

NATURAL SCIENCE (BA)

General Undergraduate Admission Requirements

All applicants must meet the general admission requirements for Concordia University Chicago undergraduate programs as published in the Concordia University Chicago academic catalog.

New students are accepted into undergraduate degree-seeking programs for online (ADP) and on-campus (Traditional) study in the fall and spring semesters. If you have any questions please work with your admissions advisors.

BA Natural Science Major Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses		
Select one of the following:		3
BIO-4900	Seminar in Biology	
CHE-4901	Seminar in Chemistry	
EAS-4901	Seminar in Earth Science	
Select 12 hours from one of the following areas:		12
Biology (BIO)		
Chemistry (CHE)		
Earth Science (EAS)		
Select 12 hours from one of the areas not selected above		12
Select the remaining eight hours from courses with prefixes within BIO, CHE, EAS, or PHY		8
Total Hours		35

Note: Students majoring in Natural Science who are in pre-professional health science studies are strongly advised to select their minors from among biology, chemistry and physics. Up to 9 hours of the major may be applied toward a departmental minor.

The following courses **may not be used** in this major:

Code	Title	Hours
BIO-1201	Biology in the World Today (With Lab)	4
CHE-1110	Consumer Chemistry (With Lab)	4
PHY-1110	Physics of Things We Use (With Lab)	4

The total hours for the program is 120 credits. This includes general education, electives and major requirements above.

Graduation Requirements

Students in the College of Health, Science and Technology or The College of Theology, Arts and Humanities must meet all University requirements found in the Academic Information section of this catalog. Specific requirements for these Colleges include the following:

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 for all coursework completed at CUC
- A minimum GPA of 2.00 for all courses taken in the major at CUC
- A minimum grade of C for all courses taken in a major at CUC
- All administrative obligations to CUC must be cleared in order to prompt the release of CUC transcripts and diploma(s).

- The Division of Natural Sciences requires a minimum grade of D- for courses within the major that are not pre-requisites for other courses. For courses that are pre-requisites, the C minimum remains unless superseded by admission grade requirements for specific programs, e.g., medicine/dentistry/pharmacy at LECOM, etc.).