



## TRANSFER DEGREE PATHWAY GUIDE

Associate in Science to Bachelor of Science in Biology w/ Ecology track

### **Overview**

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for the Associates in Science at the Kentucky Community and Technical College System and leads to the Bachelor of Science in Biology w/ Ecology Track at the University of Louisville.

### **Admission Requirements**

Admission to the BA in Biology requires completion of Biology 240, Biology 242, and Biology 244 with a grade of C or better; completion of Math 111 with a grade of C or better on the basis of either the University of Louisville mathematics placement examination or ACT/SAT score; and a minimum overall grade point average of 2.0

### **Degree Requirements**

The baccalaureate degree in arts is the undergraduate degree offered by the university. It is awarded to students who have completed both university-wide requirements and the requirements of the selected degree program. The following university-wide requirements apply to all baccalaureate degrees. The student must complete all Cardinal Core requirements, complete all required courses and program requirements listed in this form, have a cumulative GPA of at least a 2.00, or higher, complete 120 hours applicable to this program, and complete at least 60 hours at an accredited 4-year institution. Please visit <https://catalog.louisville.edu/undergraduate/majors/biology-bs/> for a list of all degree requirements.

### **General Transfer Requirements**

Please reference the following links for information about applying, scholarship, and speaking with an admission counselor.

- Application Process: <http://louisville.edu/admissions/apply/transfer/admissions>
- Scholarship: <http://louisville.edu/admissions/apply/transfer/cost-of-attendance/kctcs>
- Admissions Counselor: [uofl.me/trf-appointment](http://uofl.me/trf-appointment)

All transfers students are required to meet with an academic advisor prior to registering for classes. During your advising appointment, your academic advisor will assess your transfer credit and provide a timeline to degree.

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### Kentucky Community and Technical College System

#### Category 1: KCTCS General Education Core Requirements (33 hours)

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	UofL Course	Completed
ENG 101	Writing I	3	ENGL 101	
ENG 102	Writing II	3	ENGL 102	
COM XXX	Oral Communication Gen Ed	3	COMM 111 or 115	
TBS XXX	Social Behavioral Science Gen Ed*	3	SB XXX	
TBS XXX	Social Behavioral Science Gen Ed*	3	SB XXX	
HIS XXX	Heritage*- HIS 101, 102, 108 or 109	3	HIST 101, 102, 211, or 212	
TBS XXX	Any Arts & Humanities Gen Ed*	3	A/H XXX	
CHE 170/175	General College Chemistry I w/ lab	5	CHEM 201 & 207	
BIO 150/151	Principles of Biology I	5	BIOL 240	
MAT 150 or 171	College Algebra or Pre-Calculus	3-5	MATH 111 or MATH 112	
MAT 175	Calculus I**	5	MATH 205	
<b>Subtotal General Education Core Courses</b>		<b>37-39</b>		

TBS XXX means to be selected by KCTCS student.

\*One of these courses must be selected from the KCTCS identified Cultural Studies course list, indicate by placing (CS) next to the course name in Category 1 or 2 table.

\*\*MAT 175 has a pre-requisite of MAT 150 & MAT 155 or MAT 171.

#### Category 2: KCTCS AS Requirements (6 hours)

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	UofL Course	Completed
BIO 152/153	Principles of Biology II w/ lab	5	BIOL 242 & 244	
CHE 180/185	General College Chemistry II w/ lab	5	CHEM 202 & 208/209	
<b>Subtotal AA/AS Requirement Courses</b>		<b>10</b>		

#### Category 3: KCTCS Electives (21 hours)

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	UofL Course	Completed
CIT 105	Digital Literacy or IC3 Fast track test	0-3	Elective	
FYE 105	First-Year Experience	3	GEN 101	
CHE 270/275	Organic Chemistry I w/lab	5	CHEM 341 & 343	
CHE 280/285	Organic Chemistry II w/lab	5	CHEM 342 & 344	
TBS XXX	Foreign Language	6-8	SBS XXX	
<b>Subtotal Elective Courses</b>		<b>19-24</b>		
<b>TOTAL Associate Degree Hours</b>		<b>60-65</b>		

## University of Louisville

### Major Requirements for Bachelor of Science in Biology w/ Ecology track:

UofL Course	Course	Credits	KCTCS Course	Taken at KCTCS
BIOL 329	Cellular and Molecular Biology	3		
BIOL 330	Genetics and Molecular Biology	3		
BIOL 331	Genetics and Molecular Biology Lab	2		
BIOL 350	Biostatistics	3		
BIOL 363	Principles of Ecology	3		
BIOL 409	Evolutionary Biology -CUE	3		
GEOS XXX*	Geosciences Elective *	6		
PHYS 221	Fundamentals of Physics I	3	PHY 151	
PHYS 223	Fundamentals of Physics I Lab	1	PHY 161	
TBD XXX*	Biology Elective (300+)	6		
TBD XXX*	Biology/Geoscience Elective	3		
TBD XXX*	Foreign Language	6-8	TBS XXX	
TBD XXX**	Choose one of the following**	3	TBS XXX**	
TBD XXX*	Humanities/Social Science/Bio(300+)-WR	6		
TBD XXX*	Humanities/Social Science/Bio(300+)	3		
TBD XXX*	Track-specific Electives	12		
<b>Subtotal UofL Credit Hours</b>			<b>71</b>	
<b>Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours</b>			<b>136</b>	

\*TBD XXX to be determined with the conjuncture of the Academic Advising Unit

#### \*\*Choose 1 of the following:

UofL Course	Course	Credits	KCTCS Course	Taken at KCTCS
GEOS 301	Geology for Scientists and Engineers	3		
GEOG 355	Introduction to Remote Sensing	3		
GEOS 363	Climate Science	3		
GEOS 365	Biogeography	3		
GEOS 367	Geomorphology	3		
GEOG 558	Introduction to Geographic Info. Syst.	3		
SUST 518	Urban Demography ad GIS	3		

#### \*Choose 1 from each category & at least 1 additional class from these lists, (12h total):

##### Plant Ecology\*

UofL Course	Course	Credits	KCTCS Course	Taken at KCTCS
BIOL 300	Plant Biology	*		
BIOL 304	Plant Taxonomy	*		
BIOL 435	Chemical Ecology	*		

**Animal Ecology\***

<b>UofL Course</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>KCTCS Course</b>	<b>Taken at KCTCS</b>
BIOL 308	Vertebrate Zoology	*		
BIOL 310	Animal Behavior	*		
BIOL 347	Comp. Vertebrate Anatomy	*		
BIOL 382	Entomology	*		
BIOL 510	Animal Behavior	*		
BIOL 514	Ornithology	*		
BIOL 515	Environmental Physiology	*		
BIOL 571	Invertebrate Zoology	*		

**Community Ecology\***

<b>UofL Course</b>	<b>Course</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>KCTCS Course</b>	<b>Taken at KCTCS</b>
BIOL 372	Evolutionary Ecology and Disease	*		
BIOL 440	Global Change	*		
BIOL 560	Urban Ecology	*		
BIOL 562	Ecosystems Ecology	*		
BIOL 567	Conservation Biology	*		

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