

First Year – Fall Semester			First Year – Spring Semester		
GEOL 111, 101L	Physical Geology for Science Majors with lab	4	GEOL 102, 102L	Historical Geology with lab	4
MATH 143	Pre-Calculus Algebra and Analytic Geometry <i>MATH 108 with 'C' or better or sufficient test scores</i>	3	CHEM 111, 111L	Principles of Chemistry I <i>Sufficient math scores or min 'C' in CHEM 101, MATH 143, 160, or 170</i>	4
MATH 144	Analytic Trigonometry <i>Sufficient test scores</i>	1	*MATH 170	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I <i>MATH 143 with 'C' or better and 144, or sufficient exam scores</i>	4
ENGL 101	Intro to College Writing <i>Sufficient test scores</i>	3	ENGL 102	College Writing and Rhetoric <i>ENGL 101 or sufficient test scores</i>	3
	Humanities/Social Science Course	3			
Total Credits		14	Total Credits		15
Second Year – Fall Semester			Second Year – Spring Semester		
GEOL 212	Principles of Paleontology (Fall only) <i>GEOL 102 recommended</i>	4	GEOL 249	Mineralogy and Optical Mineralogy (Spring only) <i>GEOL 111/111L or GEOL 101/101L and CHEM 111</i>	4
*PHYS 111, 111L	General Physics I with lab <i>MATH 143</i>	4	GEOG 100, 100L	Physical Geography	4
*MATH 175	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II <i>MATH 170 with 'C' or better</i>	4	PLSC 205	General Botany (Spring only) <i>BIOL 114 or 115</i>	4
BIOL 115, 115L	Cells and the Evolution of Life <i>CHEM 101/101L or CHEM 111/111L</i>	4	*COMM 101	Fundamentals of Oral Communication	2
Total Credits		16	Total Credits		14
Second Year - Summer					
GEOL 290	Field Geology Methods <i>GEOL 101/101L, GEOL 111/111L, or GEOL 102/102L</i>	3			
Total Credits		3			
Third Year – Fall Semester			Third Year – Spring Semester		
GEOL 324	Principles of Stratigraphy and Sedimentation (Fall only) <i>GEOL 102/102L and MATH 143 with 'C' or better</i>	4	ENGL 317	Technical Writing <i>ENGL 102 and Sophomore standing or permission</i>	3
GEOL 326	Igneous and Metamorphic Petrology (Fall only) <i>GEOL 249 and MATH 143 with 'C' or better</i>	4	GEOL 345	Structural Geology (Spring only) <i>MATH 143 with 'C' or better, one semester HS trigonometry or MATH 144, and GEOL 101/101L or GEOL 111/111L, and PHYS 111/111L or PHYS 211/211L</i>	4
GEOG 385	GIS Primer <i>Basic knowledge of PC-based operating system</i>	3	GEOG 401	Climatology (Spring, alt years)	3
	Humanities/Social Science Course	3	GEOL 335	Geomorphology (Spring only) <i>GEOL 101/101L, GEOL 102/102L, GEOL 111/111L, or GEOG 100/100L and MATH 143 with 'C' or better; or permission</i>	3
	American Diversity/International Course	3		American Diversity/International Course	3
Total Credits		17	Total Credits		16
Third Year - Summer					
GEOL 490	Field Geology II <i>GEOL 290 and GEOL 345 and MATH 143 with 'C' or better</i>	3			
Total Credits		3			
Fourth Year – Fall Semester			Fourth Year – Spring Semester		
GEOL 423	Principles of Geochemistry (Fall only) <i>GEOL 249</i>	3	GEOL 422	Principles of Geophysics (Spring only) <i>MATH 143 with 'C' or better</i>	4
PHYS 103, 104	General Astronomy and Lab (Fall only)	4	UPDV ELECTIVE	Other elective(s) as needed	6
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Total Credits		16	Total Credits		16

*Other option(s) available

Requirements subject to change. See UI Catalog for complete degree requirements and additional information. Courses in gold are prerequisites. Courses in italics are co-requisites. UPDV denotes "upper division"