Sample Plan: MTH 103 placement

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Academic & Career Opportunities
First Year	BI 198: Freshman Seminar MTH 103: Algebraic Reasoning WR 121z: English Composition Literature & Arts – Bacc Core Cultural Diversity – Bacc Core	1 4 4 3 3	BI 197: Health Professions Seminar (take instead of BI 198 if you are pre-health) MTH 111z: College Algebra WR 227z: Technical Writing COMM 111z: Public Speaking Western Culture – Bacc Core	4 3 4 4	MTH 112z: Elementary Functions Social Process & Institutions – Bacc Core Difference, Power, & Discrimination – Bacc Core HHS 231: Lifetime Fitness Bacc Core PAC – Bacc Core Fitness	4 4 3 2 1	-Do Cascades Edge Career Development tasks each term -Check out resources for <u>student wellness</u> , <u>time management and study skills</u> -Explore <u>biology career pathways</u> -Considering pre-med? Check out the College of Science's <u>pre-med guide</u> .
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	14	
Second Year	BI 221: Principles of Biology: Cells CH 231: General Chemistry CH 261: General Chemistry Lab MTH 251: Differential Calculus	4 4 1 4	BI 222: Principles of Biology: Organisms CH 232: General Chemistry CH 262: General Chemistry Lab MTH 252: Integral Calculus Elective	4 4 1 4 4	BI 223: Principles of Biology: Populations CH 233: General Chemistry CH 263: General Chemistry Lab Elective Z 349: Biodiversity or other Contemporary Global Issues	4 4 1 4 3	-Complete Cascades Edge Year 2 Career Development -Seek out volunteer, research, internship, job shadowing or study abroad experiences in areas that interest you/align with your goals -Research graduate programs -Get to know your professors -Meet with your advisor to plan when you will take grad school prerequisites if applicable
	Total Credits	13	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	
Third Year	CH 331: Organic Chemistry BI 311: Genetics ST 351: Intro. to Statistical Methods Biology Elective BB 332: Molecular Medicine – Biology & Society Option or other Science, Tech, & Society	4 4 4 4	CH 332: Organic Chemistry BI 370: Ecology ST 352: Intro. to Statistical Methods BB 314: Cell & Molecular Biology	4 3 4 4	CH 337: Organic Chemistry Lab BI 445: Evolution MB 302: General Microbiology MB 303: General Microbiology Lab Biology Writing Intensive: BI 319: Theory & Discourse OR BI 371: Ecological Methods OR MB 385: Emerging Diseases	4 3 2 3 3	-Continue Cascades Edge Career activitiesContinue researching grad program requirements, identify target grad programs and begin the application prep process -Gain experience in your chosen field through internships and other opportunities -Network/build professional relationships
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	
Fourth Year	PH 201: General Physics BB 450: Biochemistry Z 423: Environmental Physiology Electives Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Complete 180 credits, 60 upper division	5 4 3	PH 202: General Physics BB 451: Biochemistry Electives MB 330: Disease & Society – Biology & Society Option Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Complete 180 credits, 60 upper division	5 3 3	PH 203: General Physics Z 371: Vertebrate Biology Z 372: Vertebrate Biology Lab BI 498: Senior Biology Field Test Electives Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Complete 180 credits, 60 upper division	5 3 2 0	-Complete Year 4 Career Development -Contact professors you're close with for reference letters -Apply to grad school by deadlines (if applicable) -Begin job search, develop resume, continue connecting with Career Development Center -Plan for Commencement Ceremony and celebrations in June!
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	TOTAL NEEDED: 180 credits, 60 upper-division

Sample Plan: MTH 111z or MTH 112z placement

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Academic & Career Opportunities
First Year	BI 198: Freshman Seminar CH 231: General Chemistry CH 261: General Chemistry Lab WR 121z: English Composition Literature & Arts – Bacc Core MTH 111z: College Algebra	1 4 1 4 3	COMM 111z: Public Speaking CH 232: General Chemistry CH 262: General Chemistry Lab WR 227z: Technical Writing MTH 112z: Elementary Functions	4 4 1 3 4	Social Process & Institutions – Bacc Core CH 233: General Chemistry CH 263: General Chemistry Lab HHS 231: Lifetime Fitness Bacc Core PAC – Bacc Core Fitness Elective	4 4 1 2 1 3	-Do Cascades Edge Career Development tasks each term -Check out resources for student wellness, time management and study skills -Explore biology career pathways -Considering pre-med? Check out the College of Science's pre-med guide.
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	
Second Year	BI 221: Principles of Biology: Cells CH 331: Organic Chemistry MTH 251: Differential Calculus Cultural Diversity – Bacc Core	4 4 4 3	BI 222: Principles of Biology: Organisms CH 332: Organic Chemistry MTH 252: Integral Calculus Western Culture – Bacc Core	4 4 4 4	Bl 223: Principles of Biology: Populations Elective CH 337: Organic Chemistry Lab Difference, Power, & Discrimination – Bacc Core Z 349: Biodiversity or other Contemporary Global Issues	4 4 4 3	-Complete Cascades Edge Year 2 Career Development -Seek out volunteer, research, internship, job shadowing or study abroad experiences in areas that interest you/align with your goals -Research graduate programs -Get to know your professors -Meet with your advisor to plan when you will take grad school prerequisites if applicable
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	
Third Year	BI 311: Genetics ST 351: Intro. to Statistical Methods Biology Elective BB 332: Molecular Medicine – Biology & Society Option/Science, Tech, & Society	4 4 4 4	BI 370: Ecology ST 352: Intro. to Statistical Methods BB 314: Cell & Molecular Biology MB 330: Disease & Society – Biology & Society Option	4 4 4 3	BI 445: Evolution MB 302: General Microbiology MB 303: General Microbiology Lab Biology Writing Intensive: BI 319: Theory & Discourse OR BI 371: Ecological Methods OR MB 385: Emerging Diseases	4 3 2 3 3	-Continue Cascades Edge Career activitiesIdentify target grad programs and begin the application prep process -Gain experience in your chosen field through internships and other opportunities -Network/build professional relationships
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	12	
Fourth Year	PH 201: General Physics BB 450: Biochemistry Z 423: Environmental Physiology Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives	5 4 3	PH 202: General Physics BB 451: Biochemistry Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives (if needed)	5 3	PH 203: General Physics Z 371: Vertebrate Biology Z 372: Vertebrate Biology Lab BI 498: Senior Biology Field Test Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives	5 3 2 0	-Complete Year 4 Career Development -Contact professors you're close with for reference letters -Apply to grad school by deadlines (if applicable) -Begin job search, develop resume, continue connecting with Career Development Center -Plan for Commencement Ceremony in June!
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	TOTAL NEEDED: 180 credits, 60 upper-division

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Sample Plan: MTH 251 placement

	Fall		Winter		Spring		Academic & Career Opportunities
First Year	BI 198: Freshman Seminar BI 221: Principles of Biology: Cells CH 231: General Chemistry CH 261: General Chemistry Lab WR 121z: English Composition HHS 231: Lifetime Fitness for Health Bacc Core	1 4 1 4 3	BI 222: Principles of Biology: Organisms CH 232: General Chemistry CH 262: General Chemistry Lab MTH 251: Differential Calculus WR 227z: Technical Writing PAC – Bacc Core Fitness	4 4 1 4 3 1	BI 223: Principles of Biology: Populations CH 233: General Chemistry CH 263: General Chemistry Lab MTH 252: Integral Calculus Literature & Arts – Bacc Core	4 4 1 4 3	-Do Cascades Edge Career Development tasks each term -Check out resources for student wellness, time management and study skills -Explore biology career pathways -Considering pre-med? Check out the College of Science's pre-med guide.
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	
Second Year	CH 331: Organic Chemistry BI 311: Genetics Cultural Diversity – Bacc Core COMM 111z: Public Speaking	4 4 4 4	CH 332: Organic Chemistry BI 370: Ecology BB 314: Cell & Molecular Biology Western Culture – Bacc Core	4 4 4 4	CH 337: Organic Chemistry Lab BI 445: Evolution MB 302: General Microbiology MB 303: General Microbiology Lab Difference, Power, & Discrimination – Bacc Core Z 349: Biodiversity or other Contemporary Global Issues	4 4 3 2 3	-Complete Cascades Edge Year 2 Career Development -Seek out volunteer, research, internship, job shadowing or study abroad experiences in areas that interest you/align with your goals -Research graduate programs -Get to know your professors -Meet with your advisor to plan when you will take grad school prerequisites if applicable
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	16	
Third Year	PH 201: General Physics BB 450: Biochemistry ST 351: Intro. to Statistical Methods Biology Elective BB 332: Molecular Medicine – Biology & Society Option/Science, Tech, & Society	4 4 4 4	PH 202: General Physics BB 451: Biochemistry ST 352: Intro. to Statistical Methods MB 330: Disease & Society – Biology & Society Option	4 4 4 3	PH 203: General Physics Z 371: Vertebrate Biology Z 372: Vertebrate Biology Lab Biology Writing Intensive: BI 319: Theory & Discourse OR BI 371: Ecological Methods OR MB 385: Emerging Diseases	4 3 2 3 3	-Continue Cascades Edge Career activitiesIdentify target grad programs and begin the application prep process -Gain experience in your chosen field through internships and other opportunities -Network/build professional relationships
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	12	
Fourth Year	Z 423: Environmental Physiology Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives (if needed)	5 4 3	Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives (if needed)	5 3	BI 498: Senior Biology Field Test Experiential Learning, Integrative Biology Course, or complete option Major courses above not yet completed Electives (if needed)	0	-Complete Year 4 Career Development -Contact professors you're close with for reference letters -Apply to grad school by deadlines -Begin job search, develop resume, continue connecting with Career Development Center -Plan for Commencement Ceremony and celebrations in June!
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	14	TOTAL NEEDED: 180 credits, 60 upper division

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