Bachelor of Science in Biology (BS) 2022–24 Checklist

CORE CURRICULUM Core courses must be chosen from approved lists. bit.lv/ld6oP6l	Minimum Hours Required	OPTION 10: COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY	Minimum Hours Required	
,	_	SDS 329C, M 340L, or M 341	3	
First Year Signature Course	3	SDS 321 or M 362K	3	
English Composition	3	- 303 321 01 M 302K		
Humanities	3	SDS 348	3	
American & Texas Government	6	2 courses from:	6–7	
American History	6	- CS 303E, 313E, 323E, 323H, 324E, 326E, 327E,		
Social & Behavioral Science	3	329E; M 408D, 358K, 378K; SDS 322, 323, 329D, 332, 335, 352, 353, 358, 374C, 374D, 374E		
Mathematics (Fulfilled by course in major)	0	2 courses from Genetics, genomics, and		
Science & Technology-I (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0	computational biology:	6–7	
Science & Technology-II (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0	BCH 339N; BIO 321G, 325T, 327E, 327G, 354C, 366, 366R, 471		
Visual & Performing Arts	3	2 courses selected freely from the		
SKILLS & EXPERIENCE FLAGS		following lists:	6-8	
Flags attached to courses are displayed in the online Course Schedule.		Cellular, developmental, and molecular biology: BCH 369 or 339F, 339J, 339M, 364F; BIO 320, 326R, 330, 335, 336, 339, 339M, 343M,		
Two Writing Flags:		344, 347 or 360K, 349, 350M, 360M, 361 Physiology, neuroscience, and behavior: BIO		
Core Writing Flag (cannot also fulfill another core curriculum requirement) Additional Writing Flag		328, 438L, 359K, 359R, 361T, 365N, 365S, 374; MNS 355C; NEU 330 Ecology, evolution, and biodiversity: BIO 322,		
Note: One of the two writing flags must be upper-division.		324, 346, 351, 357, 364, 471G, 373, 375; MNS 320, 352C, 352D, 352E, 353, 354, 354C, 354E,		
One Quantitative Reasoning Flag		354Q, 356, 357		
One Global Cultures Flag		1 additional laboratory course from:	1-4	
One Cultural Diversity in the U.S. Flag		BIO 320L, 122L, 124L, 128L, 129L, 325L, 328D, 230L, 331L, 340L, 446L, 448L, 349L, 353F, 453L,		
One Ethics and Leadership Flag		230L, 331L, 340L, 440L, 446L, 349L, 335L, 435L, 354L, 455L, 456L, 260L, 361L, 463L, 165U, 369F, 369L, 371L, 472L, 373L, 174L, 478L; MNS 120L, 152L. Some labs may require credit or registration in a lecture course.		
One Independent Inquiry Flag				
BIOLOGY COMMON CORE M 408C or 408R or 408N & 408S. Students who intend to take additional calculus should begin with 408C or 408N.	4-8	9 hours of additional upper-division selected from BCH, BIO, CH, MNS, Mathematics, PHY, and SDS	9	
CH 301 or 301C; 302 or 302C; and 204	8	ELECTIVES		
BIO 311C, 311D, and 325; or 315H and 325H	6–9	Enough elective hours to reach 120 total (The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on	VARY	
BIO 206L, 208L, or 226L	2	course selections.)		
BIO 370	3	ADDITIONAL GRADUATION		
SDS 320E	3	REQUIREMENTS Minimum 21 upper-division BIO hours in residence Minimum 60 hours in residence overall Minimum 36 upper-division hours 120 hours total overall Minimum grade of C- & minimum 2.0 GPA in all Mathematics & Natural Sciences courses Minimum UT-Austin Grade Point Average of 2.0 Must apply to graduate during final semester 2022–24 Catalog expires August 2030		
1 of the following sequences: PHY 317K, 105M, 317L, 105N (recommended) PHY 302K, 105M, 302L, 105N PHY 303K, 105M, 303L, 105N PHY 301, 101L, 316, 116L Note: Option 3 (Marine Science), 4 (Microbiology and Infectious Diseases), and 8 (Teaching) have an alternative lab requirement in Biology Common Core. Introductory science is substantially different for Option 9 (Biology Honors).	8			