

Best Choices Guide



Chemistry (BA)

This Associate of Science degree is designed for PPCC students who want to transfer to UCCS and complete a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Chemistry. It is based on the <u>best academic advising choices</u> for future UCCS students.

To earn the Associate of Science Degree, students must complete the following course requirements for a total of 60 semester credit hours, at least 35 of which must be Colorado State-Guaranteed Courses. Courses taken at other colleges, AP, IB, CLEP, and other sources of credit may not be applicable upon transfer to UCCS even if applied to the associate's degree at PPCC.

To transfer to UCCS, students should have a cumulative GPA of 2.4 or better, *including all remedial and repeated courses*. (Students with a transfer GPA between 2.0 and 2.39 will be considered for admission.) Each transfer course must have a grade of "C" or better.

Degree Requirements	Courses										
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Communication	ENG 121	Note: Students who test into ENG 122, should take ENG 201 as their second									
(6 credit hours)	ENG 122	composition co	urse.								
Mathematics	Category GT-MA1										
(5 credit hours)	MAT 201										
Arts & Humanities/Social &	Category GT-AH1										
Behavioral Sciences	ART 110	ART 111	ART 112	ART 207	DAN 125	MUS 120					
(9 credit hours)	MUS 121	MUS 122	MUS 123	MUS 125	THE 105	THE 108					
	THE 211	THE 212	THE 215								
1. Select one course from any of	Category GT-AH2										
the GT-AH areas.	HUM 103	HUM 115	HUM 121	HUM 122	HUM 123	LIT 115					
	LIT 201	LIT 202	LIT 205	LIT 211	LIT 212	LIT 221					
	LIT 222	LIT 225	LIT 246	LIT 259	LIT 268						
	Category GT-AH3										
	PHI 111	PHI 112	PHI 113	PHI 114	PHI 205	PHI 214					
	PHIL 218	PHI 220									
	Category GT-AH4										
	FRE 211	FRE 212	GER 211	GER 212	ITA 211	ITA 212					
	JPN 211	JPN 212	RUS 211	RUS 212	SPA 211	SPA 212					
	Category GT-HI1										
2. Select one GT-HI course. Do	HIS 101	HIS 102	HIS 111	HIS 112	HIS 121	HIS 122					
not take more than one GT-HI	HIS 205	HIS 207	HIS 208	HIS 215	HIS 225	HIS 235					
course for the AS.	HIS 236	HIS 243	HIS 244	HIS 247	HIS 249	HIS 250					
	HIS 251	HIS 255	HIS 260								
	Category GT-SS1										
	AGE 102	ECO 101	ECO 201	ECO 202	ECO 245	POS 105					
3. Select one courses any of the	POS 111	POS 125	POS 205	POS 215	POS 225						
GT-SS areas. ANT 101, GEO 105	Category GT-S	S2									
or GEO 106 are preferred	GEO 105	GEO 106									
options to fulfill this	Category GT-SS3										
•	AGR 260	ANT 101	ANT 103	ANT 107	ANT 108	ANT 201					
requirement for UCCS students.	ANT 215	ANT 225	ANT 250	COM 220	CRJ 110	ETH 200					
	JOU 105	PSY 101	PSY 102	PSY 205	PSY 217	PSY 226					
	PSY 227	PSY 235	PSY 238	PSY 240	PSY 249	SOC 101					
	SOC 102	SOC 205	SOC 207	SOC 215	SOC 216	SOC 218					
	SOC 220	SOC 231	SOC 237	WST 200	WST 225	WST 240					

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Physical and Life Sciences	Category GT-SC1							
(10 credit hours)	CHE 111	CHE 112						
Additional Requirements	MAT 202			5				
30 credits recommended by	MAT 203				4			
UCCS for this degree plus remaining courses from the approved course list.	PHY 211		5					
	PHY 212		5					
	CHE 211				5			
	CHE 212				5			
	General Elective				1			

NOTE: Courses in italics will count towards the UCCS Writing Intensive Requirement.

Other AA Requirements

- 1. A minimum of 60 credit hours in a prescribed program of study with a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 (a C average). At least 15 of these credit hours must be earned from PPCC.
- 2. Only 6 elective credits are allowed in any combination of PED courses.
- 3. Career and technical courses, whether taken at another institution or at PPCC, are not accepted toward this degree without approval of the PPCC Vice President for Instructional Services. Approval is given only when it is appropriate to the educational objectives of the student.
- 4. Courses numbered below 100 do not apply towards degrees

State-Wide Articulation Agreement

This guide is based on the Colorado state-wide transfer articulation for your major. For additional information regarding guarantees, limitations, and addendums to that agreement please visit the Guaranteed Transfer and Guided Pathways page on the Colorado Department of Higher Education website (highered.colorado.gov/Academics/Transfers/Students.html).

Foreign Language Note - UCCS

UCCS admission requirements include 2 years of the same high school foreign language (or equivalent 2 semesters at Pikes Peak Community College). Students planning to attend UCCS who do not have the prerequisite foreign language requirement should consider enrolling in these courses in addition to the degree requirements. Students who do not meet this requirement will need to fulfill it upon transferring to UCCS. This admission requirement does not apply to those who graduated from high school prior to 1988, who have a GED, who graduated from a non-U.S. high school, or who can prove proficiency in a foreign language through the 2nd semester at college level. **Please check with the Transfer Advisor (ppcc@uccs.edu) to see if this requirement applies to you.**

Advising at PPCC

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Additional Resources

The UCCS transfer website (www.uccs.edu/transfer) has many additional resources for students transferring from PPCC to UCCS.

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Four-Year Degree Plan - Chemistry

The following four-year plan lists all the specific course requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Chemistry degree at UCCS. Courses are listed by the course number at the appropriate institution. The order in which these courses are taken may vary with course availability. **Students are responsible for completing all course prerequisites.** Please note that this is a *suggested* degree program; your program may vary.

Sug	gested First Year							
	FALL	<u> </u>	SPRING					
٧	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	ENG 121	3		ENG 122	3			
	GT-HI course	3		MAT 201	5			
_	CHE 111	5		CHE 112	5			
	GT-SS course from: GEO 105, GEO 106, or ANT 101	3		GT-AH Course	3			
	TOTAL	14		TOTAL	16			
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Sug	gested Second Year			SPRING				
	FALL	T	<u> </u>	T				
٧	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	PHY 211	5		PHY 212	5			
	MAT 202	5	<u> </u>	MAT 203	4			
	CHE 211	5	<u> </u>	CHE 212	5			
		<u> </u>	<u> </u>	General Elective	1			
	TOTAL	15	<u> </u>	TOTAL	15			
Sug	gested Third Year FALL		_	SPRING				
٧	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	CHEM 4001/4002	4		CHEM 4011/4012	5			
	CHEM 4101	3		CHEM 4111	3			
	CHEM 4102	1		CHEM 4112	1			
	HUM 3990	3		Humanities Elective	3			
	General Elective (Inclusiveness)	3		General Elective (Sustainability)	3			
	TOTAL	14		TOTAL	15			
Sug	gested Fourth Year							
	FALL			SPRING				
٧	Course	Hours	٧	Course	Hours			
	CHEM 4211	3		CHEM 4911	2			
	CHEM 4301	3		UD CHEM Elective	3			
	General Elective	4		General Elective	4			
	Social Science Elective	3		Social Science Elective	3			
	Upper Division (UD) CHEM Elective	3		UD General Elective (Cultural Diversity)	3			

UCCS Bachelor of Arts, Chemistry Major Requirements

- 1. A minimum of 120 hours must be completed with a cumulative CU grade point average of 2.0; at least 45 of these hours must be at the upper-division level (courses numbered 3000-4999).
- 2. The BA Chemistry major requires a minimum of 51 hours with a grade point average of 2.0; a grade of "C" or higher must be attained in all required courses; and at least 24 of the hours must be at the upper-division level (courses numbered 300-499)
- 3. The last 30 hours of the degree must be completed while registered in the College of Letters, Arts and Sciences at UCCS.
- 4. In addition to the requirements listed on this handout, students are required to complete one course in Oral Communication, Cultural Diversity and Global Awareness. The courses may be within the major, part of general education or electives. BA Chemistry majors will have met the Global Awareness requirement by completing one course from ANT 101, GEO 105 or GEO 106 at the community college. The Oral Communication requirement will be met by taking CHEM 4911, a required major course, at UCCS. The Cultural Diversity requirement will be met by taking an approved course as a general elective at UCCS.
- 5. For specific department information and recommendations, please visit: http://www.uccs.edu/chemistry.

Prospective Student Advising: Transfer Advisor (ppcc@uccs.edu)

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