BA Chemistry Education (Code: Chem 7-12)

This option can be taken only with SEYS minor

A minimum GPA of 2.75 in chemistry courses and 3.00 in SEYS courses must be maintained. Successful completion of the program leads to NY state teacher certification in chemistry, grades 7-12.

REQUIRED CHEM COURSES

Course #	Name of the course	Cr.	Pre-Requisites**** Pre/Co-Requisites	
CHEM 113.4	Gen Chem 1	4	Math 115 or equiv.	Chem 113.1
CHEM 113.1	Intro to Chemical	1		Chem 113.4
	Techniques (Lab)			
CHEM 114.4	Gen Chem 2	4	Math 122 or equiv.	Chem 114.1
			Chem 113.4 & .1	
CHEM 114.1	Quant and Qual. Analysis	1		Chem 114.4
	(Lab)			
CHEM 211	Thermodynamics & Kinetics	4	Chem 114.4 & .1	Phys 145.4° & .1°
			Math 152 or 143	
CHEM 251.4	Organic Chem 1	4	Chem 114.4 & .1	Chem 251.1
CHEM 251.1	Organic Chem Lab 1	1		Chem 251.4
CHEM 252.4	Organic Chem 2	4	Chem 251.4 & .1	Chem 252.1
CHEM 252.1	Organic Chem Lab 2	1		Chem 252.4
CHEM 331.3	Adv. Inorg. Chem	3	Chem 252.4 & .1	Chem 331.1
			Math 151 or 142	
CHEM 331.1	Physical Inorg. Lab	1		Chem 331.3
CHEM 341.3	Instrumental Methods	3	Chem 211, 252.4, 252.1	Chem 341.1
			Phys 145.4 ^a & .1 ^a	Phys 146.4 ^b & .1 ^b
CHEM 341.1	Instr. Methods Lab	1	Chem 341.3	
CHEM 371	Biochemistry	4	Chem 252.4 & .1	
			Biol 105 or Permission	

CHEM 395	Senior thesis	3	Chem 211, 212, 251.4	
			& .1, 252.4 & .1	
Chem 321.1	Practicum in Chemical	2-9	Permission of ChemEd	Chem 252.4 & .1
to 3	Education		advisor	
	TOTAL	41-		
		48		

^{***} A grade of 'C' or better is required in all pre-requisite 100 and 200 level courses & 'C-' or better in all higher level pre-requisite courses.

REQUIRED SEYS COURSES

Course #	Name	Credits	Pre/Co-Req
SEYS 201	Historical, Social, and Phil.	3	
	Foundations in Ed.		
SEYS 221	Dev. & learning in Ed.	3	
SEYS 340	Lang., Lit., and Culture in Ed.	3	SEYS 201
SEYS 350	Cognition, Tech., and Instruction	3	SEYS 221 & 340
	for Diverse Learners		
SEYS 362	Teaching Science in Middle	3	SEYS 221 & 340
	School Practicum		
SEYS 372.2	High School or Middle School	2	SEYS 350
	Practicum		
SEYS 372.4	Student Teaching in Science for	4	SEYS 362
	High School and/or Middle		
	School		
SEYS 382	Curriculum and Assessment in	3	SEYS 362
	Science		
edTPA	see Science Advisor in SEYS		

In addition, students must also take three state certification exams:

LAST – Liberal Arts and Science Test

ATS-W – Assessment of teaching skills written

Chemistry content test

^a: Phys 121.4 & 121.1 can be accepted for Phys 145.4 & 145.1 on student's request.

^b: Phys 122.4 & 122.1 can be accepted for Phys 146.4 & 146.1 on student's request.

Required Cognate Courses

Note that the Chem major has pre-requisites from Math, Bio, and Phys courses as shown in the table.

BIOL 105 (4 Cr) – General Biology: Physiology and Cell Biology

Phys 121.4 & .1 OR Phys 145.4 & .1 (5 Cr) - Principles of Physics I

Phys 122.4 & .1 OR Phys 146.4 & .1 (5 Cr) - Principles of Physics II

Math 122 (4 Cr) – Pre-Calculus (possible to be waived by Math Dept through placement exam)

Math 151 & Math 152 – 4 Credits each OR Math 141, 142, & 143 – 3 credits each – Calculus

Total Cognate Course credits: 22 to 27