NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES, B.S. NUTRITION AND DIETETICS

REQUIREMENTS

UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

All undergraduate students at the University of Wisconsin–Madison are required to fulfill a minimum set of common university general education requirements to ensure that every graduate acquires the essential core of an undergraduate education. This core establishes a foundation for living a productive life, being a citizen of the world, appreciating aesthetic values, and engaging in lifelong learning in a continually changing world. Various schools and colleges will have requirements in addition to the requirements listed below. Consult your advisor for assistance, as needed. For additional information, see the university Undergraduate General Education Requirements (http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/#requirementsforundergraduatetext) section of the Guide.

General Education

• Breadth—Humanities/Literature/Arts: 6 credits
• Breadth—Natural Science: 4 to 6 credits, consisting of one 4- or 5-credit course with a laboratory component; or two courses providing a total of 6 credits
• Breadth—Social Studies: 3 credits
• Communication Part A & Part B *
• Ethnic Studies *
• Quantitative Reasoning Part A & Part B *

* The mortarboard symbol appears before the title of any course that fulfills one of the Communication Part A or Part B, Ethnic Studies, or Quantitative Reasoning Part A or Part B requirements.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURAL AND LIFE SCIENCES REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the University General Education Requirements, all undergraduate students in CALS must satisfy a set of college and major requirements. Courses may not double count within university requirements (General Education and Breadth) or within college requirements (First-Year Seminar, International Studies, Science, and Capstone), but courses counted toward university requirements may also be used to satisfy a college and/or a major requirement; similarly, courses counted toward college requirements may also be used to satisfy a university and/or a major requirement.

COLLEGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL CALS B.S. DEGREE PROGRAMS

Code Title Credits
Quality of Work: Students must maintain a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.000 to remain in good standing and be eligible for graduation.

Residency: Students must complete 30 degree credits in residence at UW–Madison after earning 86 credits toward their undergraduate degree.
First Year Seminar (http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/agricultural-life-sciences/#requirementstext) 1
International Studies (http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/agricultural-life-sciences/#requirementstext) 3

Physical Science Fundamentals 4-5
CHEM 103 General Chemistry I
or CHEM 108 Chemistry in Our World
or CHEM 109 Advanced General Chemistry

Biological Science 5
Additional Science (Biological, Physical, or Natural) 3
Science Breadth (Biological, Physical, Natural, or Social) 3
CALS Capstone Learning Experience: included in the requirements for each CALS major (see “Major Requirements”) (http://guide.wisc.edu/undergraduate/agricultural-life-sciences/#requirementstext)

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Code Title Credits
Mathematics and Statistics
Select one of the following (or may be satisfied by placement exam): 3-5
MATH 112 Algebra
MATH 114 Algebra and Trigonometry 1
Select one of the following: 3-4
PSYCH 210 Basic Statistics for Psychology
SOC/ C&E SOC 360 Statistics for Sociologists I
STAT 301 Introductory Applied Statistics for the Life Sciences

Chemistry
Select one of the following: 5-9
CHEM 103 General Chemistry I
& CHEM 104 and General Chemistry II
CHEM 109 Advanced General Chemistry
CHEM 341 Elementary Organic Chemistry
or CHEM 343 Introductory Organic Chemistry
Select one of the following: 3
BIOCHEM 301 Survey of Biochemistry
BIOCHEM 501 Introduction to Biochemistry
BMOLCHEM 503 Human Biochemistry

Biology
Select one of the following: 5
ZOOLOGY/ BIOLOGY 101 Animal Biology
& ZOOLOGY/ BIOLOGY 102 and Animal Biology Laboratory
ZOOLOGY/ BIOLOGY/ BOTANY 151 Introductory Biology
Select one of the following: 2

1 MATH 112 and MATH 114 do not double count within university requirements.
2 Students must choose either ZOOLOGY 101 or ZOOLOGY 102 for their major requirement.
## UNIVERSITY DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

**Total Degree**

To receive a bachelor's degree from UW–Madison, students must earn a minimum of 120 degree credits. The requirements for some programs may exceed 120 degree credits. Students should consult with their college or department advisor for information on specific credit requirements.

**Residency**

Degree candidates are required to earn a minimum of 30 credits in residence at UW–Madison. "In residence" means on the UW–Madison campus with an undergraduate degree classification. "In residence" credit also includes UW–Madison courses offered in distance or online formats and credits earned in UW–Madison Study Abroad/Study Away programs.

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**Total Credits**

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1. Note that placement into MATH 114 does not guarantee that credit has been earned for MATH 112.
2. Consult advisor about combining MICROBIO 303 with MICROBIO 102.

**Note:** recommended electives for nutrition and dietetics students can be found on the Advising and Careers tab.

Undergraduate students must maintain the minimum grade point average specified by the school, college, or academic program to remain in good academic standing. Students whose academic performance drops below these minimum thresholds will be placed on academic probation.