



UPSTATE
University of South Carolina



Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts in Biology, 2025-2026

Greenville Technical College to USC Upstate Transfer Pathways			
If you complete your associate degree			
Associate's Degree	Completion of the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree satisfies all general education courses. Associate of Applied Science completion requires a minimum 30 hours of general education credit be completed.	☐ AA ☐ AS ☐ AAS	The following courses are recommended to be completed during associate degree completion to ensure timely graduation. MAT 110, 111; CHM 110, 111
Mathematics Transfer Notes	1. A maximum of 90 hours from a technical college program may be counted towards degree credit at USC Upstate. All courses transferred for degree credit must have a minimum grade of "C" 2. Professional program related pre-requisite courses may not be included in the Associate's of Art or Sciences completion pathway. 3. Courses excluded from general transfer must be completed prior to upper-level courses.		

If you transfer before completing associate degree			
Recommended courses: Minimum 30 hours needed to transfer			
USC Upstate Courses		Hours	Piedmont Technical College
I. Communication		9 Hours	
English	ENGL U101, U102	☐ ☐	ENG 101 ENG 102
Speech	SPCH U201	☐	SPC 205
II. Mathematics, Logic, & Natural Sciences		14 Hours	
Mathematics	MATH U126, U127	☐ ☐	MAT 110, 111
Natural Science (w/lab)	CHEM U111/L, U112/L	☐ ☐	CHM 110, 111
III. Information Technology		3 Hours	
Info Tech	CSCI U138, U150; INFO U101; LIBR U201	☐	CPT 170
IV. Fine Arts, Humanities & History		6 Hours	
Fine Arts	ARTH U101, U105, U106; MUSC U110, U140; THEA U161, U170	☐	ART 101, 107, 108; MUS 105; THE 101, 105
History	HIST U101, U102, U105, U106	☐	HIS 104, 105, 201, 202
V. Foreign Language and Culture		3 Hours	
The minimum acceptable level of competency is completion of the 101 level of a language. Students who place in the 102 or higher level of a language satisfy the language requirement but will have additional hours in general electives, if hours are required by their degree program.			
Foreign Language	ASLG U101, FREN U101; GERM U101; SPAN U101	☐	FRE 101; GER 101; SPA 101
VI. Social and Behavioral Sciences		3 Hours	
Social & Behavioral Science	AFAM U201; ANTH U102; ECON U221, U222; GEOG U103; POLI U101; PSYC U101; SOCY U101; WGST U101	☐	ANT 101; ECO 210, 211; GEO 101; PSC 201; PSY 201; SOC 101
VII. General Education Electives		6 Hours	
General Ed. Electives	Any General Ed course or courses	☐ ☐	Any General Ed course or courses

Major Requirements			
Bachelor of Arts		73-76 hours	
Bachelor of Arts	BIOL U101, U102, U201, U301, U302, U599; and Select one of: U305, U310, U315, U320, U350, U360, U525, U531, U570; and Select 4 additional 300/500 level biology courses	☐ ☐	BIO 101, 102 Remainder to be completed at Upstate
Supporting Courses	MATH U102 or PSYC U225	☐	MAT 120
Minor or Upper-level electives	Biology majors must either complete a minor 12 upper-level elective hours	12-24 hours	
Electives	Electives	0-19 hours	
Bachelor of Science		73-76 hours	
Bachelor of Science	BIOL U101, U102, U201, U301, U302, U599; and Select one of: U305, U310, U315, U320, U350, U360, U525, U531, U534, U570; and Select 4 additional 300/500 level biology courses	☐ ☐	BIO 101, 102 Remainder to be completed at Upstate
Supporting Courses	CHEM U331/L and CHEM U332/L or U371/L MATH U102 or PSYC U225	☐	MAT 120 Chemistry to be completed at Upstate
Minor or Upper-level electives	Biology majors must either complete a minor 12 upper-level elective hours	12-24 hours	
Electives	Electives	0-19 hours	
Total USC Upstate hours required for graduation		120-123	

**** Please refer to the transfer guide in the USC Upstate catalog, pages 22-23 at <http://www.uscupstate.edu/academics/catalog> for complete transfer options.**