

# PLANT PATHOLOGY, MS

## REQUIREMENTS

### MINIMUM GRADUATE SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS

Review the Graduate School minimum academic progress and degree requirements (<http://guide.wisc.edu/graduate/#policiesandrequirements>), in addition to the program requirements listed below.

### MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

#### MODE OF INSTRUCTION

Face to Face	Evening/ Weekend	Online	Hybrid	Accelerated
Yes	No	No	No	No

#### Mode of Instruction Definitions

**Accelerated:** Accelerated programs are offered at a fast pace that condenses the time to completion. Students typically take enough credits aimed at completing the program in a year or two.

**Evening/Weekend:** Courses meet on the UW–Madison campus only in evenings and/or on weekends to accommodate typical business schedules. Students have the advantages of face-to-face courses with the flexibility to keep work and other life commitments.

**Face-to-Face:** Courses typically meet during weekdays on the UW–Madison Campus.

**Hybrid:** These programs combine face-to-face and online learning formats. Contact the program for more specific information.

**Online:** These programs are offered 100% online. Some programs may require an on-campus orientation or residency experience, but the courses will be facilitated in an online format.

### CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

#### Requirement Detail

Minimum Credit Requirement 30 credits

Minimum Residence Credit Requirement 16 credits

Minimum Graduate Coursework Requirement 15 credits must be graduate-level coursework. Refer to the Graduate School: Minimum Graduate Coursework (50%) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1244/>).

Overall Graduate GPA Requirement 3.00 GPA required. Refer to the Graduate School: Grade Point Average (GPA) Requirement policy: <https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203> (<https://policy.wisc.edu/library/UW-1203/>).

Other Grade Requirements n/a

Assessments and Examinations Students in the Plant Pathology MS must complete certification paperwork to outline their coursework and prepare, publicly present, and defend a thesis.

Language Requirements None.

### REQUIRED COURSES

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Core</b>		<b>9</b>
Students must complete at least 9 credits of plant pathology, including the following courses.		
PL PATH 300	Introduction to Plant Pathology (or equivalent)	
PL PATH 875	Special Topics (1 credit)	
PL PATH 923	Seminar (1 credit)	
<b>Additional Coursework<sup>1</sup></b>		<b>21</b>
In consultation with advisor, students must complete course work taken as a graduate student at UW–Madison numbered 300 or above and taken for credit.		
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>30</b>

<sup>1</sup> Up to 15 credits of PL PATH 990 Research may count for these remaining credits.