

Natural Science: Associate in Science Concentration in Physical Science 2023-24

SAMPLE

(60 credits)

The Associate in Science is a transfer degree designed for students pursuing STEM-related educational and career goals.

This is an example of an educational plan that can serve as a guideline to create your own academic pathway.

Year 1				Year 2			
Fall Semeste	er			Fall Semester:			
ENG 100	Composition I		3	DA/DH/DL	Diversification: Arts or Humanities or Literature		3
MATH 241 (FQ) Calculus I		4	DB	Diversification: Biological Sciences		3
CHEM 161	General Chemistry I		3	PHYS 272	General Physics II		3
CHEM 161L	General Chemistry Lab I		1	PHYS 272L	General Physics II Laboratory		1
Elective			3	FG (A/B/C)	Foundation: Global & Multicultural Perspectives		3
				Natural Sci Elct	(See Program Sheet)		3
		Credits	14			Credits	16
Spring Semester:			Spring Semester:				
MATH 242	Calculus II		4	DS	Diversification: Social Science		3
CHEM 162	General Chemistry I		3	FG (A/B/C)	Foundation: Global & Multicultural Perspectives		3
CHEM 162L	General Chemistry Lab II		1	Natural Sci Elect	(See Program Sheet)		3
PHYS 170*	General Physics I		4	Elective			3
PHYS 170L*	General Physics I Laboratory		1	Elective			2
Elective			3				
		Credits	16			Credits	14
Summer Semester:			Summer Semester:				
		Credits				Credits	
Total Credits for the Year 30						Total Credits for 2 Years	60

NSCI-PSC

Notes:

- *PHYS 151/L (3/1) and PHYS 152/L (3/) may be taken in lieu of PHYS 170/L and PHYS 272/L.
- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher for all course work taken in fulfillment of A.S. degree.
- Generally, any one course can fulfill only one area, e.g., SP 151, SP 231, SP 251 can fulfill either OC or DA, but not both. Certain natural science courses can fulfill both DB and DY requirements.
- No more than 12 credits in any combination of independent study or cooperative education may apply to the degree requirements.
- When there is a break in enrollment (not attending fall or spring semester), you must use the graduation requirements in effect the time you return to WCC.
- If your bachelor's degree has been determined, you may be fulfilling specific course requirements for the 4-year degree here at WCC and applying those courses to the AA degree as elective credits.
- Electives: Any transfer-level course in any field to achieve 60 credits.
- The last day for graduation certification is the last day of instruction.
- Check course core designation at the Class Availability website. Course core designation may differ at the various UH campuses. https://www.hawaii.edu/myuhinfo/class-availability/