

Geology

Change of Major Criteria

Options in General Geology, Geobiology, Geophysics and Global Climate Change

Student must be in good academic standing (i.e. minimum 2.0 quarter and cumulative GPAs) and show potential to graduate without exceeding 216 units

2nd and 3rd Quarter Freshman

Completion of the following three criteria by Spring quarter or Summer Session with no grade lower than a C- after repeats:

1. One of GEO 1, 2, or 3
2. CHEM 1A and 1LA
3. MATH 8B or 9A

Sophomore (up to 89.9 cumulative units)

Completion of the following three criteria by Spring quarter or Summer Session with grades as specified after repeats:

1. Two of GEO 1, 2, 3 or 3 with no grades below C-
2. CHEM 1C and 1LC (completed with passing grade)
3. MATH 9B with no grade lower than C-

Junior (90 - 134.9 cumulative units)

Completion of the following three criteria by Spring quarter or Summer Session with grades as specified after repeats

1. CHEM 1C and MATH 9C with passing grades
2. PHYS 40A or PHYS 2A and 2LA with grades below C-
3. GEO 2, 3, and 115 or GEO 122 with no grade below C-

Senior (135+ cumulative units)

Seniors (135+ units) must have completed **all but one** course of the following geology core requirements by Spring quarter or Summer Session with passing grades as follows after repeats:

1. CHEM 1C and 1LC
2. MATH 9C
3. PHYS40C or PHYS 20C and 2LC.
4. BIOL 2 or BIOL 5A and 5LA
5. STAT 100A or 155
6. GEO 1, 3, 115 and 122 or GEO 101 with no grade below C- after repeats