Acceptable Upper-level Electives for the B.S., B.A. and Minor in Biology

- For the B.S. degree, a minimum of 9 of the 15 upper-level electives must be BIO courses (i.e. must have a BIO prefix).
- For the B.A. with Topical Focus, a minimum of 9 of the 15 upper-level electives must be BIO courses
- For the B.A. with Minor option, a minimum of 6 of the 4-9 upper-level elective credit hours be BIO courses. If fewer than 6 hours are required to complete the requirements, all hours must be BIO courses
- For the Biology minor, a minimum of 4 of the 8 elective credit hours be BIO courses

Biology

BIO 3xx, BIO 4xx, BIO 5xx, BIO 6xx

Anthropology

ANT 332 (3) Human Evolution

Chemistry

CHE 226 (3-5) Analytical Chemistry*

CHE 233 (1) Organic Chemistry Laboratory II*

CHE 440G (4) Physical Chemistry

CHE 441G (2) Physical Chemistry Lab*

CHE 442G (3) Physical Chemistry

CHE 446G (3) Physical Chemistry for Engineers

CHE 532 (2) Spectrometric ID of Organic Compounds

CHE 533 (2) Qualitative Organic Analysis Lab*

CHE 550 (3) Biological Chemistry I

CHE 552 (3) Biological Chemistry II

CHE 558 (3) Hormone Receptors and Cell Signals

CHE 565 (3) Environmental Chemistry

Geology

EES 401G (3) Invertebrate Paleontology and Evolution

Psychology

PSY 459 (3) Neuropharmacology: Drugs and Behavior

Statistics (Biology usually accepts only one of the following for each student)

STA 570 (4) Basic Statistical Analysis

STA 580 (2) Biostatistics I

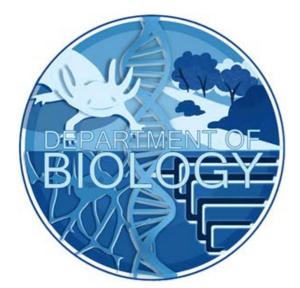
Other STA courses may be accepted at the discretion of your advisor.

College of Agriculture, Food and Environment

ABT 460 (3) Introduction to Molecular Genetics (Cross-listed as AGR/ASC/ENT 460)

ASC 364 (4) Reproductive Physiology of Animals

ASC 378 (4) Animal Nutrition



- ENT 310 (3) Insect Pets of Field Crops
- ENT 320 (3) Horticultural Entomology
- ENT 402 (3) Forest Entomology (Cross-listed as FOR 402)
- ENT 460 (3) Introduction to Molecular Genetics (Cross-listed as ABT/ASC/FOR 460)
- ENT 561 (3) Insects Affecting Human and Animal Health
- ENT 564 (4) Insect Taxonomy
- ENT 568 (3) Insect Behavior
- FOR 340 (4) Forest Ecology*
- FOR 370 (4) Wildlife Biology and Management
- FOR 375 (1) Taxonomy of Forest Vegetation
- FOR 402 (3) Forest Entomology*
- FOR 435 (3) Conservation Biology
- FOR 530 (3) Freshwater Ecology
- FOR 510 (4) Herpetology
- FSC 530 (5) Food Microbiology*
- NRE 320 (3) Natural Resource and Environmental Analysis
- NRE 420G (4) Taxonomy of Vascular Plants*
- NRE 450G (3) Biogeochemistry
- NRC 455G (3) Wetland Delineation
- PLS 320 (4) Woody Horticultural Plants*
- PLS 366 (4) Fundamentals of Soil Science
- PLS 450G (3) Biogeochemistry
- PLS 502 (3) Ecology of Economic Plants
- PLS 566 (3) Soil Microbiology
- PLS 567 (1) Methods in Soil Microbiology (Lab)*
- PPA 400G (3) Principles of Plant Pathology*

College of Medicine

- ANA 410G (3) Neurobiology of Brain Disorders
- ANA 442 (3) Molecular and Cellular Neurobiology
- ANA 511 (5) Introduction to Human Anatomy*
- ANA 512 (4) Microscopy and Ultrastructure*
- ANA 516 (3) Anatomy of the Nervous System*
- Some other anatomy courses at the 500-level are acceptable, but they are usually restricted to professional students.
- BCH 401G (3) Fundamentals of Biochemistry
- MI 494G (3) Immunobiology (same as BIO 494G)
- MI 595 (2) Immunobiology Laboratory*
- MI 598 (3) Clinical Microbiology (same as PAT 598)
- PGY 412G (4) Principles of Human Physiology is acceptable as an elective for upper level biology credit ONLY IF a student DOES NOT complete BIO 350. It DOES NOT substitute for BIO 350 or BIO 430G) ((Only for students who started program before Fall 2017))
- PGY 431 (3) Introduction to Neuroendocrinology
- PGY 417 (2) Genomics and Epigenetics
- PGY 512 (3) Evolutionary Medicine
- PGY 560 (1) Pathophysiology
- PGY 590 (4) Cellular and Molecular Physiology
- TOX 509 (3) Biochemical and Environmental Toxicology

Unacceptable courses often mistakenly thought to be acceptable:

ANA 209 (3) Principles of Human Anatomy and PGY 206 (3) Elementary Physiology are **not** acceptable electives for Biology majors.

Other courses may be accepted at the discretion of the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Department of Biology (biology@uky.edu)

*Courses that count as a lab course, to fulfill the required lab for upper-level electives