

## Bachelor of Arts with a major in Biology

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Requirements	Kirtland Community College Options
BIO 1200 & 1201	BIO 11700
BIO 1300	BIO 11800
Approved Biology electives ( <b>choose up to one</b> ): (additional course options available at OU)	BIO 23500, 23600 <i>or</i> (BIO 21002 <b>and</b> 21003)
CHM 1440	CHE 10101
CHM 1470	CHE 10102
CHM 1450	CHE 10201
CHM 1480	CHE 10202
CHM 2340	CHE 20101
MTH 1441 <b>or</b> (MTH 1331 <b>and</b> 1332)	MTH 18001 <b>or</b> (MTH 13000 <b>and</b> must take MTH 1332 at OU)

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Kirtland, 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 Kirtland 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 Kirtland or at the [Kirtland MTA](#) website. Completing MTA when following this major guide will satisfy OU's transferrable General Education requirements.

#### **Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):**

ENG 10303 (MTA Approved Composition Course)

ENG 10403 (MTA Approved Composition Course; this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)

Two MTA Approved Social Science Courses

Two MTA Approved Humanities Courses

### **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 [Kirtland Community College General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the Kirtland 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](http://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.