CHEMISTRY, B.S.

Program Overview and Description:

The Bachelor of Science – major in Chemistry combines foundational courses in chemistry, mathematics and physics with advanced electives in order to expose students to a broad array of chemical theory and systems. Students who graduate with this degree will be well-prepared for careers in chemistry, and for further study in chemistry, medicine, education, pharmacy, patent-law, journalism, and other professional programs that require, or could benefit from, a strong background in science.

Prerequisite Courses:

(These	courses are	prerequisites	to required	l upper-leve	l chemis	try
course	s)					
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Code	Title	Credits				
Requisite Courses						
MTH 245	Calculus I	4				
MTH 246	Calculus II ¹	4				
or MTH 249	Modeling the Physical World I					
PHY 201	General Physics for the Life Sciences ¹	3				
or PHY 213	General Physics for the Physical Sciences I					
or PHY 221	Advanced General Physics I:Modeling the Physic World	cal				
PHY 202	General Physics for the Life Sciences II 2	3				
or PHY 214	General Physics for the Physical Sciences II					
or PHY 222	Advanced General Physics II:Modeling the Physic World	cal				
PHY 205	General Physics Laboratory I	1				
or PHY 223	Project Physics Laboratory I					
PHY 206	General Physics Laboratory II	1				
or PHY 224	Project Physics Laboratory II					

¹ Prerequisite for CHM 341.

² Prerequisite or co-requisite for CHM 341.

B.S., Major in Chemistry Requirements: 31 Credits

Code	Title	Credits
CHM 315	Quantitative and Statistical Analysis ¹	4
CHM 321	Organic Chemistry I	3
CHM 322	Organic Chemistry I Laboratory	1
CHM 323	Organic Chemistry II	3
CHM 324	Organic Chemistry II Laboratory	1
CHM 341	Physical Chemistry I	3
CHM 342	Physical Chemistry Laboratory	2
CHM 343	Physical Chemistry II	3
CHM 456	Instrumental Analysis	3
CHM 466	Instrumental Analysis Laboratory	2
CHM 499	Chemistry Seminar	1
Select three credit hours from the following list:		3
CHM 371	Biochemistry of Metabolism	
CHM 383	Biochemistry I	

CHM 421	Selected Topics In Organic Chemistry			
CHM 445	Chemical Thermodynamics			
CHM 446	Statistical Mechanics			
CHM 448	Group Theory			
CHM 451	Inorganic Chemistry I			
CHM 502	Inorganic Chemistry II			
CHM 521	Advanced Organic Chemistry: Synthetic Organic Methods			
CHM 523	Bioorganic Chemistry			
CHM 525	Organic Spectroscopic Analysis			
CHM 527	Polymer Chemistry			
CHM 543	Selected Topics In Physical Chemistry			
CHM 544	Quantum Chemistry			
CHM 545	Advanced Kinetics			
CHM 556	Electrochemical Methods			
CHM 575	Nucleic Acid Biochemistry			
CHM 576	Protein Biochemistry			
Select two credit	hours from the following list:	2		
CHM 351	Descriptive Inorganic Chemistry			
CHM 382	Biochemistry Laboratory			
CHM 392	Forensic Chemistry			
CHM 496 & CHM 497	Directed Independent Research I and Directed Independent Research II			
CHM 515	Green and Sustainable Chemistry Laboratory			
CHM 528	Polymer Chemistry Laboratory			
CHM 548	Chemical Applications of Spectroscopy			
CHM 549	Computational Chemistry			
Total Credits				

¹ Waived for students who have completed CHM 285 Advanced General Chemistry II and CHM 286 Chemical and Statistical Analysis Laboratory.