Bachelor of Arts

Major in Chemistry

The Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in chemistry is designed for students who want a technical degree with liberal arts orientation; for those who want minors in such areas as business administration, economics and education with teacher certification; and for students interested in life and health sciences.

Degree Requirements

Total credit of 128 semester hours required, of which 42 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Arts degree as specified in the College of Arts and Sciences section of this catalog.

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Following is one suggested four-year degree plan. Students are encouraged to see their adviser each semester for help with program decisions and enrollment.

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Note: Some courses may require prerequisites not listed.

Supplemental Information for BA with a Major in Chemistry

1. Required courses: CHEM 1410/1430 or 1412/1430 or 1413/1430; 1420/1440 or 1422/1440 or 1423/1440; 2370/3210, 2380/3220, 3230, 3240, 3450, 3510 and 3520, plus 3 additional hours at the 4000 level or BIOC 3620; MATH 1710 and 1720; PHYS 1410/1430, 1420/1440 or 1710/1730, 2220/2240 (required of all students who expect to take further course work in physics).
2. Three hours of advanced electives in science.
3. GPA of 2.5 on all advanced courses attempted in the sciences.

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