Bachelor of Science in Biology (BS) 2024-26 Checklist

CORE CURRICULUM Core courses must be chosen from approved lists. bit.lv/1d6oP6l	Minimum Hours Required	OPTION 10: COMPUTATIONAL BIOLOGY	Minimum Hours Required
,		SDS 329C, M 340L, or M 341	3
First Year Signature Course	3	CDC 221 av M 262V	2
English Composition	3	SDS 321 or M 362K	3
Humanities	3	SDS 322E	3
American & Texas Government	6	2 courses from:	6-7
American History	6	CS 303E, 313E, 323E, 323H, 324E, 326E, 327E,	0-7
Social & Behavioral Science	3	329E; M 408D, 358K, 378K; SDS 322, 326E, 324E, 335, 352, 353, 358, 374C, 374E	
Mathematics (Fulfilled by course in major)	0	_	
Science & Technology-I (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0	2 courses from Genetics, genomics, and computational biology:	6-7
Science & Technology-II (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0	BCH 339N; INB 321G, MBS 325T, 356E, 327G,	0-7
/isual & Performing Arts	3	366, 366R, INB 471	
		2 courses selected freely from the following lists:	6-8
SKILLS & EXPERIENCE FLAGS Tags attached to courses are displayed in the online Course Schedule.		Cellular, developmental, and molecular biology: BCH 369 or 339F, 339J, 339M, 364F, MBS 320, 326R, 330, 336, 355, 339M, 344,	
Two Writing Flags:		360K, 350, 350M, 361 Physiology, neuroscience, and behavior: MBS	
Core Writing Flag (cannot also fulfill another core curriculum requirement)		328, INB 438L, 359K, 361T, MBS 367C, INB 365S, 374, NEU 330, MNS 355C	
2. Additional Writing Flag Note: One of the two writing flags must be upper-division.		Ecology, evolution, and biodiversity: INB 322, 323, 324, 346, 351, 364, 471G, 373, 375, MNS	
One Quantitative Reasoning Flag		320, 352C. 352D, 352E, 353, 354, 354C, 354E, 354Q, 356, 357	
One Global Cultures Flag		•	1.4
One Cultural Diversity in the U.S. Flag		1 additional laboratory course from: BIO 320L, 122L, 124L, 128L, 129L, 325L, 328D,	1-4
One Ethics and Leadership Flag		INB 122L, 124L, 440L, 446L, 448L, 453L, 354L,	
One Independent Inquiry Flag		455L, 463L, 165U, 369F, 369L, 371L, 373L, 174L, 478L, 359L, 470L; MBS 320L, 128L, 328D. 230L,	
BIOLOGY COMMON CORE		331L, 349L, 353F, 260L, 361L; BIO 325L, 456L; MNS 120L, 152L. Some labs may require credit or registration in a lecture course.	
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		
BIO 311C, 311D, and 325; or 315H and 325H	6-9	ELECTIVES Enough elective hours to reach 120 total	VARY
BIO 206L, INB 208L, or MBS 226L	2	(The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on course selections.)	
NB 370	3	ADDITIONAL CDADUATION	I
SDS 320E	3	ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS	
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	8	 ☐ 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 ☐ 2024-26 Catalog expires August 2032 	