

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Biology

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Requirements	Wayne County Community College Courses
BIO 1200, 1201 & 1300	BIO 155 and 165 and 175
Approved Biology Elective options (choose one): <i>We recommend you plan elective courses with the assistance of a College of Arts & Sciences Adviser at OU</i>	BIO 240, 250, 295
CHM 1440 & 1470	CHM 136
CHM 1450 & 1480	CHM 145
CHM 2340	CHM 250
PHY 1010 & PHY 1100 or PHY 1510 & 1100	PHY 235 or PHY 265
PHY 1020 & PHY 1110 or PHY 1520 & 1110	PHY 245 or PHY 275
MTH 1331 and MTH 1332	MAT 155 and MAT 156

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Wayne, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Wayne counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at WC3. Completing MTA when following this major guide will satisfy OU's transferrable General Education requirements.

TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:

If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [Wayne County Community College General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the WC3 courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations
- Arts
- Language and Culture
- Global Perspective
- Literature
- Social Science
- Western Civilization
- U.S. Diversity

EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory. Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. ***Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.***

NOTES:

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.