

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BIOTECHNOLOGY

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY/GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFER PLAN

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Admission requirement for transfer students:

1. Transfer students with fewer than 12 transferable credits at the time of application, must meet the current freshman admission criteria. The application will be considered for admission based upon the high school academic record.
2. Transfer students with 12 or more transferable credits at the time of application (including both English and Algebra) must have a minimum CGPA of 2.0. Students without an English and Algebra class will be required to submit an ACT/SAT score.

Admission to the Junior Year Professional Sequence is competitive

Graduation Requirements

1. 2.0 Cumulative Grade Average in all courses. No grade lower than a C- in science and math courses allowed for graduation
2. Minimum 123 Credits including general education requirements
3. Residency Requirements: 30 minimum FSU semester credits
4. Minimum 40 credits numbered 300 or higher

REQUIRED		COURSE TITLE – FOR PREREQUISITES, SEE FSU OR GRAND RAPIDS CATALOG COURSE DESCRIPTIONS	FSU S.H.	GRCC Equivalent	GRADE
Major – 91 credit minimum - No grade lower than a C- allowed for graduation.					
BIOL	121	General Biology 1	4	BI 151 and BI 152	
BIOL	122	General Biology 2	4		
BIOL	205	Human Anatomy/Physiology	5	BI121 & 122	
Or BIOL	321	Human Physiology and Anatomy 1	4		
And BIOL	322	Human Physiology and Anatomy 2	4		
BIOL	375	Principles of Genetics	3		
BIOL	386	Microbiology and Immunology	5		
BIOL	388	Advanced Immunology Laboratory	2		
BIOL	470	Molecular Genetics	4		
BIOL	471	Biotech 2: Recombinant DNA Lab	3		
BIOL	472	Proteins	3		
BIOL	473	Biotech 3: Proteins Laboratory	3		
BIOL	474	Advanced Cell & Molecular Biology	3		
BIOL	475	Bioinformatics	3		
CHEM	121	General Chemistry 1	5	CM 103 or 113	
CHEM	122	General Chemistry 2	5	CM 104 or 114	
CHEM	321	Organic Chemistry 1	5	CM236 & 237	
CHEM	322	Organic Chemistry 2	5	CM238 & 239	
CHEM	231	Quantitative Analysis	4	CM212	
CHEM	332	Biochemistry Lab 1	2		
CHEM	333	Biochemistry Lab 2	2		
CHEM	364	Biochemistry	4		
CHEM	474	Advanced Biochemistry	3		
MATH	130	Advanced Algebra & Analytical Trigonometry	4	MA110 & 108 or MA131	
MATH	251	Statistics for the Life Sciences	3		
PHYS	211	Introductory Physics 1	4	PH125	
CHOOSE ONE:					
BIOL	491	Biotechnology Internship	3-6		
BIOL	496	Independent Studies in Biology	3-6		
CHEM	497	Independent Studies in Chemistry	3-6		

General Education: All students must complete the General Education requirements associated with this degree.

FSU honors MACRAO stamp on an official transcript as fulfilling lower level general education courses that are not programmatic or prerequisite requirements. The remaining upper level course to complete General Education would be in English.

For students not receiving a MACRAO stamp: Listed below are general education requirements not satisfied in the program major area that must be taken to complete the General Education requirements.

FSU General Education requirements are available on the FSU web site at:

<http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/academics/gened/gened.html>.

Listings of FSU courses that will satisfy these requirements are available on the FSU web site at:

<http://www.ferris.edu/htmls/academics/gened/courses.html>.

Equivalencies for FSU courses at your school may be found on the FSU web site at:

<http://www.ferris.edu/admissions/Tranfer/WebPages/homepage1.cfm>

Remaining General Education Requirements not fulfilled in the major: minimum 30 credits					
ENGL	150	English 1	3	EN100 or 101	
ENGL	250	English 2	3	EN102	
ENGL	321	Advanced Composition	3		
COMM	105 or 121	Interpersonal Communication Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	SC135 SC131	
		Cultural Enrichment Elective	3		
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		Cultural Enrichment Elective – 200 level or higher	3		
		Social Awareness Elective – Foundation	3		
		Social Awareness Elective – Second Subject Area	3		
		Social Awareness Elective – 200 level or higher	3		
		Race/Ethnicity/Gender – to be taken as one of the Cultural Enrichment or Social Awareness courses			
		Global Consciousness – to be taken as one of the Cultural Enrichment or Social Awareness courses			
Electives to the minimum 123 credits requires for the degree					