

# BIOLOGY MINOR

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**Banner Code:** BIOL

## Academic Advising

1200 Exploratory Hall  
Fairfax Campus

Website: [biology.gmu.edu/academics/degree-programs/](http://biology.gmu.edu/academics/degree-programs/)

## Admissions & Policies

### Policies

Eight credits of coursework must be unique to the minor. For policies governing all minors, see AP.5.3.4 Minors.

Candidates for the minor in biology must complete required coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.00 or better and must earn a grade of 'C' or better in BIOL 213 Cell Structure and Function (Mason Core).

## Requirements

### Minor Requirements

Total credits: 19-21

Students should refer to the Admissions & Policies tab for specific policies related to this program.

### Coursework

Code	Title	Credits
BIOL 213	Cell Structure and Function (Mason Core)	4
BIOL 308 or BIOL 310	Foundations of Ecology and Evolution Biodiversity	3-5
BIOL 311	General Genetics	4
Elective courses in biology to achieve at least 19 credits (one of which may be lower-level)		8
Total Credits		19-21