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General Science Certification 5-Adult Curriculum Summary Sheet as of 2024-2025 Catalog

Major Courses:

Required Courses 53-54

BIO 124 Biological Principles	3
BIO 125 Biological Principles Lab.....	1
BIO 200 Biology of Plants	4
BIO 202 Biology of Animals (Zoology).....	3
BIO 203 Biology of Animals Lab	1
BIO 340 Life Sciences II for Elementary 5-9	4
BIO 482 Biology Education Capstone.....	1
CHEM 110 General Chemistry I	3
CHEM 111 General Chemistry I Lab.....	1
CHEM 112 General Chemistry II	3
CHEM 113 General Chemistry II Lab	1
PHYS 101 Elementary Physics I.....	3
PHYS 110 Elementary Physics I Lab.....	1
PHYS 102 Elementary Physics II	3
PHYS 111 Elementary Physics II Lab	1
PHYS 340 Phys Sci II for Elem/5-9 Teachers.....	4
GEO 444 Weather & Climate OR PHYS 400 Oceanography & Climatology	3

Choose Two Math:

MATH 145 Pre-Calculus	4
MATH 160 Introduction to Statistics	3 or 5
MATH 210 Calculus & Analytic Geo I.....	4

Science Elective:

Choose 7-8 hours of any 300-400 level course denoted BIO, CHEM, or PHYS..... 7-8

General Studies 36-38

Professional Education Component:

*EDUC 100 Intro to Professional Education.....	1
*EDUC 207 Foundations of Education	3
EDUC 290 Instructional Technology	3
*EDUC 301 Educational Psychology	3
SPED 241 Intro to Exceptionalities	3

Residency I Semester

EDUC 293 Instructional Design Assessment for Middle/Secondary Ed	3
EDUC 340 Methods & Materials for Secondary Teachers	2
EDUC 342 M&M Lab for Secondary Teachers	1
READ 302 Reading for Content Area.....	3
SPED 320 Collaborative Techniques for Secondary Students w/ Exceptionalities.....	3
EDUC 309 Residency I.....	0

Residency II Semester:

EDUC 409 School Law & Organization.....	1
EDUC 470 Student Teaching Seminar	1
EDUC 485 Residency II	10
Total	126-129

-Admission Requirements: See Teacher Ed Program Student Policy Manual for all requirements

-WV required Praxis Scores/Test Codes/Content & Pedagogy Test: www.ets.org/praxis/wv

-Students must register for EDUC 209 each semester prior to Residency 1. This is a 0-credit course used only for tracking mini-residency field hours.