

# BIO109 : Survey of Biology

This is a survey course of biology, the study of life, in one semester. It is designed to conceptually and experimentally explore the processes that sustain life. Major topics include cell biology, adaptation and evolution, genetics and reproduction, ecology and diversity, taxonomy and classification. The course is not intended for science majors.

**Credits** 4

**Prerequisites**

[MAT011](#): Mathematical Reasoning and Problem Solving or [MAT025](#): Pre-Algebra, [ENL108](#): Critical Reading & Thinking or [ESL201](#): English as a Second Language III: Advanced or satisfactory basic skills assessment scores

**Semester Offered**

Fall

Spring

**Notes**

Satisfies a Natural or Physical Science general education requirement.