

# DISTRIBUTION OF CREDITS

University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg

## Secondary Education – Biology Specialty Area AND Biology Major

COMPETENCIES	SEM	CE	CA	GR
ENGCOMP 0010 (if not exempt)			3	
ENGCOMP 0020			3	
ENGCOMP 1960 (spring) W-3				
COMMRC 0520			3	
MATH 0031			3	
Second Language (if not exempt)*				
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HUMANITIES	SEM	CE	CA	GR
ENGLIT (British or American)			3	
ENGLIT 1647			3	
PHIL 0310			3	
Artistic Tradition (no studio/performance courses)			3	

SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES**	SEM	CE	CA	GR
HIST 0600 OR 0601 OR SOC 0009			3	
SS3 World Society			3	
PSY 0310 OR 0311			3	
PSY 1001			3	

NATURAL SCIENCES**	SEM	CE	CA	GR
CHEM 0110 & Lab			4	
CHEM 0120 & Lab			4	
CHEM 0310, 0330			4	
STAT 1000			4	

WORLD PERSPECTIVES	SEM	CE	CA	GR
SOC 0455			3	

\*Foreign Language must be taken if student does not enter with expected foreign language requirement.

\*\*No more than 3 courses with a discipline.

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SPECIALTY AREA-BIOLOGY	SEM	CE	CA	GR
BIOSC 0170, 0070			4	
BIOSC 0180, 0080			4	
BIOSC 0350			3	
BIOSC 1385			4	
BIOSC 1110, 1111			4	
BIOSC 1115, 1116 OR Upper level			4	
BIOSC 1500, 1510			4	
BIOSC 1000			3	
NATSC 0075			3	
BIOSC 1962 (capstone)			3	
<b>Total Credits – 36</b>				

Other Required Classes	SEM	CE	CA	GR
MATH 0200			3	
MATH 0220			4	
NATSC 0040			3	
PHYS 0110			3	
PHYS 0111, 0212			3+2	
CHEM 0320, 0340			3+1	

EDUCATION MAJOR	SEM	CE	CA	GR
ADMPS 1001			3	
I&L 1332			3	
I&L 1060			3	
I&L 1061			3	
I&L 1702			3	
I&L 1440			3	
I&L 1441			1	
I&L 1442			2	
I&L 1811			1	
I&L 1821			1	
EDPSY 0009			12	
I&L 0020 Directed Tutoring <i>Optional</i>			1	
			1-3	
<b>Total Credits – 36-39</b>				

<b>General Education</b>	<b>74</b>
<b>Credits for Content Specialty Credits</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Education Credits</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>146</b>

Secondary Advisement Sheet (side B)

<b>Freshman Benchmarks</b>	<p>_____ Clearances obtained prior to fall semester freshman year</p> <p>_____ Criminal background (Act 34)</p> <p>_____ Child abuse background check (Act 151)</p> <p>_____ FBI finger printing background check</p> <p>_____ TB Test</p> <p>_____ Required hours in the field (minimum 10)</p> <p>_____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition rubric)</p>
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<b>Sophomore Benchmarks</b>	<p>_____ TB Test</p> <p>_____ Completion of Act 24 (Arrest and Conviction Report)</p> <p>_____ Pass PAPA Exams (Reading, Writing, and Math)</p> <p>      Scores:     Reading: _____     Writing: _____     Math: _____</p> <p>_____ 2 courses in English (ENGCOMP 0020 and British Literature OR American Literature)</p> <p>      Courses: _____</p> <p>_____ 2 courses in math (Algebra or higher or Statistics or math elective)</p> <p>      Courses: _____</p> <p>_____ Completion of 48 credits (minimum of 15 credits at Pitt-Greensburg)</p> <p>_____ Required minimum hours in the field (Secondary (7-12): minimum accumulated hours 65)</p> <p>_____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition Rubric)</p> <p>_____ Completion of Act 24 (Arrest and Conviction Report)</p> <p>_____ 3.0 minimum overall QPA</p> <p>_____ Earn B- or better in Social Foundations (ADMPS 1001), Strategies (I&amp;L 1332), and Early Field (I&amp;L 1702)</p> <p><b>Note: Candidates must apply and be accepted into the upper-level education track.</b></p>
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<b>Junior Benchmarks</b>	<p>_____ TB Test</p> <p>_____ Completion of Act 24 (Arrest and Conviction Report)</p> <p>_____ Take Praxis II* (Content Area Test(s) for Secondary (7-12) certification candidates</p> <p>      <b>Test:</b> _____     <b>Score:</b> _____     <b>Passing: Y N</b></p> <p>_____ Completion of 84 credits</p> <p>_____ 3.0 minimum overall QPA</p> <p>_____ Required hours in the field (Secondary (7-12): minimum accumulated hours 100)</p> <p>_____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition Rubric)</p> <p>_____ Submission of pre-student teaching/student teaching application</p> <p>*Needs to be taken prior to entering student teaching.</p>
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<b>Student Teaching Benchmarks</b>	<p>_____ Required hours in the field (minimum accumulated hours 160)*</p> <p>_____ Criminal Background check (Act 34)</p> <p>_____ Child Abuse Background check (Act 151)</p> <p>_____ FBI Fingerprinting Background check</p> <p>_____ Maintain a 3.0 minimum overall GPA</p> <p>_____ TB Test</p> <p>_____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition Rubric)</p> <p>*These hours include successful completion of pre-student teaching.</p>
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<b>Certification Benchmarks</b>	<p>_____ Maintain a 3.0 minimum overall GPA</p> <p>_____ Achievement of acceptable dispositions (see Disposition Rubric)</p> <p>_____ Exit interview completed</p> <p>_____ Portfolio submission that meet "critical pieces" to satisfy PDE 430 requirement*</p> <p>_____ Submission of Certificate Application Materials</p> <p>*Uploaded to Pitt-Greensburg Accountability System</p> <p><b>Note: Certification CANNOT be applied for without PASSING PRAXIS II scores.</b></p>
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Placements: School Name & Grade	Cooperating Teacher/Supervisor	Hours	Date