoneyRock), Wheaton in the Black Hills, non-major internship, summer research
Fall Semester 2	Spring Semester 2	Summer 2
CHEM 341: Organic Chemistry I ^{*,F} , if not complete CHEM 294: Chem. Colloquium (1) ² PHYS 221: General Physics I ^{1*,F} or 231: Introductory Physics I ^{1*,F}	 CHEM 342: Organic Chemistry II*,^S, if not complete CHEM 294: Chem. Colloquium (1)² PHYS 222: General Physics II*,^S or 232: Introductory Physics II*,^S 	Consider study, internship or research options.
Core Competency Courses (4-8) BITH 213/ARCH 213: New Testament	BITH 315: Christian Thought*	
Fall Semester 3	Spring Semester 3	Summer 3
CHEM 355: Intro. to Analytical Chem. (2) ^{*,F} CHEM 371: Physical Chem. I ^{*,F}	CHEM 336: Inorganic Chemistry ^{*,S} CHEM 461: Gen. Biochemistry ^{*,S} CHEM 455: Adv. Analytical I (2) ^{*5,3}	Consider study, internship or research options.
Thematic Core Course (4-8) Advanced Integrative Seminar?*	Thematic Core Course Advanced Integrative Seminar?*	
Fall Semester 4	Spring Semester 4	Summer 4
CHEM 494: Chemistry in Context (2)* CHEM 462: Adv. Biochemistry (2)* ^{,F} CHEM 457: Adv. Analytical II (2)* ^{F,3} if 455 has not been taken yet	CHEM 463: Biochemistry Analysis (2) ^{*,5} CHEM 455: Adv. Analytical I (2) ^{*5,3} if neither 455 or 457 been taken yet	
Thematic Core Course (4-8) Complete CATC Coursework	Thematic Core Course Complete CATC Coursework	

Notes or Special Guidance for Majors:

* Course has prerequisite

- ^F Fall only course
- ^s Spring only course

¹ Classes that meet CATC tags: MATH 231 (AAQR), PHYS 231 (SP)

² CHEM 294 has two distinct courses that should be taken in order: first the fall course, followed by the spring course

³A big difference between the Basic Major and the Biochemistry Emphasis major is one can get by with only one semester of calculus and take algebra-based physics (PHYS 221/2). Beyond that, there are no electives in the major, other than which one of the two Adv. Analytical courses is taken: CHEM 455 or CHEM 457.