

**BIOLOGY TEACHER EDUCATION (60 Credits)****Guided Pathway: Associate of Arts; Concentration: Biology Teacher Education (FULL TIME).**For more information, visit [www.fgc.edu](http://www.fgc.edu) and your academic advisor.**Meta-major:** EducationUniversity Transfer: **USF (UF – must major in subject area)**

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PATHWAY**

SEMESTER 1		ACTION ITEMS	
ENC 1101 – Freshman Composition I <sup>iv</sup> (Communication core)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meet with your advisor to confirm academic and career goals by the end of the semester.</li><li><b>REQUIRED:</b> Complete the <b>Computer Competency course</b> within Canvas.</li><li>Signup for and pass the Florida Civic Literacy Exam.</li><li>Consult your advisor to make sure you have met <b>the Foreign Language requirement</b>.</li><li>At the end of the semester, begin research on college and universities where you want to seek to transfer. Meet with a career advisor/coach to research your career options with a degree in <b>Biology Teacher Education</b>.</li><li>Remember to start collecting artifacts from your courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370</li><li>Begin applying for Financial Aid and Scholarships<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You can start the FAFSA in October for the next academic year. (i.e., in October 2023, you can complete the FAFSA for if you plan to register for classes at a college or university Fall 2024)</li></ul></li></ul>	
<b>Choose one:</b> AMH 2020 – US History from 1865 <b>OR</b> POS 1041 – American Government <sup>iv</sup> (Social Science & civic literacy)			
MAC 1105 – College Algebra <sup>iv v</sup> (Mathematics core)			
<b>Choose one:</b> PSY 2012 – General Psychology <b>OR</b> SYG 1000 – Introduction to Sociology <b>OR</b> SYG 2300 – Introduction to Social Psychology <b>OR</b> Any DEP, ANT, or ECO course (Social Science)			
BSC 2010C – General Biology I with Lab (Biological Science Core) (4 cr)			
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 16			
SEMESTER 2		ACTION ITEMS	
ENC 1102 – Freshman Composition II (Communication)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meet with your advisor to confirm or update your academic/career pathway and program of study.</li><li>Ask about transfer advising to discuss options to pursue the bachelor's degree.</li><li>Continue collecting artifacts from courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370</li></ul>	
MAC 1140 – Precalculus <sup>iv v</sup> (Mathematics core)			
MAC 1114 - Trigonometry <sup>iv v</sup> (Elective Prerequisite)			
EDF 1005 – Introduction to Teaching (Elective Prerequisite)			
BSC 2011C – General Biology II with Lab (Elective Prerequisite) (4 cr)			
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 16			
SEMESTER 3		ACTION ITEMS	
EDF 2085 – Intro to Diversity for Educators (Elective Prerequisite)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Begin applying to your top choice universities.</li><li>Begin applying for Financial Aid and Scholarships.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You can start the FAFSA in October for the next academic year. (i.e., in October 2023, you can complete the FAFSA for if you plan to register for classes at a college or university Fall 2024)</li></ul></li><li>Check with your advisor for important deadlines and dates.</li></ul>	
<b>Choose one:</b> CHM 2045/L – General Chemistry I w/Lab <b>OR</b> PHY 2053/L – General Physics I (Physical Science) (4 cr)			
SLS 2370 – Personal Academic & Career Engagement <sup>iv</sup> (3rd Soc Sci)			
MAC 2311 – Calculus I <sup>iv</sup> (Elective Prerequisite) (4 cr)			
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 14			

SEMESTER 4	ACTION ITEMS
<b>Choose one:</b> LIT 2000 – Introduction to Literature <b>OR</b> <b>Any general education AML, ENL, LIT, PHI or REL courses</b> <i>(Humanities)<sup>iv</sup></i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>After reviewing your final program of study, apply for Graduation. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Meet with your advisor to apply for the degree.</li> <li>Sign up for commencement.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Request final transcripts to be sent to the college or university to where you will transfer.</li> <li>Congratulations, graduate!</li> </ul>
<b>EME 2040</b> – Intro to Technology for Educators <i>(Elective Prerequisite)</i>	
<b>Choose one:</b> SPC 2608 – Public Speaking <b>OR</b> <b>SPC 1017</b> – Oral Communications <b>OR</b> <b>SPC 1061</b> – Introduction to Academic and Professional Speaking <sup>iv</sup> <i>(Communications)</i>	
<b>Choose one:</b> MUL 1010 – Music Appreciation <b>OR</b> <b>THE 2000</b> – Theatre Appreciation <b>OR</b> <b>ARH 1000</b> – Art Appreciation <b>OR</b> <b>HUM 2020</b> – Introduction to Humanities <sup>iv</sup> <i>(Humanities core)</i>	
<b>Choose one:</b> CHM 2046/L – General Chemistry II w/Lab <b>OR</b> <b>PHY 2054/L</b> – General Physics II <i>(Elective Prerequisite) (4 cr)</i>	
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 16	
AABD DEGREE MINIMUM: 60 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS PATHWAY TOTAL: 62 CREDIT HOURS	

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PATHWAY****SEMESTER BY SEMESTER MAP FOR PART-TIME STUDENTS**

SEMESTER 1		ACTION ITEMS	
ENC 1101 – Freshman Composition I <sup>iv</sup> (Communication core)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meet with your advisor to confirm academic and career goals by the end of the semester.</li><li>Remember to start collecting artifacts from your courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370.</li><li><b>REQUIRED:</b> Complete the <i>Computer Competency</i> course within Canvas.</li><li>Consult your advisor to make sure you have met <i>the Foreign Language requirement</i>.</li><li>Begin applying for Financial Aid and Scholarships<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You can start the FAFSA in October for the next academic year. (i.e., in October 2023, you can complete the FAFSA for if you plan to register for classes at a college or university Fall 2024)</li></ul></li></ul>	
MAC 1105 – College Algebra <sup>iv v</sup> (Mathematics core)			
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 6			
SEMESTER 2		ACTION ITEMS	
ENC 1102 – Freshman Composition II (Communication)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>At the end of the semester, begin research on college and universities where you want to seek to transfer. Meet with a career advisor/coach to research your career options with a degree in <i>Biology Teacher Education</i>.</li><li>Continue collecting artifacts from courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370.</li></ul>	
MAC 1140 – Precalculus <sup>iv</sup> (Mathematics core)			
MAC 1114 - Trigonometry <sup>iv</sup> (Elective prerequisite)			
TOTAL SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS: 9			
SEMESTER 3		ACTION ITEMS	
MAC 2311 – Calculus I <sup>iv</sup> (Elective Prerequisite) (4 cr)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meet with your advisor to confirm or update your academic/career pathway and program of study.</li><li>Continue collecting artifacts from courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370</li><li>Begin applying for Financial Aid and Scholarships<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>You can start the FAFSA in October for the next academic year. (i.e., in October 2023, you can complete the FAFSA for if you plan to register for classes at a college or university Fall 2024)</li></ul></li></ul>	
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EDF 1005 – Introduction to Teaching <i>(Elective Prerequisite)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Meet with your advisor to confirm academic and career goals by the end of the semester.</li><li>Meet with a career advisor/coach to research your career options.</li><li>Continue collecting artifacts from your courses for your Academic &amp; Career Portfolio in SLS 2370.</li></ul>
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