

The recommended four-year plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students will work with their Academic Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

The GC Journeys Program will transform your way of thinking and experiencing college. By participating in five inside and outside the classroom transformative experiences during your time at Georgia College, you will step outside of your usual surroundings, gain authentic experiences, solve problems, become a leader, participate in real-world settings and put ideas into action. Examples of ways to incorporate your GC Journeys options are shared in the plan below.

This recommended Four-Year Plan is applicable to students admitted during the 2020-2021 academic year.

Total Credits Required: 120 credits

Required GPA for Graduation: 2.0 (overall and in the hours used to satisfy Area F and the major)

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Year 1											
Fall				Spring				Summer			
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Summer is a good time to get ahead on courses. Several core courses are offered online over the summer.			
PHYS 0001	First-Year Academic Seminar	1		PHYS 2211	Principles of Physics I	3	D/F	Notes			
PHYS 1012	Techniques of Physics II	3	F	PHYS 2211L	Principles of Physics I Lab	1	D/F				
MATH 1261	Calculus I	4	A	MATH 1262	Calculus II	4	D	GC Journeys: First-Year Experience events, programs, and activities will be planned throughout the first year to help you become familiar with GC and develop skills to thrive in the liberal arts environment.			
ENGL 1101	English Composition I	3	A	ENGL 1102	English Composition II	3	A				
GC1Y 1000	Critical Thinking	3	B	CHEM 1211K	Principles of Chemistry I	4	F	GC Journeys: Career Milestones for year one will be completed in First-Year seminar.			
Total		14		Total		15					

Area A and GC1Y 1000 must be completed by 30 earned hours. PHYS 0001 does not count toward the 120 credit hour graduation requirement.

Year 2											
Fall				Spring				Summer			
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes			
PHYS 2920	Sophomore Seminar*	0	Major	PHYS 2999	Introduction To Physics Research	1	Major	GC Journeys: Complete a Transformative Experience : Leadership Experience, Study Abroad, Community Based Engaged Learning, or an Internship GC Journeys: Complete Career Planning Milestones : Resume Review and create a LinkedIn Profile			
PHYS 2212	Principles of Physics II	3	D/F	PHYS 3005	Mechanics**	3	Major				
PHYS 2212L	Principles of Physics II Lab	1	D/F	PHYS 3100L	Electronics Lab**	1	Major				
MATH 2263	Calculus III	4	Major	MATH 3030	Foundations of Mathematics	3	Major				
CHEM 1212K	Principles of Chemistry II	4	F	GC2Y 2000	Global Perspectives	4	B				
Core Choice	Area C1: Humanities & Ethics	3	C	ASTR 1000	Introduction to Astronomy	3	F				
				ASTR 1000L	Introduction to Astronomy Lab	1	F				
Total		15		Total		16					
Apply for REU's, Study Abroad, or an Internship in the Fall. GC2Y 2000 must be completed by 60 earned hours. **Only offered in the Fall **Only offered in the Spring											
Year 3											
Fall				Spring				Summer			
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes			
PHYS 3920	Physics Seminar I*	0	Major	MAED 3121	Number/Algebra Secondary Math**	3	Major	GC Journeys: Complete a Transformative Experience : Leadership Experience, Study Abroad, Community Based Engaged Learning, or an Internship GC Journeys: Complete Career Planning Milestones : Strategic Career Plan and a Mock Interview			
PHYS 3010	Modern Physics*	3	Major	EDUC 2120	Exploring Socio-Cultural Perspectives	3	Major				
PHYS 3100	Electricity and Magnetism*	3	Major	BIOL 1107 or BIOL 1108	Principles of Biology I or II	3	F				
EDUC 2110	Investigating Critical Issues in Education	3	Major	BIOL 1107L or 1108L	Principles of Biology I or II Lab	1	F				
MAED 3119	Geom./Measure in Secondary Math*	3	Major	Foreign Lang.	FORL 1002	3	Major				
Core Choice	Area C2: Fine Arts	3	C	Core Choice	Area E: Social Science Choice 1	3	E				
Total		15		Total		16					
Apply for REU's, Study Abroad, or an Internship in the Fall. *Only offered in the Fall **Only offered in the Spring											

Year 4											
Fall				Spring				Summer			
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area	Notes			
PHYS 3140	Thermodynamics*	3	Major	PHYS 4920	Senior Seminar**	0	Major	GC Journeys: Complete Undergraduate Research Project and Senior Capstone Courses GC Journeys: Complete Career Planning Milestone: Senior Check-In Capstone Course Options: ASTR: 3020, 3400 CHEM: 4212, 4212L MATH: 4081, 4261, 4262, 4300, 4650 PHYS: 3001, 3002, 3311, 4251, 4261, 4900			
PHYS 4960	Internship	4	Major	PHYS 4600L	Advanced Physics Lab**	3	Major				
Capstone	Capstone Course	3	Major	PHYS 4999	Research	1	Major				
EDUC 2130	Exploring Learning & Teaching	3	Major	EDIS 4425	Seminar: Exp. Teach. Math & Sci. Maj.**	3	Major				
Elective	Any 1000-4000 level electives	4	Elective	Core Choice	Area E: Social Science Choice 2	3	E				
				Core Choice	Area E: Social Science Choice 3	3	E				
Total		17		Total		13					

Visit graduate schools or apply for jobs during this year. *Only offered in the Fall **Only offered in the Spring

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Area This section of the plan references the area of the curriculum the course fulfills.

- A=Core Area A: Communication and Quantitative Skills
- B=Core Area B: Institutional Options
- C=Core Area C: Humanities and Fine Arts
- D=Core Area D: Science, Technology, and Math
- E=Core Area E: Social Sciences
- F=Core Area F: Major Directed Core
- Major=Major Required Course
- Elective=a course a student chooses to help meet overall graduation hours.