

Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry

ACS Certified B.A. in Chemistry: Chemical Education

This table shows a normal sequence of required courses as a suggestion for students.

Year 1 Fall MATH 122. Precalculus CHEM 113.4 General Chem. CHEM 113.1 Gen. Chem. Lab. ENGL 110 Eng. Composition SEYS 221 Develop and Learning	4 cr. 4 cr. 1 cr. 3 cr. 3 cr. 15 cr.	Spring MATH 151 Calculus I 4 cr. CHEM 114.4 General Chem. 4 cr. CHEM 114.1 Gen. Chem. Lab. 1 cr. BIOL 105 Cell biology 4 cr. PLAS – Art/History/Eng 3 cr. 16 cr.
Year 2 Fall MATH 152. Calculus II PHYS 145. College Physics CHEM 251.4 Organic Chem. CHEM 251.1 Org. Chem. Lab. SEYS 201 W Found. of Educ.	4 cr. 4 cr. 4 cr. 1 cr. 3 cr. 16 cr.	Spring PHYS 146 College Physics 4 cr. CHEM 252.4 Organic Chem. 4 cr. CHEM 252.1 Org. Chem. Lab. 1 cr. PLAS – Art/History/Lang 3 cr. Seminar/PhysED/other PLAS 3 cr. 15 cr.
Year 3 Fall SEYS 340 Lang., Lit., & Cult. CHEM 211 Thermo. CHEM 371 Biochemistry I CHEM 321.1W Res. in Chem. Ed. ECPSE 350 Foundations of Sp. Ed. Electives 17 cr.	3 cr. 3 cr. 4 cr. 1 cr. 3 cr. 3 cr.	Spring SEYS 350 Cognition, Tech 3 cr. CHEM 321.3W Res. in Chem. Ed. 3 cr. CHEM 341.3 Instrumental Meth. 3 cr. CHEM 341.1 Inst. Lab 1 cr. SEYS 362 (Chem.) Methods 3 cr. Electives 3 cr. 16 cr.
Year 4 Fall SEYS 372.2 Student Teaching I SEYS 382 Curric. and Asses. CHEM 331.3 Inorganic Chem. CHEM 331.2 Phys.Inorganic Lab Electives	3 cr. 3 cr. 3 cr. 2 cr. 6 cr.	Spring SEYS 372.4 Student Teaching II 3 cr. CHEM 395 W Senior thesis 3 cr. Electives 3 cr. 9 cr.

17 cr.

Queens College Secondary Education & Youth Services (SEYS)

Undergraduate Science Education Initial Certificate

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Undergraduate students must have completed at least 15-20 credits in a traditional science major (biology, chemistry, geology, physics) with a minimum average of 2.75 in order to declare their second major in secondary education. Qualified students must have a major form signed by the appropriate science department advisor and a similar form signed by an advisor in SEYS (PH 150). The forms should be submitted by the upper sophomore/lower junior year. Candidates must earn a minimum letter grade of B in 362 and student teaching.

Course Number	Title	Pre-requisites and Co-Requisites	Cre dits	Fieldwork Required
SEYS 201W (Spring or Fall)	Historical, Social and Philosophical Foundations of Education	Upper Sophomore, major declared	3	25 Hours Fieldwork
SEYS 221 (Spring or Fall)	Development and Learning in Middle Childhood & Adolescence	Upper Sophomore, major declared	3	25 Hours Fieldwork
ECPSE 350 (Spring or Fall)	Foundations of Special Education	Upper Sophomore, major declared	*3	15 Hours of Fieldwork
SEYS 340 (Spring or Fall)	Language, Literacy, and Culture In Education	Pre-requisite: SEYS 201W	3	25 Hours Fieldwork
SEYS 362 (Spring ONLY)	Methods in Teaching Science in Middle and High School	Pre-requisite: SEYS 201W, 221 Pre- or Co- requisite: SEYS 340	3	25 Hours Fieldwork
SEYS 350 (Fall ONLY)	Cognition, Technology and Instruction for Diverse Learners	Pre-requisite: 221	3	25 Hours Fieldwork
SEYS 372.2 (Fall ONLY)	Initial Clinical Experience (ICE)	Pre or Co-req.: SEYS 350 Pre-req.: SEYS 362 Co-req. SEYS 382**	3	180 + Hours in Student Teaching I M-Th
SEYS 382 (Fall Course)	Standards-Based Curriculum and Assessment in Teaching Science	Pre-req.: SEYS 362 Co-requisite: 372.2	3	No Fieldwork
SEYS 372.4 (Spring Course)	Student Teaching Science in Middle or High School	Pre-requisite: SEYS 362, 372.2, 382	3	Student Teaching II M-F
TOTAL NUMBER OF			27	

CREDITS

All students are required to complete 100 hours of fieldwork prior to Student Teaching I the Initial Clinical Experience (ICE).

- *Credits not applicable to the program's Total Number of Credits
- **Submission of Content- Specialty Test (CST) official score report prior to the first student teaching placement, with overall score and sub-scores (candidates who do not pass must develop a remediation plan signed by advisor prior to student teaching).
- ****Submission of the Educating All Students (EAS) official score report prior to the first student teaching placement, with overall score and sub-scores (candidates who do not pass must develop a remediation plan signed by advisor prior to student teaching).