Chemistry Licensure Transfer Guide

This Transfer Guide is an exhibit to the Articulation Agreement between the Board of Trustees of Northern Illinois University and Waubonsee Community College with an Articulation Agreement Effective Date of August 24, 2020. All capitalized terms which are not defined herein shall have the same meanings set forth in the Articulation Agreement.

Major (Associate in Science) to Major (B.S. Chemistry)

Waubonsee Community College ("CC") and Northern Illinois University ("NIU")

This is a sample course pattern. Students must work with their advisor to develop a curriculum plan that meets their scheduling needs. Summer classes can also reduce the load during the fall and spring semesters.

First Year

First Semester		Second Semester	
ENG 101	3 hrs (ENGL 103)	ENG 102	3 hrs (ENGL 203)
CHM 121	4 hrs (CHEM 210/212)	CHM 122	4 hrs (CHEM 211/213)
BIO 120	4 hrs (BIOS 208/210)	BIO 122	4 hrs (BIOS 209/211)
MTH 130	4 hrs (MATH 155)	MTH 131	4 hrs (MATH 229)
Total	15 hrs	Total	15 hrs

Second Year

First Semester		Second Semester	
PHY 111	4 hrs (PHYS 210)	PHY 112	4 hrs (PHYS 211)
CHM 231	4 hrs (CHEM 336/338)	CHM 232	4 hrs (CHEM 337/339)
PSY 100	3 hrs (PSYC 102	Humanities/Fine Arts*	3 hrs
COM 100	3 hrs (COMS 100)	Social/Behavioral Science*	3 hrs
Humanities/Fine Arts*	3 hrs	Total	14 hrs
Total	17 hrs		

Third Year (2+2)

First Semester		Second Semester	
ILAS 201	1 hrs	ILAS 301	1 hrs
EPS 406	3 hrs	LTIC 420	3 hrs
CHEM 403x	2 hrs	EPS 452	3 hrs
MATH 230	4 hrs	CHEM 414x	3 hrs
CHEM 325	4 hrs	CHEM Elective	3-4 hrs
Elective	3 hrs		
Total	17 hrs	Total	13-14 hrs

Fourth Year

Second Semester		
2 hrs		
3 hrs		
3 hrs		
4 hrs		
4 hrs	CHEM 428	12 hrs
16 hrs	Total	12 hrs
	3 hrs 3 hrs 4 hrs 4 hrs	2 hrs 3 hrs 4 hrs CHEM 428

*The Associate in Science degree requires one Humanities course and one Fine Arts course. One of these courses must also meet the Non-Western or Diversity Requirement. This is not an additional credit hour requirement.

COMMENTS

Accreditation - Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation (CAEP), National Science Teaching Association (NSTA)

GPA Graduation Requirements/Course Grade Requirements: Cumulative NIU GPA must be at least 2.5; minimum 2.70 GPA for all SCIENCE/MATH courses. Must earn grade of "C" or better in all science content and professional education courses required for major/licensure.

Additional transfer guide notes: Licensure cohorts only begin fall semester. Program application is due March 1st to be admitted for fall semester. Application can be found at: https://www.niu.edu/science-licensure/apply/index.shtml

Transfer Guide is in effect from Fall 2020 - Fall 2022

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