

FORENSIC BIOLOGY

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN APPLIED BIOLOGY

FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY/LAKE MICHIGAN COLLEGE TRANSFER PLAN

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Admission requirement for transfer students:

1. Transfer students with fewer than 15 transferable credits at the time of application must demonstrate first year student eligibility.
2. Transfer students with 15 or more transferable credits at the time of application must have a minimum CGPA of 2.0

Graduation Requirements:

1. 2.0 CUMULATIVE Grade Average in all coursework.
2. 2.0 Grade Average in biology courses with no grade lower than C-.
3. 122 minimum semester credits including general education requirements.
4. Residency requirement: 30 minimum FSU semester credits
5. Minimum of 40 credits numbered 300 or higher.

REQUIRED		COURSE TITLE – FOR PREREQUISITES, SEE FSU OR LAKE MICHIGAN CATALOG COURSE DESCRIPTIONS	FSU S.H.	LAKE MICHIGAN Equivalent	GRADE
MAJOR – 33 Credit Hours Required					
BIOL	121	General Biology 1	4		
BIOL	122	General Biology 2 (Lake Michigan course sequence equals both FSU's BIOL121 & 122. All courses in sequence must be taken to receive credit.)	4	BIOL101 + BIOL111 + BIOL112	
BIOL	205	Human Anatomy & Physiology	5	BIOL205 + BIOL206	
BIOL	207	Forensic Biology	3		
BIOL	286	General Microbiology	3		
BIOL	307	Forensic Human Pathology	3		
BIOL or BIOL	347 442	Environmental Conservation Ecology	3		
BIOL	375	Principles of Genetics	3	BIOL212	
BIOL	407	Forensic DNA Analysis	3		
BIOL	460	Current Topics in Biology	2		
Supporting Courses – Minimum Credit Hours required 38 or 44					
CHEM	121	General Chemistry 1	5	CHEM111	
CHEM	122	General Chemistry 2	5	CHEM112	
CHEM	207	Science and Crime	3		
CHEM	214	Fundamentals of Organic Chemistry	4		
or CHEM & CHEM	321 322	Organic Chemistry 1 Organic Chemistry 2	5 5	CHEM203 CHEM204	
CHEM	324	Biochemistry	3		
CRIM	110	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	LAWE140	
CRIM	301	CJ Investigation Issues	3		
GEOL	121	Physical Geology	4	PHSC104	
MATH	130	Adv Algebra & Analytic Trigonometry	4	MATH109	
PHYS	211	Introductory Physics 1	4	PHYS101	
ADDITIONAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS – 3 credits					
COMM	121	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COMM101	
Electives – 6 credit hours required – must be 200 level or above					

COMPUTER COMPETENCE					
ISYS	105	Microcomputer Applications	3	CIS108 or CIS122 + CIS123 + CIS124	
Applied Biology Electives – 12 Minimum Credit Hours Required – from the following:					
BIOL	300	Pathophysiology	3		
BIOL	340	Evolution	3		
BIOL	341	Natural History Invertebrates	3		
BIOL	342	Natural History Vertebrates	3		
BIOL	344	Entomology	3		
BIOL	349	Medical Parasitology	3		
BIOL	351	Field Botany	3		
BIOL	370	Developmental Biology	4		
BIOL	373	Cell Biology	3		

General Education: All Students must complete the General education associated with this degree. Some courses listed in the major program requirements also satisfy general education requirements. Listed below are general education requirements not satisfied in the programs major area.

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 27 credits					
ENGL	150	English 1	3	ENGL101	
ENGL	250	English 2	3	ENGL102	
Choose 1:		ENGL 311 Advanced Technical Writing	3		
		ENGL 321 Advanced Composition			
		ENGL 323 Proposal Writing			
		ENGL 325 Advanced Business Writing			
		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 122 required for this degree					