

Degree Worksheet for the College of Arts and Sciences: 2021-2022

B.S. BIOCHEMISTRY (ACS Approved option)

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COLLEGE of ARTS & SCIENCES Language Requirement

All students who major in the College of Arts & Sciences are required to demonstrate competence in a second language. For complete details:

<https://www.gonzaga.edu/college-of-arts-sciences/about/information-for-students/language-requirement-information>

Credits Sem/Yr

UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS:

► FUNDAMENTAL CORE COURSES

Year 1: Understanding & Creating

<i>Writing</i>	Credits Sem/Yr
ENGL 101 Writing (fulfills 3 credits Writing Enriched)*	3
<i>Reasoning</i>	
PHIL 101 Reasoning	3
<i>First Year Seminar</i>	
Dept. 193	3
<i>Communication & Speech</i>	
COMM 100 Communication & Speech	3
<i>Math</i>	
MATH (must be above Math 100)	3
<i>Scientific Inquiry (2cr + 1cr lab)</i>	
BIOL or CHEM or PHYS 104/104L (taken year 1 or 2)	3

Year 2: Being & Becoming

<i>Christianity & Catholic Traditions</i>	Credits Sem/Yr
RELI (see approved list)**	3
<i>Philosophy of Human Nature</i>	
PHIL 201 Philosophy of Human Nature	3

Year 3: Caring & Doing

<i>World/Comparative Religion</i>	Credits Sem/Yr
RELI (see approved list)** (fulfills 3cr Global Studies)*	3
<i>Ethics</i>	
PHIL 301 Ethics or RELI 330 Principles-Christian Morality	3

Year 4: Imagining the Possible

<i>Core Integration Seminar</i>	Credits Sem/Yr
Dept. 432	3

NOTE: some courses have pre-requisites, check the catalog carefully!

► BROADENING COURSES - see approved list**

Social & Behavioral Science	Credits Sem/Yr
	3
Literature	
	3
History	
	3
Fine Arts & Design	
	3

► REQUIRED COURSE DESIGNATIONS - see approved list**

*Writing Enriched	Credits Sem/Yr
	9 total
Social Justice	
	3 total
*Global Studies	
	6 total

**for list of approved RELI, Broadening & Designated courses, see :

<https://my.gonzaga.edu/academics/undergraduate-programs/general-degree->

B.S. BIOCHEMISTRY (ACS): 70-72 CREDITS

LOWER DIVISION

46 Credits

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	101 General Chemistry	3	
CHEM	101L General Chemistry Lab	1	
CHEM	205 Inorganic Chemistry	3	
CHEM	230 Organic Chemistry I	4	
CHEM	230L Organic Chemistry I Lab	1	
CHEM	231 Organic Chemistry II	3	
CHEM	231L Organic Chemistry II Lab	1	
CHEM	245 Biochemistry	3	
CHEM	245L Biochemistry Lab	1	
CHEM	270 Career Development I	1	
BIOL	105 Info Flow in Biological Systems	3	
BIOL	105L Info Flow in Biological Systems Lab	1	
BIOL	106 Energy Flow in Biological Systems	3	
MATH	157 Calculus-Analytic Geometry I	4	
MATH	258 Calculus-Analytic Geometry II	4	
PHYS	103 Scientific Physics I	4	
PHYS	103L Scientific Physics I Lab	1	
PHYS	204 Scientific Physics II	4	
PHYS	204L Scientific Physics II Lab	1	

UPPER DIVISION

25-26 Credits

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	310 Analytical Chemistry	3	
CHEM	310L Analytical Chemistry Lab	2	
CHEM	345L Advanced Biochemistry Lab	3	
CHEM	355 Physical Chemistry	3	
CHEM	355L Physical & Inorganic Chemistry Lab	1	
CHEM	370 Career Development II	1	
CHEM	399 Advanced Topic	2	
CHEM	485 Seminar	1	

One of the following options:

CHEM	488 Senior Literature Review	1	
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OR

CHEM	498A Thesis I	1	
CHEM	498B Thesis II	1	

CHEM 498A & 498B are required for ACS approved degree

One Course in CHEM 405-435 (Block 1)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM		2	

One Course in CHEM 455-480 (Block 2)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM		2	

Two Courses in CHEM 405-435 & 455-480 (Elective Block)

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM		2	
CHEM		2	

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70-72 Credits required for Major

Freshman

FALL

Course	Course Title	Credit	Grade
CHEM	101 General Chemistry	3	
CHEM	101L General Chemistry Lab	1	
BIOL	105 Info Flow in Biological Systems	3	
BIOL	105L Info Flow in Biological Systems Lab	1	
MATH	157 Calculus-Analytic Geometry I	4	
	CORE ⁽¹⁾	3	

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SPRING

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	230 Organic Chemistry I	4	
CHEM	230L Organic Chemistry I Lab	1	
BIOL	106 Energy Flow in Biological Systems	3	
MATH	258 Calculus-Analytic Geometry II	4	
	CORE ⁽¹⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽¹⁾	3	

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Sophomore

FALL

Course	Course Title	Credit	Grade
CHEM	205 Inorganic Chemistry	3	
CHEM	231 Organic Chemistry II	3	
CHEM	231L Organic Chemistry II Lab	1	
PHYS	103 Scientific Physics I	4	
PHYS	103 Scientific Physics I Lab	1	
	CORE ⁽²⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽²⁾	3	

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SPRING

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	245 Biochemistry	3	
CHEM	245L Biochemistry Lab	1	
CHEM	270 Career Development I	1	
CHEM	310 Analytical Chemistry	3	
CHEM	310L Analytical Chemistry Lab	2	
	CORE ⁽²⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽²⁾	3	

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Junior

FALL

Course	Course Title	Credit	Grade
CHEM	355 Physical Chemistry	3	
CHEM	355L Physical & Inorganic Chemistry Lab	1	
PHYS	204 Scientific Physics II	4	
PHYS	204L Scientific Physics II Lab	1	
	CORE ⁽³⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽³⁾	3	

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SPRING

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	345 Advanced Biochemistry Lab	3	
CHEM	370 Career Development II	1	
CHEM	xxx ⁽⁵⁾ Advanced Topic/Special Topic	2	
	CORE ⁽³⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽³⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽³⁾	3	

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Senior

FALL

Course	Course Title	Credit	Grade
CHEM	485 Seminar	1	
CHEM	498A Thesis I	1	
CHEM	xxx ⁽⁵⁾ Advanced Topic/Special Topic	2	
CHEM	xxx ⁽⁵⁾ Advanced Topic/Special Topic	2	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	

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SPRING

Course	Course Title	Credits	Grade
CHEM	498B ⁽⁶⁾ Thesis II	1	
CHEM	xxx ⁽⁵⁾ Advanced Topic/Special Topic	2	
CHEM	xxx ⁽⁵⁾ Advanced Topic/Special Topic	2	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	
	CORE ⁽⁴⁾	3	

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NOTES:

- Students must take the First Year Seminar (DEPT 193) in their first year, and they are encouraged to take COMM 100, PHIL 101, and ENGL 101 in their first year.
- Students are encouraged to complete the 2nd year Core courses in their second year.
- Students are encouraged to complete the 3rd year Core courses in their third year.
- Students are encouraged to complete the Core Integration Seminar (DEPT 432) in their fourth year.
- Students must complete one Advanced Topic (CHEM 399) course, one Special Topic-Block 1 (CHEM 405-435) course, and one Special Topic-Block 2 (CHEM 455-480) course, as well as two more Special Topic Courses from either Block 1 or Block 2.
- Students are required to present their thesis work at the departmental poster session.