University Transfer Guide 2026 – 2027

KPU Faculty of Science: Major in Biology

The following information is a summary of the transfer and program requirements from the university website. For more detailed information such as additional courses, GPA requirements etc., please consult with one of our academic advisors.

Apply to the Faculty of Sciences as a high school student or a transfer student from another post-secondary institution. You can declare this program as your major after one or more years of full-time study.

The following information is from KPU website:

- English Proficiency Requirement**:** Completion of 3 credits of undergraduate **English (ENGL) with a minimum grade of C-** from a recognized post-secondary institution
- Students intending to graduate with this Faculty of Science degree must declare the credential by the time they complete 60 credits of undergraduate coursework. At the time of declaration, the student must satisfy all the following requirements:
  - In good academic standing with the University
  - Completion of a **minimum of 24 credits of undergraduate coursework**, including the following:
  - **3 credits of ENGL at the 1100 level or higher**
  - **BIOL 1110 with a minimum grade of "C"**
  - **BIOL 1210 with a minimum grade of "C"**

  https://calendar.kpu.ca/programs-az/science/biology/biology-bs/#requirementstext

Sample Transfer Plan

Transfer Requirements

Alexander College (ALEX)	Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU)
ENGL 100 (3 credits)	ENGL 1100 (3 credits)
BIOL 101 (4 credits) & BIOL 102 (4 credits)	BIOL 1110 (4 credits) & BIOL 1210 (4 credits)
CHEM 101 (4 credits) & CHEM 102 (4 credits)	CHEM 1110 (4 credits) & CHEM 1210 (4 credits)
MATH 151 (3 credits)	MATH 1120 (3 credits) (Credit exclusion - MATH 1130)
PHYS 141 (4 credits)	PHYS 1120 (4 credits) (Credit exclusion – PHYS 1101)
Program Requirements or Electives	See an academic advisor for more details

Recommended Courses

Alexander College (ALEX)	Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU)
MATH 152 (3 credits)	MATH 1220 (3 credits)
PHYS 142 (4 credits)	PHYS 1220 (4 credits) (Credit exclusion – PHYS 1102)
BIOL 201 (4 credits)	BIOL 2321 (4 credits)
BIOL 204 (4 credits)	BIOL 2322 (4 credits)
BIOL 222 (4 credits)	BIOL 2421 (3 credits)
CHEM 201 (4 credits)	CHEM 2320 (4 credits)
CHEM 202 (4 credits)	CHEM 2420 (4 credits)

Please check https://www.bctransferguide.ca/ for specific transfer details.

Please note: Ensure you are using the most current version of this form. We are checking the requirements regularly, but the receiving university's transfer requirements can be changed anytime without notice. It is the student's responsibility to make sure to meet university's general admission requirements.

The information is last verified on Oct. 19, 2026