Department: **BIOLOGY** Major: **BIOLOGY**

Student Name: _____

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		Major Requirements (See back of thi	s sheet)			
Course Prefix	Course Number	Major Requirements (Pre-Requisite)	Liberal Studies	Req. Hours	Semester & Term Taught	Earned Hours
BIOL	110	General Biology	NW	4	Fall & Spring	
BIOL	201	Biology Seminar (1 credit each; need 4 total)		4	Fall & Spring	
BIOL	221	Human Anatomy & Physiology I		3	Fall & Spring	
BIOL	222	Human Anatomy & Physiology II <i>(BIOL 221)</i>		3	Fall & Spring	
BIOL	226	General Microbiology (BIOL 110)	NW	4	Fall & Spring	
BIOL	310	Botany (BIOL 110)		4	Fall Odd	
BIOL	325	Invertebrate Zoology (BIOL 110)		4	Fall Even	
BIOL	330	Vertebrate Zoology (BIOL 110)		4	Spring Odd	
BIOL	350	Ecology (BIOL 110)		4	Spring Even	
BIOL	415	Genetics (BIOL 110)		4	Fall	
CHEM	123	General Chemistry I		4	Fall	
CHEM	124	General Chemistry II (CHEM 123)		4	Spring	
CHEM	300	Organic Chemistry I		4	Fall	
CHEM	310	Organic Lab Techniques		2	Fall	
MATH	120	College Algebra	QR	3	Fall & Spring	
	·	Total Ma	jor Hours:	55		
		DEGREE REQUIREMENTS				
BACHELO	OR of SCIE	INCE:				1
		Foundational & Liberal Studies (mi	n. 36 hours)	36		
			ELECTIVES:	29		
		TOTAL GRADUAT	ON HOURS:	120		

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE Major: BIOLOGY Even Year Start

	FALL OF YEAR ONE		SPRI	
INTD 105	Wesleyan Experience	2	BIOL 226	General
INTD 115	Wesleyan Heritage	1	MATH 120	College
BIOL 110	General Biology	4	ENGL 121	Interme
BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1		Liberal S
ENGL 120	Intro. English Composition	3		
	Liberal Studies	3		
	Total	14		

	SPRING OF YEAR ONE								
BIOL 226	BIOL 226 General Microbiology								
MATH 120	3								
ENGL 121	ENGL 121 Intermed. English Composition								
	Liberal Studies	6							
	Total	16							

FALL OF YEAR TWO			SPRING OF YEAR TWO		
BIOL 221	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	3	BIOL 222	Human Anatomy & Phys. II	3
CHEM 123	General Chemistry I	4	CHEM 124	General Chemistry II	4
BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1		Liberal Studies	9
	Liberal Studies	7-8			
	Total	15-16		Total	16

FALL OF YEAR THREE			SPRING OF YEAR THREE		
BIOL 325	Invertebrate Zoology	4	BIOL 330	Vertebrate Zoology	4
CHEM 300	Organic Chemistry I	4	BIOL 201	Biology Seminar* (Fa or Sp)	1
CHEM 310	Organic Lab Techniques	2		Liberal Studies/Electives	10-12
	Liberal Studies/Electives	4-6			
	Total	14-16		Total	15-17

FALL OF YEAR FOUR			SPRING OF YEAR FOUR		
BIOL 310	Botany	4	BIOL 350	Ecology	4
BIOL 415	Genetics	4	BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1
	Liberal Studies/Electives	7-9		Liberal Studies/Electives	9-12
	Total	15-17		Total	14-17

SUGGESTED SEQUENCE Major: BIOLOGY Odd Year Start

	FALL OF YEAR ONE		SI		
INTD 105	Wesleyan Experience		2	BIOL 226	Gene
INTD 115	Wesleyan Heritage		1	MATH 120	Colle
BIOL 110	General Biology		4	ENGL 121	Interr
BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)		1		Libera
ENGL 120	Intro. English Composition		3		
	Liberal Studies		3		
		Total	14		

	SPRING OF YEAR ONE									
BIOL 226	BIOL 226 General Microbiology									
MATH 120	MATH 120 College Algebra									
ENGL 121	ENGL 121 Intermed. English Composition									
	Liberal Studies	6								
	Total	16								

FALL OF YEAR TWO			SPRING OF YEAR TWO		
BIOL 221	Human Anatomy & Physiology I	3	BIOL 222	Human Anatomy & Phys. II	3
CHEM 123	General Chemistry I	4	CHEM 124	Gen. Chemistry II	4
BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1		Liberal Studies	9
	Liberal Studies	6-8			
	Total	14-16		Total	16

FALL OF YEAR THREE			SPRING OF YEAR THREE		
BIOL 310	Botany	4	BIOL 350	Ecology	4
CHEM 300	Organic Chemistry I	4	BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1
CHEM 310	Organic Lab Techniques	2		Liberal Studies/Electives	10-12
	Liberal Studies/Electives	4-6			
	Total	14-16		Total	15-17

FALL OF YEAR FOUR			SPRING OF YEAR FOUR		
BIOL 415	Genetics	4	BIOL 330	Vertebrate Zoology	4
BIOL 325	Invertebrate Zoology	4	BIOL 201	Biology Seminar (Fa or Sp)	1
	Liberal Studies/Electives	6-8		Liberal Studies/Electives	10-12
	Total	14-16		Total	15-17

Supplemental Advising Information

Biology Seminar (BIOL 201): Biology majors need to take 4 Biology Seminars (BIOL201), and it is recommended that they take 1 within their first year.

- \rightarrow Fall topics = animals or environment
- → Spring topics = human-oriented

Please note that our Biology majors can be following a number of different paths, and need to be advised slightly differently in their first year:

1) **Pre-health related** (including pre-med, pre-dental, pre-optometry, pre-physician assistant, pre-chiropractic, pre-physical therapy, and others)

- 2) Pre-veterinarian
- 3) General biology (animals, plants, microbes, organisms, etc.)
- 4) Environmental-related areas (conservation biology, ecology, water or soil testing, etc.)

For students interested in Pre-Health (1) or Pre-Vet (2) Fields:

Highly recommended that students take <u>both</u> Gen. Biology (Fall) & Gen. Microbiology or A&P I (Spring) <u>AND</u> General Chemistry I & II in their first year:

- → Critical for students to be able to take the MCAT/DAT/OAT/GRE and apply to Medical/Dental/Optometry/Vet School by the end of their 3rd undergraduate year. Otherwise, they are forced to take a year off after 4 years at KWU.
- → However, if students have C's in their last year(s) of Biology or Chemistry courses on their high school transcripts, they should *not* take General Chemistry until their sophomore year.

Recommended Liberal Studies courses related to typical minors pursued by our pre-health students as well as post-graduate school requirements (listed in order of recommendation):

<u>PA</u>

PSYC 101 – Introductory Psychology SOCI 131 – The Sociological Imagination PSYC 120 – Positive Psychology BUSA 150 – Personal Finance SPES 117 – Pathway to Wellness INTD 107 – Introduction to Leadership EDUC 244 – Developmental Psychology

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COMM 130 – Public Speaking SPES 180 – Medical Terminology PHYS 121 – Physics of Fun

CW

BUSA 100 – Introduction to Business REPH 111 – Ethics: Beyond Good & Bad SPES 120 – Personal, Community, and Global Health SOCI 240 – Inequity & Stratification

<u>NW</u> (note: automatically fulfilled as part of the Biology major)
BIOL 110 – General Biology OR
BIOL 105 – Biology for Non-majors (if C or lower in H.S. biol.)
BIOL 226 – General Microbiology
BIOL 102 – Environmental Awareness
HIST 275 – The Majesty of America's Parklands

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#### Other recommended Electives:

SPES 148 – First Aid & CPR SPES 150 – Foundations of SPES/HPER SPES 175 – Nutrition