

**The University of Texas at Austin**  
**Bachelor of Science, Biology, Option 7: Plant Biology, 120 Hours**  
**2018-2020 Catalog Expires Summer 2026**

**Four-year Degree Suggestion (for planning purposes only)**

Currently enrolled students should meet with their academic advisor

**FIRST YEAR**

**Fall:**

Core/Major: M 408C, 408R, or 408N ( <i>Mathematics 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	4 hours
Core/Major: CH 301 ( <i>Science &amp; Tech - Natural Sciences 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core/Major: BIO 311C ( <i>Science &amp; Tech - Natural Sciences 2</i> )	3 hours
Core: UGS 302 ( <i>Writing flag</i> )/ 303 ( <i>Institutionally Designated Option 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core: RHE 306 ( <i>Communication I</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 16 hours</b>

**Spring:**

Major: M 408S <sup>1</sup>	4 hours
Core/Major: CH 302 ( <i>Science &amp; Tech - Natural Sciences 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: BIO 311D	3 hours
Major: CH 204	2 hours
Core: VAPA ( <i>Visual &amp; Performing Arts I</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 15 hours</b>

**Summer:**

Opportunities:	
• Study Abroad	
• Internship	
• Volunteer	
• Course:	
• Core: U.S. History ( <i>History 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours

**SECOND YEAR**

**Fall:**

Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS <sup>2</sup> (CH 320M <sup>3</sup> )	3 hours
Major: BIO 325	3 hours
Major: BIO 206L	2 hours
Core: Soc & Behav Sci ( <i>Social &amp; Behavioral Science I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core: U.S. History ( <i>History 1</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 14 hours</b>

**Spring:**

Major: SDS 328M ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning flag</i> ) ( <i>Ethics Flag</i> ) ( <i>Independent Inquiry Flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: BIO 370	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS	3 hours
Core: GOV 310L ( <i>Government I</i> )	3 hours
Elective ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 15 hours</b>

**Summer:**

Opportunities:	
• Study Abroad	
• Internship	
• Research	
• Course:	
• Core: GOV 312L ( <i>Government I</i> )	3 hours

1 M 408S and M 408M are required if selected the M 408N sequence. If not needed, may take an elective.

2 See course options on the 18-20 checklist

3 Complete courses from one sequence. CH 320M cannot overlap between the sequence and additional hours requirement.

## THIRD YEAR

### Fall:

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Major: PHY 302K & 102M <sup>4</sup>	4 hours
Major: BIO 328	3 hours
Major: UD BIO	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS	3 hours
Core: E 316L/M/N/P ( <i>Humanities 1</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 16 hours

### Spring:

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Major: PHY 302L & 102N	4 hours
Major: BIO 373	3 hours
Major: UD BIO LAB <sup>5</sup> ( <i>BIO 328D</i> )	3 hours
Elective ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 13 hours

### Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

## FOURTH YEAR

### Fall:

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Major: UD BIO (BIO 350M)	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS (BIO 463L)	3-4 hours
Major: UD BIO LAB (BIO 322 & 122L)	4 hours
Elective ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 16-17 hours

### Spring:

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Major: UD BIO or Elective ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS	3 hours
Major: UD BCH/BIO/CH/MNS (BIO 375)	3 hours
Major: UD BIO LAB (BIO 374 & 174L)	3 hours
Elective ( <i>May carry a flag</i> ) or UD BCH/BIO/CH	1-3 hours

### Summer:

Opportunities:

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4 Other physics options are available.

5 See course option on the 18-20 checklist.

## LEGEND

### Terms:

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Major: As published in the Undergraduate Catalog

Elective: Additional hours contributing to reach the degree plan total required hours

Core: Required part of the 42-hour core curriculum

UD BIO/LAB: Upper-division courses as published in the Undergraduate Catalog