

The University of South Dakota Major Credit Hour count: 86-88



Major: Secondary Education, B.S.Ed. Specialization: Biology Education

[2020-2021 Academic Catalog]					
	SGR/Major			SGR/Major	
	Requirement	Cr Hrs		Requirement	Cr Hrs
First Year - 1st Semester			First Year - 2nd Semester		
BIOL 151/L General Biology I	SGR 6/Major	4	BIOL 153/L General Biology II	SGR 6/Major	4
EDFN 101 Exploration of Teaching		1	ENGL 210 Intro to Literature	SGR 4+M	3
ENGL 101 Composition I	SGR1	3	Social Sciences	SGR3	3
SPCM 101 Fundamentals of Speech	SGR 2	3	Fine Arts	SGR 4	3
Mathematics	SGR5	3	Electives		3
Electives		2			0
Semeste	er Credit Hours:	16		Semester Credit Hours:	16
Second Year - 1st Semester			Second Year - 2nd Semester		
EDFN 338 Foundations of American Ed	Major	2	BIOL 425 or 443 Cell Physiology or Cell Biology	Major	3
SEED 296 Field Experience	Major	1	BIOL 471 Genetics	Major	3
TET 200 Tech to Improve Learning	Major	2	INED 211 SD American Indian Culture & Education	SGR3 + M	3
SPED 100 Intro to Persons w/ Exceptionalities	Major	3	CHEM 114/L General Chemistry II	Major	4
BIOL 311 /L Principles of Ecology	Major	4	Electives		3
CHEM 112/L General Chemistry I	Major	4			
Semeste	er Credit Hours:	16		Semester Credit Hours:	16
<u>Third Year - 1st Semester</u>			Third Year - 2nd Semester BIOL 428 or 481/L Comparative Physiology or		
Advanced Composition	SGR1	3	Vertebrate Anatomy/Embryology	Major	4
Advanced Composition	SUKI	3	BIOL 427/L or 433 or 456 Plant Physiology or	Wajoi	4
			Environmental Physiology of Animals or Mammalian		
EDFN 475 Human Relations	Major	3	Physiology	Major	4
EPSY 200 Child/Adolescent Development and Learning	Major	3	SEED 413 7-12 Science Methods	Major	3
BIOL 473 Evolution	Major	3	SEED 400 Methods & Media MS/HS	Major	2
BIOL 475 or 483 Intro to Molecular Biology or	Major	3	SELES 400 Methods & Media MB/115	Major	_
Developmental Biology	Major	3	SEED 394 Internship	Major	1
3	1,14,01	0	Electives	1,24,02	2
		0			0
Semeste	er Credit Hours:			Semester Credit Hours:	16
Fourth Year - 1st Semester			Fourth Year - 2nd Semester		
EDFN 440 Classroom Management	Major	2	SEED 488 7-12 Student Teaching	Major	9
Electives	3	3	SEED 498 Undergraduate Research/Scholarship	Major	1
SEED 450 Reading and Content Literacy	Major	3	EDER 415 Educational Assessment	Major	2
SEED 488 7-12 Student Teaching	Major	3		·	
TET 400 Methods in Ed Tech and Media	Major	2			
Semesto	er Credit Hours:			Semester Credit Hours:	12
]	Total Major Requirements	120

Notes: Students must have a minimum CGPA of 2.6 to co-register for EDFN 338, SEED 296 and TET 200, and a CGPA of 2.7 to be eligible to apply for Teacher Education admission. Students must have a score of 150-Math, 156-Reading, 162-Writing in the 3 areas of the PRAXIS CORE prior to admission (ets.org). Students completing the BSED in Biology Education are not required to have a minor, but may choose to do so. Biology classes may be offered only in certain semesters or on an every other year basis. Keep this in mind when planning subsequent semesters. The Bachelor's degree is also available through the College of Arts and Sciences. A minor is required for the BS degree. All teacher certification requirements must be completed including meeting the required scores on the PRAXIS CORE, Content Test and PLT.