Biology Major Checklist 2022-23 (40 cr.)

DEPARTMENT CHAIR: Dr. Rachel M. Goodman Pauley 209, (434) 223-6705 Please note that departmental contact is strongly recommended to further aid your academic planning. Irregularities in offerings do occur as a result of sabbaticals and medical leaves.

All students interested in majoring in Biology or Biochemistry and Molecular Biology are requested to see a BIOL faculty member during their freshman year to discuss future programs of study. Students interested in Biology may also be interested in <u>the</u> <u>Environmental Studies minor</u>.

A total of **32** credit hours in BIOL are required.

BIOL 110/151 (4 cr)	-	formation for majors:
BIOL 201 (4 cr)	 Majors planning to pursue graduate or professional studies (pre-health fields) should speak with BIOL faculty as soon as possible to determine which other courses (e.g., calculus, physics, organic chemistry) should be taken and in what order as this can vary based on the track you select. Research and internship experiences are becoming increasingly important. You should start thinking about 	
BIOL 204 (4 cr)		
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CHEM 110/151 (4 cr)	these by your sophomore year at the <u>latest</u> .	
CHEM 221/152 (spring)		
MATH 121 (highly encouraged, but not required.) (4 cr)		
+ 16 additional credit hours in BIOL with a minimum of 4 courses at 200/300 level		BIOL Minor
BIOL (Elective) (200/300-level)		BIOL 110/151
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BIOL(Elective) (200/300/400-level)		BIOL 3
As needed to r	neet	BIOL+ lab
credit hour		The above 2 courses (7-8 credit hours):
requirement.		• Must be at the 300- level
		• Or, one course at the 300-level and
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Successful completion of the above items does		1 of these 2 courses must include a lab.
not alone guarantee that graduation requirements		
have been met. Please see advisor. Last updated 011/22		