

Northern Illinois University

Earth Science Education

Liberal Arts and Sciences Degree Path - Catalog 2012-2013

Learning Today, Leading Tomorrow

Fall 1	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 1	Credits	Success Ma
CHEM 210 & 212	4		CHEM 211 & 213	4	
GEOL 120 & 121	4		ENGL 104	3	
MATH 229	4		COMS 100	3	
ENGL 103	3		GEOG 105 & 106	4	
UNIV 101	1				
Total hours	15-16		Total hours	14	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		

Summer 1	Credits	Success Marker
BIOS 106	3	
Total hours	3	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 2	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 2	Credits	Success Marker
GEOL 322	4		GEOL 330	4	 Take the Basic Skills Test
GEOL 325	4		GEOL 335	4	
BIOS 208 & 210	4		BIOS 209 & 211	4	
GEOL 390	3		PSYC 102	3	
Total hours	15		Total hours	15	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		

Summer 2	Credits	Success Marker
Gen Ed	3	
Total hours	3	
Notes/Comments:		

Fall 3	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 3	Credits	Success N
ILAS 201	1		EPS 406	3	
GEOL 201	1		ILAS 301	2	
GEOL 474	2		GEOL 301	1	
GEOL 484X	2		GEOL 483	3	
PHYS 210	4		TLSE 457	3	
ENVS 301 & 304	6		PHYS 211	4	
Total hours	16		Total hours	16	
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments:		

Fall 4	Credits	Success Marker	Spring 4	Credits	Success Marke
GEOL 401		 Apply for graduation (12/1 for May, 5/1 for August, or 7/1 for December) 	GEOL 482	1	Take the APT Exam
GEOL 495X	3		GEOL 487	7	
GEOL 429	3				 Students who are planning on 8 credit hours their senior year r
Gen Ed	3				speak with Financial Aid and the
Gen Ed	3				Insurance Provider to make sur- scholarships, loans or policy will
Total hours	13		Total hours	8	effected by being classified as a time student.
Notes/Comments:			Notes/Comments: Students	must complete	120 hours to graduate.

Notes: This is an example of a four-year plan for a typical science student placing directly into the math and chemistry requirements. Placement into Math 110 prior to Math 211 or CHEM 110 prior to CHEM 210 would require some plan adjustment. The plan should not be used in place of regular academic advising; all students are encouraged to meet with their department undergraduate advisor each semester to discuss course scheduling.