## APPENDIX

## BUDGET



## CLOSE OUT REPORT ON FIRST PROJECT

## Introduction

Little Big Horn College had a mission statement that determined a service area: the Crow Indian Reservation Community. Most generally, this has been defined as towns within the boundaries of the Crow Indian Reservation. In July 1999, a coalition of seven Billings, Montana-based organizations and agencies serving Crow Indian people requested an extended LBHC site for development and college classes in the city of Billings, Montana. The courses requested are from the LBHC catalog, and include developmental and general studies and information systems. A well-suited location for the site was identified.

The Little Big Horn College Board of Trustees voted to establish the Billings Site for classes in cooperation with the Native American Development Corporation (NADC), and was determined to be a critical service to the Crow Indian community of Billings. Therefore, the Substantive Change Request for the Little Big Horn College - Billings Site was approved.

## ANTICIPATED PROJECT GOALS

The LBHC Billings Site will provide services to Crow and American Indian Students referred directly from eight Native American/Crow Indian agencies and human service organizations in Billings, Montana.

- Native American Development Corporation

50 students

- Billings Native American WIA Trainees

40 Welfare To Work

- Billings Crow Tribal Su-Office 20 students
- Plenty Coups High School, Pryor 5 students
- Montana State University and Veterans Upward Bound 15 students
- Billings Adult Learning Center 20 students


## The LBHC Services Area

The Billings Site is outside the current LBHC service area boundaries a distance of nine miles north and 65 miles from Crow Agency. Little Big Horn College does offer classes in the Reservation town of Pryor, a distance of 85 miles from Crow Agency (north and west).

The Billings Site location is a suite of classrooms and technology labs within the Native American Development Corporation in downtown Billings, at 207 North Broadway. The site offers two fully equipped Microsoft Certified technology laboratories, three standard classrooms, central study lounges and Internet access. The organizations and agency partners all have convenient access to this location. All are within a ten-minute driving radius from the NADC, the Billings Site location.

## PROJECT RESULTS

Although classrooms are available for the LBHC Billings Site and are rudimentary classrooms, equipped with tables, chairs, charts, dry-erase boards, standard
classroom lighting and heating, the project is slow because most of the target areas were unreachable. At the most, there are at least 5 students in each classroom. The students had access to library and information resources on-line through dial in access. The Dean of Student Services had weekly representatives available at the Billings Site for admissions, registration and advising. The LBHC Finance Office coordinated the student billing process. Books and materials appropriate for the six to eight classes offered were available. Tuition and fees were assessed at LBHC. The standard tuition is $\$ 45 /$ credit, plus 15 percent fee per credit.

Those students who registered and attended class received credit and or a certificate of completion. Their credits are transferable to any institution in Montana.

## CONCLUSION

I was only coordinating in the absence of the original coordinator. On June 1, 2000 a new coordinator was hired for the position, and that was the end of my involvement with the Substantive Change Project. From then on the new coordinator administered the project. It was also convenient for her because she lived in Billings, Montana.

## Lessons Learned

During my substituting in the Substantive Change Project for four months, I learned that there are groups of people out there that are comfortable just collecting welfare, child support, and living in section 8 housing. I was very appalled by the
attitude of a society, hidden within the city limits that do not want to help themselves or improve their lifestyle.

Although I visited all the aforementioned agencies and organizations, recruiting for the NADC Billings Site was very difficult. Therefore, NADC had very few participants than that which was anticipated.

Other factors that hinder and discourage the NADC Billings Site are the colleges in Billings area. Billings has a population of about 200,000 so having one college, one university, Business College, Vo-tech school, Bible College, adult learning center, and many other technical training centers are the main factors for having few participants at NADC Billings Site. The other reason for not meeting the anticipated participants was the fact that NADC could not register non-Indians. Recruiting other than the non-Indian population was disallowed. A rule made by someone other than me.

## LITTLE BIG HORN COLLEGE ORGANIZATIONAL CHART







# STEM Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Packet 2000-2001 

## CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT

Funded by the American Indian Science and Technology Education Consortium

Prepared for Hardin High School

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# STEM Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math Packet 2000-2001 

## CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT <br> Funded by the American Indian Science and Technology Education Consortium

## Purpose

The purpose of the Crow Indian STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Project is to aid students in preparing for a career in science, technology, engineering, or math. This system utilizes "two plus two plus two" agreements between Crow Reservation high schools, Little Big Horn College, and the four-year universities in Montana. These agreements have been designed to help prepare high school students for college through careful selection of coursework for science and technology based careers.

Consultants from Little Big Horn College have examined course descriptions and objectives offered by your high school and have derived suggested plans of study for students interested in science, technology, engineering, or math to be taken during the students' junior and senior years (the first "two"). The goal is to help students make the transition from high school to Little Big Horn College in the disciplines of math and science; that is to bring down the boundaries between high school and college level math and science.

The next portion of the agreement (the second "two") is between the faculty of Little Big Horn College and the students. Upon matriculation into LBHC, the students will follow a suggested plan of study developed as appropriate, relevant, and transferable to a four-year institution that offers a career based four-year degree. This gives the students' the advantage of attending a college within their community while preparing them for transfer to a four-year institution.

The final "two" in this agreement is between Little Big Horn College and the Montana University System. After leaving Little Big Horn College with an associates degree, your students will spend two years at a four-year university completing their degree. The consultants from LBHC have ensured that all suggested courses are transferable from LBHC to the Montana University System.

As an example, suppose a student tells his or her high school instructor or counselor that he or she has an interest in medicine. The instructor or counselor will consult the STEM packet designed for that high school, and note that a suggested plan of study includes: mathematics through trigonometry and pre-calculus, two years of biology, one year of chemistry, one year of physics, advanced composition, and information systems. The student can then choose those courses during registration. If the student has taken the suggested courses during junior and senior years, he or she should have a smoother transition into LBHC and a greater chance of succeeding the community health curriculum. The following two years at LBHC will be spent studying chemistry, biology, calculus, research writing, physics, and anatomy and physiology. This time will be used to hone the student's academic skills and prepare the student for transfer to MSUBillings, MSU-Bozeman, Rocky Mountain College, or the University of Montana. Once the student has transferred from LBHC to one of these institutions, he or she will finish their four-year degree during the final two years of STEM and apply to medical school during their junior year of college.

In summary, the STEM project has been designed with a "two plus two plus two" agreement. The first two years were designed to prepare students for college. The second two years are spent at LBHC earning credit towards a four-year degree. The final two years are spent at one of the four-year universities in Montana.

## Purpose of STEM

1. To help students prepare for college as soon as their junior year of high school.
2. To create a seamless transition from high school math and science to college level math and science.
3. To develop a career based plan of study to guide students from high school through completion of bachelor's degrees.
4. To train Crow students in science, technology, and math based careers, giving the students ownership of that knowledge, leading to increased opportunity on and off the Crow Indian Reservation.

## Why STEM is Necessary

1. Technology, engineering, and science are all math based.
2. $40 \%$ of all career opportunities are math or science based.
3. Students spend an average of 3.7 years at Little Big Horn College pursuing a twoyear degree.
4. One quarter to one third of all courses at Little Big Horn College are taught on a developmental level.
5. We want to set students on their way towards a career so they do not waste their precious time and financial aid on excess years at LBHC.

## Why We Need Your Help

1. $65 \%$ of all Crow high school students from Lodge Grass, Plenty Coups, St. Labre, and Hardin attend Little Big Horn College after high school.
2. College level courses are at least a year away from almost all LBHC entering freshmen.
3. Students choose their high school courses based on lack of information, ease, or to "float" to graduation.
4. We want to influence students into taking gateway courses that will open opportunity to our Crow students.

Working with you, we have developed a suggested plan of study that informs students which courses they should take in preparation for matriculation at Little Big Horn College with a specific career in mind. This plan of study consists of a packet that has been custom designed for your high school and specific career goals. The individual packets have been arranged according to Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math. This enables students to enter LBHC better prepared for a specific career or field. At LBHC we will prepare the students for a four-year university while teaching the freshman and sophomore curricula. The final phase is completion of a STEM based fouryear degree.

## Contacts

Below is a list of contacts at Little Big Horn College. Please feel free to call or email us regarding any questions.

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| Engineering consultant |  |  |

## Programs of Study for Science

On the following pages are the individual programs of study for science offered at Little Big Horn College. Each section starts with a series of options that students may choose from at each Montana university. A course outline of the appropriate program of study is listed in the next section. This is followed by a suggested plan of study for preparing high school students for matriculation into LBHC.

Which Program Do I Choose?
Listed below are the individual programs of study offered at Little Big Horn College that have been cross referenced to several four year degrees. If the student's science career of choice is not listed below, feel free to contact the consultant to discuss a proper plan of study.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
Pre-nursing option

| Four Year Degree |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Offered At |  |
| Mursing | MSU-Bozeman |
| Pre-Physical Therapy* | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky |
| Pre-Medicine and <br> Pre-Medical Science** | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| Pharmacy* | U of Montana |
| Physical Therapy** | U of Montana |

*Denotes that the SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced Chemistry I \& II should be taken instead of SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro to Biochem.
${ }^{\circ}$ It is suggested that students interested in these classes also complete MA $181 \&$ MA 182 Calculus I \& II prior to matriculation into a four year college.

LBHC Program of Study
Associate of Arts
Community Health

Four Year Degree $\quad$ Offered At
Community Health* MSU-Bozeman
Dietetics* MSU-Bozeman
Health Enhancement* MSU-Bozeman Teaching

Human Services MSU-Billings
Rehabilitation and MSU-Billings
Related Services
*Denotes SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro Biochem are required for degree

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
Natural Resources/
Environmental Science
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\begin{array}{ll}\text { Four Year Degree } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Offered At } \\
\text { Fish and Wildlife } \\
\text { Management }\end{array} \\
\begin{array}{ll}\text { Environmental* }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { MSU-Bozeman }\end{array} \\
\begin{array}{l}\text { Uealth/Science }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Rocky } \\
\text { U of Montana }\end{array}
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Microbiology* \& MSU-Bozeman\end{array}\right\}\)| Forestry |
| :--- |
| Resource Conservation |$\quad$ U of Montana

*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts General Science

| Four Year Degree | Offered At <br> Biology*० <br> MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| :--- | :--- |
| Chemistry** | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| Geohydrology** | MSU-Bozeman |

LBHC Program of Study
Associate of Arts
General Science

Four Year Degree
Geology*o

## Offered At

Rocky
U of Montana
*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.
${ }^{\circ}$ Denotes that MA 182 Calculus II is required for these degrees.

## Little Big Horn College Programs Of Study - Science ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: PRE-NURSING OPTION

This program of study is for those students who are pursuing a degree as a Registered Nurse and wish to earn an Associate of Arts Degree prior to receiving a two-year or fouryear degree at another institution. Fulfilling LBHC requirements will allow a student to acquire many of the courses offered in two-year RN programs, or prepare for transfer to a four-year institution at the junior level.

To earn a degree in Science: Pre Nursing Option, a student must complete the core Requirements as well as the courses listed below:

## Program of Study

PY 201 Lifespan Development 3
SC 212/213 Microbiology and Disease/Lab 4
SC 210 Anatomy and Physiology/Lab 4
SC 211 Anatomy and physiology/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
SC 122/126 Intro to Biochemistry/Lab 4
SS 101 Sociology 3
Total Program Credits 25
35 Credits CORE + Program of Study $25=60$ Credits

## TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: PRE-NURSING OPTION

Fall Year 1
SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem 4
SC 110 Principles of Bio/Lab 4
CORE Requirements 9
Fall Year 2
SC 210Anatomy \& Phys.
CORE Requirements

Spring Year 1
SC 122/126 Intro to BioChem/Lab 4 PY 201 Lifespan Develop 3 CORE Requirements 9

## Spring Year 2

SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. 4
SC 212/213 Micro \& Disease 4
SS 101 Sociology 3
SC 214 Nutrition 3
ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN SCIENCE: COMMUNITY HEALTH
This program of study is concerned with improving health and well-being for the promotion of healthful lifestyles, community actions for health, and conditions that make it possible to live healthy lives. Students can transfer to a four-year institution to complete this degree that will prepare them for entry level employment related to community health.

## Program of Study

HE 201 Wellness 3
HS 111 Chemical Dependency 3
SC 210 Anatomy and Physiology I 4
SC 211 Anatomy and Physiology II 4
SC 212/213 Microbiology \& Disease/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab 4
Total Program Credits 25
35 Credits CORE + 25 Program of Study $=60$ credits
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: COMMUNITY HEALTH

Fall Year 1
HS 111Chemical Dependency 3
Core Requirements

Fall Year 2
SC 210 Anatomy \& Phys. I
CORE Requirements

Spring Year 1
HE 201 Wellness 3
SC 244/245 Environ.Sci 4
Core Requirements 9

Spring Year 2
SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. II 4
SC 212/213 Micro/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
CORE Requirements 6

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN : NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Natural Resource Management is a broad field where professionals work to preserve, conserve and manage natural resources. Careers may be in fish \& wildlife, forestry, range management, agriculture, national parks, or many other areas. Environmental science careers focus on environmental protection and rehabilitation from harmful human impacts, such as overgrazing, mining and pollution. Careers may be in environmental science, land or water resources, reclamation, or many other areas.

## Program of Study

SC 102 Ecology+Lab
SC. 112 Biodiversity 4

One of the following:
SC 122 Intro to Biochemistry 4
SC 132 Adv.Gen Chem II 4
SC 244 Environmental Science+Lab 4
MA 216 Elementary Statistics 3
Additional credits (as listed here)
Natural Resource majors take two
SC 203 Rangeland Resources/Lab4
SC 202 Identification Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
7-8
Environmental Science majors take two
SC 104 Geology + Lab 4
SC 202 Identification of Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
Total Credits: 26-27
Also recommended: IS104/105 Intro to Computers, BU220 Economic Way of Thinking 35 core Requirements +26-27 Program of Study = 61-62

TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIR. SCIENCE * Denotes Core classes that MUST be taken for this major.

Students pursuing natural resources careers usually take the SC121 chemistry sequence; those interested in environmental science careers take the SC131 chemistry sequence. Freshmen should complete writing and information systems requirements in year one.

## Fall Year 1

*SC 110 Principles of Biology + Lab
Core requirements

Fall Year 2
*SC121 or SC131
SC 102 Ecology
Science elective
Core requirement

## Spring Year 1

4 SC 112 Biodiversity + Lab 4
12 *MA 165 Pre Calculus 4
Science elective 3-4
Core requirements 6
Spring Year 2
4 SC 244 Environmental Sci. 4
4 SC 122 or 132 Chemistry 4
3-4 MA 216 Statistics 3
3 Core requirement 3

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION

The General Science Option is designed for the student planning transfer to a four-year college in science. This option provides a solid background in a variety of science fields including pre-professional health careers and secondary science education. The student will be assigned an advisor from the science faculty depending on the student's area of interest.

## Program of Study

## *MA 181 Calculus I 4

MA 216 Elem Statistics 3
**SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem/Lab 4
SC 122/126 Intro to Biochemistry/Lab 4
Or
**SC 131/135 Adv. Gen. Chemistry/Lab I 4
SC 132/136 Adv. Gen Chemistry/Lab II 4
Choose four (4) of the following courses for 12-14 credits
SC 102/103 Ecology/Lab 4
SC 110/111 Principles of Biology/Lab 4
SC 112/113 Biodiversity/Lab 4
SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I 5
SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II 5
SC 213/213 Micro \& Disease/Lab 4
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab 4
*Fulfills group requirement for math
**Fulfills group requirement for science
35 CORE Credits $\mathbf{+}$ 23-25 Program of Study Credits $=\mathbf{5 8 - 6 0}$

## TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION

## Fall Year 1

SC Chemistry Sequence
MA 181 Calculus I
Core Requirements
Fall Year 2
SC Science Elective
SC Science Elective
Core Requirements

## Spring Year 1

$4 \quad$ SC Chemistry Sequence 4
4 MA 216 Elem. Statistics 3
9 Core Requirements
Spring Year 2
4 SC Science Elective 4
4 SC Science Elective 4
6 Core Requirements

## Hardin High School Suggested Plan Of Study

The following courses are suggested for a smooth transition from Hardin High School into the Little Big Horn College science curriculum. The classes that apply for all science options at LBHC are listed below. Other classes that will aid students are listed under each option's heading.

For all Associates of Arts in Science Options:

## Junior Year

English 11 or English 11H
Math Varies, see below
Chemistry

## Senior Year

English 12 or English 12AP
Math Varies, see below
Advanced Biology

## For Pre-Nursing Option:

Physics is suggested for students interested in a pre-physical therapy, pre-medicine, and pre-medicinal science. Students should follow the Algebra I through Calculus math sequence if interested in nursing or pre-physical therapy, and either IM1-2-4-6 or Advanced 2-4-6-calculus for pre-medicinal science or pre-medicine. Physical education/health education is also suggested for these students.

## For Community Health Option:

Global Studies and child development are suggested as well as physical education/health education. Math courses should follow the IM1-2-4-6 curriculum.

## For Natural Resources/Environmental Science Option:

Global studies is recommended for students interested in any degree related to this option. If time allows, suggest that students also take agriculture education . Math courses should follow the IM1-2-4-6 curriculum.

## For General Science Option:

Physics is strongly suggested as well as the criteria from above. Math courses should follow IM1-2-4-6 or Advanced 2-4-6-calculus curricula.

## Little Big Horn College Science Course Descriptions

## SC 050 Survival Chemistry

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Basic fundamentals of chemistry as it applies to biology. Recommended for students with no previous chemistry, or who would like a brief review of chemistry, and who are taking or will be taking SC111, SC112, SC113, SC 242 or SC244. Open to any student. There are fifteen class periods for the first four weeks of the quarter.

SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky
3 cr F/S*
A non-mathematical survey of the Universe, from our planet Earth, our neighboring planets and the sun, outward to the constellations, our galaxy and the Universe beyond.

Includes sun spots, comets, black holes, quasars and cosmology. Recent discoveries will be presented. Students will learn how to handle a telescope and one mandatory night laboratory is included.

## SC 102 Ecology

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2001)
Students will develop an understanding of how the natural world works by studying the relationships among plants, animals and other living things and between living things and their environments. The course will explore how species and evolve, and the composition, function and distribution of populations, communities and ecosystems. It is recommended that students without a high school chemistry background enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry prior to enrolling in SC 102.

SC 103 Ecology Lab 1 cr $\quad$ F (2001)
Ecology Lab accompanying SC 102 Ecology.
SC 104 Introduction to Geology 3 cr $\quad$ S
This course covers minerals, rocks, geologic time, heat, , volcanism, earthquakes, magnetism, gravity and mountain building processes as related to plate tectonics and land forms. Weathering, glaciers, rivers, oceans and beaches are introduced.

## SC 105 Introduction To Geology Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Laboratory to accompany SC 104. Includes field trips.
SC 110 Principles of Biology
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
This course addresses biological principles common to living things. The course content includes cell structure, function, metabolism and reproduction. Energy pathways, basic genetics, evolution, classification, diversity and ecology are included in the course. The lab is a required co-requisite. Student who do not have a chemistry background are strongly advised to enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry.

SC 111 Principles of Biology Lab
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Laboratory to accompany SC 110. Includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 110 Principles of Biology.

## SC 112 Biodiversity

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Biodiversity is an overview of the diversity of life, examining bacteria, protests, fungi, plants and animals, with an emphasis on animals and vascular plants. Classification, survival strategies, reproduction ecological importance and comparison of biological systems are a part of the course content. The lab is a required co-requisite.

SC 113 Biodiversity Lab $1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
The Biodiversity lab includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 112 Bildiversity.

SC 116 Physical World Around Us
3 cr F/S
This course is intended for education majors and non science majors. This course introduces students to the fundamentals of chemistry, physics, and earth science and their roles in our understanding of the world. This course explores the impacts of each on our society.

## SC 117 Physical World Lab

1 cr F/S*
Lab that corresponds with SC 116
SC 121 Introduction to General Chemistry $3 \mathbf{c r} \quad$ F (2000)
This is an introductory chemistry course designed for pre-nursing students and students lacking a strong background in chemistry. This course will cover general chemistry including: atomic structure, periodicity, chemical bonding, chemical reactions, acid-base systems, thermodynamics, and the behavior of gasses, liquids, solids, and solutions. This course will also cover selected topics in organic chemistry including: nomenclature, functional groups, organic synthesis, and the structure and role of organic molecules.

## SC 122 Introduction to Biochemistry <br> $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2001)

This course is the second half of the introductory chemistry for pre-nursing students and non-science majors. This course will cover functional groups of organic molecules and discuss their role in the synthesis of biomolecules. Other topics included are: the role of biological molecules such as carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, nucleic acids, and metabolic processes and cellular structure.

SC 125 Introduction to General Chemistry Lab 1 cr $\quad$ (2000)
Lab that corresponds with SC 121
SC 126 Biochemistry Lab
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 122
SC 131 Advanced General Chemistry I
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathbf{F}$ (2001)
This course introduces students to the fundamental concepts of chemistry. This includes atomic structure, stoiciometry, chemical bonding, and laws governing the relationships of elements and compounds.

SC 132 Advanced General Chemistry II
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2002)
This course is a continuation of SC 131. It covers solubility, equilibria, entropy, free energy, electrochemistry and inorganic descriptive chemistry.

SC 135 Advanced General Chemistry I Lab $\quad 1$ cr $\quad$ F (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 131

## SC 202 Seed Plants

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2002)
The course will introduce the student to tress, shrubs and herbaceous flowering plants in the local area. The student will collect and prepare plant specimens. Vocabulary, classification, nomenclature and the use of manuals (plant "keys") will be a part of the course material. Half of course time will be devoted to lab and field exercises.

## SC 203 Range Land Resources

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathbf{F}(2002)$
This course describes the world's range lands as related to their historic, present and potential use. The course will include Plains grasslands. Special attention will be given to how range land uses affect the nutrient, biological and hydrological cycles around the world and how the ecosystems respond to change. Concepts related to ecological conditions, land potential and ecological trends are introduced in the course material.

SC 204 Range Land Resources Lab $\quad 1 \mathbf{c r} \quad$ F (2002)
Lab accompanying SC 203 Range Land Resources

## SC 205 Soils

## $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

The Soils course acquaints the student with soil properties the components of ecosystems and landscapes. How knowledge of soils is applied to the management of agricultural, wildland and urban landscapes is a major part of the course work. The student will be made aware of the problems related to environmental science.

## SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I <br> $4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$

This course is the first in the A\&P sequence. SC 110, Principles of Biology is a prerequisite. In this course the student will examine cellular structure, the integumentary system, the muscular system, the skeletal system, and nervous system, and the endocrine system if time allows. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

## SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II

## $4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

This course is a continuation of SC 210 . In this course the student will examine the endocrine, blood and lymph, cardiovascular, respiratory, urinary, digestive and reproductive systems. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

## SC 212 Microbes \& Disease

## $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

The prerequisite for this course is SC 110 Principles of Biology, as knowledge of cells is essential to the study of microbes. The course begins with a general history of microbiology and microscopes. An overview of the anatomy and physiology of bacteria, viruses, protozoan, and fungi is part of the course content. The remainder of the course is devoted to studying organ/organ system diseases, and the type of microbes that cause
them. Also included are concepts of immunity, and general laboratory procedures. Upon completing the course, the student should have a general knowledge of disease causing antigens, and how these organisms are handled in a lab setting.

SC 213 Microbes \& Disease Lab<br>$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

Lab accompanying SC 212
SC 214 Nutrition
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2002)
This course covers the basic concepts of human nutrition as related to health and food consumption at the different stages of the life cycle. In addition, nutritional assessment and dietary modifications used in health and disease are also studied.
Prerequisites: SC110; SC 121 or 131
SC 244 Environmental Science

## $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

Environmental Science acquaints the student with the relationship between people and the environment and how human activities affect the earth's natural ecosystems. The course addresses environmental issues such as range and farmland practices, soil ecology, pests and pesticides and alternative methods of pest control, the water cycle and water pollution, air quality and air pollution, hazardous and solid waste management. The student will learn ways to reduce and prevent pollution, population management, protection of wild species, and how to sustain the earth's natural ecosystem upon which life depends.

## SC 245 Environmental Science Lab <br> Laboratory experience accompanying Environmental Science

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

## SC 276 Science Internship <br> OD

Provides student with the opportunity to apply theoretical knowledge in a work placement experience. Academic Advisor will assist student with work place placement and development of course objectives. Registration in this course is restricted.

## Social Science

## SS 101 Introduction to Sociology <br> $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

This course is a survey of Sociology and designed to cover the study of society, organizations, social interactions, socialization, institutions, deviance and social control stratification, ethnic and racial minorities, gender and the family, education, religion and other topics from a sociological perspective.

## Little Big Horn College Core Requirements

The following information is of general interest to the student. You should consult a four-year university catalog as well as contacting the STEM consultant to ensure that classes are chosen wisely when preparing your students for the adventure ahead. Listed on the next page are the core requirements; these should be chosen wisely to eliminate excess semesters when the students are ready to matriculate into Little Big Horn College.

## CORE REQUIREMENTS

All students must fulfill the CORE REQUIREMENTS as a foundation to their programs of study. In order to graduate from LBHC, students will need to complete $\mathbf{3 5}$ credits in the following categories. Advisors will assist the student with selection of Core Requirements. Courses may not be substituted for Core Requirements courses.

## Category I: Communication Arts

*9 Credits must be completed in this category
CA 101 Composition I
CA 102 Advanced Writing
CA 203 Research Writing
CA 112-Public Speaking
Category 2: Crow Studies
*6 Credits must be completed in this category CS 101 Crow Language I (Required)
CS 122 Crow Social Familial CS 211 Thought and Philosophy
Category 3: Science (must include one lab course)
*7 to 8 Credits must be completed in this category One Life Science:
SC 110 Principles of Biology/Lab
SC 112 Biodiversity/Lab
One Physical Science:
SC 121 Fundamentals of Gen Chemistry/Lab
SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky
SC 116 Physical World Around Us / Lab
Category 4: Mathematics

* 4 Credits must be completed in this category

MA 150 Finite Math
MA 165 Pre Calculus
Category 5: Information Systems
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
IS 101-103 Introduction to Computers

## Category 6: Humanities

*3 Credits must be completed in this category
CA 106 Intro to Literature
CS 108 Literature of the American Indian
HU 101 Survey of Humanities
3
Category 7: Social Sciences
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
PY 101 General Psychology 3
SS 101 Introduction to Sociology
AN 111 Cultural Anthropology
35 CREDITS

# Student STEM Worksheet For Hardin High School 

Pre-Nursing \& Medical Sciences

Pursuing a career in the medical field is a very admirable notion. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to become a nurse, a doctor, a veterinarian, an optometrist, a pharmacist, a dentist, a physical therapist, or pursue any other career in medicine it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Advanced Biology will supplement the information you picked up in Biology and reinforce the concepts learned there as well as introduce human anatomy and physiology. Many of the illnesses that you will treat require that you have a working knowledge of bacteria, viruses, and animals. The chemistry, which requires much effort and work, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with medicine. Just think of all the different medicines that we have! How those medicines affect an organism is based solely on their chemical properties. So why should there be so much math? Each one of the career choices from above requires careful observation, deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. After all, physics is nothing more than applied math. Each of these courses should give you an advantage as you start acquiring the skills necessary for pursuing one of these exciting careers. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

| Course Name | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fall | Spring | Fall | Spring |
| Advanced Biology | - | - | - | - |
| Algebra II* | - | - | - | - |
| Pre-calculus* | - | - | - | - |
| Calculus* | - | - | - | - |
| Biology | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - | - |
| Physics | - | - | - | - |
| Phys Ed/Health Ed | - | - | - | - |
| IM 4- | - | - | - | - |
| IM $6 \cdot$ | - | - | - |  |
| Adv IM $4^{\circ}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Adv IM $6^{\circ}$ |  | - | - |  |

*These courses are for pre-nursing or pre-physical therapy students.
${ }^{\circ}$ These courses are for pre-medicine or pre-medicinal science students.
-These courses can be substituted for pre-medicine or pre-medicinal science.

Student Stem Worksheet for Pre-Nursing and
Pre Medicinal Science Options
Pre-Nursing Option

| Subject | Freshman Year | Sophomore Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | Algebra 1 | Geometry | Algebra 2 | Precalculus/ <br> Calculus |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Advanced <br> Biology |
|  |  |  |  |  |

Pre-Medicinal Science Option

| Subject | Freshman Year | Sophomore Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | IM1 | IM2 | IM4 | IM6 |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Advanced <br> Biology |
| Electives |  |  |  | Physics |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Taking advanced and honors courses will greatly benefit you as you get ready to transfer into LBHC.

Notes:

## Student STEM Worksheet For Hardin High School

## Community Health

Pursuing a career in community health shows that you are concerned about the wellness of those in your community. With this type of degree you can teach those around you how to keep a healthy attitude, keep in shape, eat right, counsel, and rehabilitate. It is a very honorable career choice. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. In order to understand why some lifestyles are healthier than others it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Advanced Biology will supplement the information you picked up in Biology, reinforce the concepts learned there, and introduce human anatomy and physiology. The chemistry, which requires much effort and work, is very important. Chemistry will help you understand how a bad water supply, unclean air, a high fat diet, and numerous other circumstances can affect your community. These science courses will show how many of the illnesses that arise from a poor diet, an injury, unclean working conditions, or unplanned events can be prevented or treated by improving the quality of life and the resources that we use. So why should there be so much math? Each one of the career choices from above requires careful observation, deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. Child development and physical education will supplement your knowledge base with information vital for community health. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

|  | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Course Name | Fall | Spring | Fall | Spring |
| IM 4 | - | - | - | - |
| IM 6 | - | - | - | - |
| Advanced Biology | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - | - |
| Child Development | - | - | - | - |
| Phys Ed/Health Ed | - | - | - | - |
| Global Studies | - | - | - |  |

## Community Health Option

| Subject | Freshman Year | Sophomore Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | IM 1 | IM 2 | IM 4 | IM 6 |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Advanced Biology |
| Electives |  |  | Health Ed | Phys Ed |
| Electives |  |  | Child <br> Development | Global Studies |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Taking advanced and honors courses will greatly benefit you as you get ready to transfer into LBHC.

Notes:

## Student STEM Worksheet For Hardin High School

## Natural Resources and Environmental Science

If you care about depleting or ruining the food and fuel we need, you may be interested in pursuing a career in Natural Resources and Environmental Science. Related fields include fish and wildlife management, environmental and health sciences, forestry, and resource conservation. In any of these careers you will be a scientist who checks and experiments on our natural resources. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to pursue any of these careers it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Advanced Biology will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there. The chemistry, which requires much effort and work, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with managing our resources. The pH of soil and water are great indicators of how healthy streams, forests, and fields are. Chemistry also plays a role in recycling, burning of fossil fuels, and mining of minerals. So why should there be so much math? Because every one of these careers will make you a scientist. Scientists require the ability to perform careful observation, utilize deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. You can think of managing resources as a math problem based on supply and demand. The importance is that the math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. The agriculture education classes are intended to give you a real working knowledge of how natural resources are used. This applies to raising cattle on grass or erosion of topsoil in a wheat field. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

Course Name
IM 4
IM 6
Advanced Biology
Chemistry
Ag Ed 1,2,3

Junior Year Senior Year
Fall Spring Fall Spring
-
二 $=$
二 $=$

## Natural Resources/Environmental Science Option

| Subject | Freshman Year | Sophomore Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | IM 1 | IM 2 | IM 4 | IM 6 |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Advance <br> Biology |
| Electives | Ag Ed 1 | Ag Ed 2 | Ag Ed 3 | Global Studies |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Taking advanced and honors courses will greatly benefit you as you get ready to transfer into LBHC.

Notes:

## Student STEM Worksheet For Hardin High School

## General Sciences

Those with a sharp analytical mind tend to lean towards the general sciences. You can be a biologist, a chemist, a geohydrologist, a geologist, or a microbiologist. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to pursue any career in science it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Advanced Biology will supplement the information you picked up in Biology and introduce human anatomy and physiology. The chemistry, which requires much effort and work, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with every science. So why should there be so much math? Biology is derived from chemistry and chemistry is derived from physics. Physics is applied math, therefore the math is essential. As a scientist you will be required to utilize and develop the skills of careful observation, deduction, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. The math will also help you understand the study of physics. Each of these courses will aid you as you begin to acquire the skills necessary for pursuing one of these careers. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

|  | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Course Name | Fall | Spring | Fall |  |
| IM 4 | - | - | - |  |
| IM 6 | - | - | - |  |
| Adv IM 4* | - | - | - |  |
| Adv IM 6* | - | - | - |  |
| Advanced Biology | - | - | - |  |
| Chemistry | - | - | - |  |
| Physics | - | - | - |  |

[^0]General Science Option

| Subject | Freshman Year | Sophomore Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | IM 1 | IM2 | IM4 | IM6 |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Advance <br> Biology |
| Electives |  |  |  | Physics |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Taking advanced and honors courses will greatly benefit you as you get ready to transfer into LBHC.

Notes:

## Programs of Study Technology Packet <br> Little Big Horn College

## Associate of Arts in Computer Science

## PROGRAM OF STUDY

IS 104 Spreadsheet ..... 1
IS 105 Database ..... 1
IS 220 Database Management ..... 3
IS 221 Numerical Analysis/Spreadsheets ..... 3
IS 250 Structured Business Programming ..... 3
IS 211 HTML and Web Page Design ..... 3
BU 221 Principles of Accounting I ..... 3
CP 254 Programming I ..... 3
CP 255 Programming II ..... 3
CP 256 Advanced Programming - Java, Oracle ..... 3
CP 257 Visual Basic Programming ..... 3
MA181 Calculus I ..... 4
IS Course Option: ..... 3

TOTAL CREDITS 33
IS 210 Desktop Publishing, IS 241 Computer Network Fundamentals
IS 240 Tech Troubleshooting, IS 260 Geographic Information Systems

## CORE REOUIREMENTS

Communications - ( 9 credits must be completed)
CA 101 Composition I 3
CA 102 Advanced Writing 3
CA 203 Research Writing . 3
CA 112 Public Speaking 3
Crow Studies - ( 6 credits must be completed)
CS 101 Crow Language I (Required) 3
CS 122 Crow Social Familial 3
CS 211 Thought and Philosophy 3
Science - ( 7 to 8 credits must be completed - one Life science and one Physical science)
SC 110 Principles of Biology/Lab Life 3+1
SC 112 Biodiversity/Lab Life 3+1
SC 121 Fundamentals of Gen Chemistry/Lab Physical 3+1
SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky
Physical 3
SC 116 Physical World Around Us/Lab Physical 3+1
Math - (4 credits must be completed)
MA150 Finite Math 4
MA165 Pre Calculus 4
Information Systems
IS 101-103 Introduction to Computers 3
Humanities - ( 3 credits must be completed)
CA 106 Intro to Literature 3
CA 108 Literature of the American Indian 3
HU 101 Survey of Humanities 3

PY 101 General Psychology 3
SS 101 Introduction to Sociology 3
AN 111 Cultural Anthropology 3
TOTAL CREDITS 35

## TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY

| FALL - Year One |  |
| :--- | ---: |
| IS 104 Spreadsheet | 1 |
| IS 105 Database | 1 |
| Core Requirements | 15 |
|  | 17 |
|  |  |
| SPRING - Year One |  |
| IS 220 Database Programming | 3 |
| IS 250 Structured Bus. Program. | 3 |
| IS 221 Numerical Anal/Spreadsheet | 3 |
| CP 254 Programming I | 3 |
| Core Requirements | 4 |

FALL - Year Two
CP 255 Programming II 3
IS 211 HTML/Web Publish. 3
MA181 Calculus I 4
Core Requirements 10
SPRING - Year Two
CP 257 Visual Basic Program. 3
CP 256 Advanced Program. 3
IS 220 Database Programming 3
Core Requirements 6

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

## IS 104 - Spreadsheet

Introduces student to spreadsheet application software (Microsoft Excel or equivalent) and its use for solving numerical analysis problems and graphing.

## IS 105 - Database

Introduces students to relational database management systems using Microsoft Access or other PC based software. Also covers use of Presentation Management software for use in preparing view-graphs and other visual aids for presentation.

## IS 220 - Database Programming

Covers design and implementation of microcomputer databases using a relational database management system such as MS Access, Corel Paradox or Oracle. This course involves extensive hands-on use of the database software used and covers basic design of table structures, queries, reports, and forms, as well as data normalization concepts. Query design will include use of QBE (Query By Example) and SQL as well as introduction to macros.
Prerequisites: IS 101-105 (IS 104 and 105 may be taken concurrently)

## IS 221 - Numerical Analysis/Spreadsheets

An advanced spreadsheet course covering numerical analysis using microcomputer spreadsheets. This course examines and applies spreadsheets to various common business and scientific related numerical analysis problems. Specific problems will deal with time and value of money; annuities budgeting, use of specialized financial functions, use of scientific functions, use of specialized data analysis tools in statistics, Internet data input, graphing, and macros.

Prerequisites: IS 101-104 (IS 104 may be taken concurrently), MA 105.

## IS 250 - Structured Business Programming

An introductory course in the use of structured concepts/approaches for problem solving, programming and data presentation. Topics include the history of computer programming languages, program development procedures, logic and design tools to include flowcharts, structured flowcharts and pseudo code. Other areas of discussion are simple loops, counters and truth functional logic and decision tables. Students gain hands-on programming experience with a structured programming language such as Pascal, Visual Basic or C.
Prerequisites: IS 101-104 (IS 104 may be taken concurrently), MA 105 or consent of instructor.

## IS 211 - HTML and Web Page Design

Introduces student to web page design fundamentals using "top down" approach. Emphasis is on understanding and application of sound design rules, use of white space, graphics, site maps, two-way data entry/retrieval, and links. Hands-on portion of the course begins with editor and Hypertext Markup Language (HTML), progresses to web design using Page development tools such as Publisher, Netscape Composer, and Microsoft Front Page. Also covered are aspects of web page/site publication and management.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103

## BU 221 - Principles of Accounting I

An introduction to the principles of financial accounting for students of all business curricula. Specific topics include accounting concepts, recording transactions, worksheet and financial statement preparation, accounting systems, cash, receivables, inventory, long-term assets, liabilities, corporation, and analysis of financial statements.

## CP 254 - Programming I

Implementation of structured programming designs in procedural language such as Pascal, Turbo Pascal or other $3^{\text {rd }}$ generation high-level language. Emphasis on problem solving and algorithm development using the control structure abstractions of sequence, repetition, and selection. Other areas covered are structured program design, coding, debugging, testing and documentation as well as development of sound programming style.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103, CP 100

## CP 255 - Programming II

Implementation of programming designs in a procedural language such as C or other high level $3^{\text {rd }}$ generation language. Introduces advanced data types, abstract data types, queues, stacks, trees, sorting, data structure properties, problem solving and algorithm development in addition to use control structure abstractions of sequence, repetition, and selection.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103, CP 254

## CP 256 - Advanced Programming - Java, Oracle

Application of programming techniques with object oriented language such as $\mathrm{C}++$, Delphi, Java. Introduces classes and object manipulations in concert with standard control structures, data types, and elements used in procedural languages.
Prerequisites: (CP 254 may be taken concurrently with CP 256)

## CP 257 - Visual Basic Programming

Introduces student to the Visual Basic programming language for microcomputers. Covers basics of sound structured program design, object based programming, logic data structures including single and multi-dimensional arrays, user interface design in a Visual (Windows) environment, Visual Basic naming conventions, procedure and function implementation.
Prerequisites: IS 250 or CP 100 (may be taken concurrently), MA 105

## MA 181 - Calculus I

Topics in Calculus I include: functions, elementary transcendental functions, limits and continuity, differentiation, applications of the derivative, curve sketching, analytic geometry and integration.
Prerequisite: MA 165 or equivalent

## IS 210 - Desktop Publishing/Computer Graphics

This course is designed to give the student an in-depth understanding of Desktop Publishing concepts and the computer software package Microsoft Publisher for Windows 9x. The student will become familiar with desktop publishing and advertising concepts such as proper page layout, target advertising, proper use of white space, proper use of scanned images proper use of graphics and integration of other software package outputs with Publisher. The course objectives will be accomplished through a hands-on "learning by doing" approach. The student will complete real world assignments such as Business Letterheads, Business Cards, Travel Brochures, Newsletters and other challenging assignments.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103 (IS 103 may be taken concurrently)

## IS 241 - Computer Network Fundamentals

Covers topics on multi-user operating systems with emphasis on computer local area networks (LAN). Emphasis is placed on LAN architectures, network administration tools, communication protocols, elements of networks and network administration considerations.
Prerequisites: IS 101-104

## IS 240 - Tech Troubleshooting

## IS 260 - Geographic Information Systems

Introduction to PC based geographical information systems including aspects of mapping, GIS databases, coordinate systems, scaling, and resolution, 3D to 2D conversions, data collection, and information retrieval. Students gain hands-on experience with PC based GIS systems such as MapInfo, ScanUS, ArcView. This course will also cover application and use GIS concepts in business, cultural and scientific applications and is intended to fulfill one of the optional elective courses in IS.
Prerequisites: IS 101-105 (IS 104 and 105 may be taken concurrently), MA 105
Notes:

## HARDIN HIGH SCHOOL

GRADUATION REOUIREMENTS (20 Credits to Graduate)

| English | 4 credits |
| :--- | :--- |
| Mathematics | 3 credits |
| Science | 2 credits |
| Health \& P.E. | 2 credits |
| Social Science | 2 credits |
| Fine Arts | 1 credit |
| Vocational | 1 credit |
| Electives | 5 credits |

## Freshman:

| English I | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Math | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Earth Science | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| P.E./Health | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Intro to Vocations | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Sophomore: |  |  |  |  |
| English II | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Math | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Biology | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| P.E./Health | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Elective |  | $\checkmark$ | 1 |  |
| Junior: |  |  |  |  |
| English III | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Math | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| American History | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Electives |  | $\checkmark$ | 2 | Computer Literacy 1 Math |
| Senior: |  |  |  |  |
| English IV | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| American Government | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Electives |  | $\sqrt{ }$ | 3 | Computer Literacy 2 Advanced Computer Topics, Math, Chemistry or Advanced Biology |


| English I | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Math | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Earth Science | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| P.E./Health | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Intro to Vocations | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Sophomore: |  |  |  |  |
| English II | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Math | $\sqrt{ }$ |  | 1 |  |
| Biology | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| P.E./Health | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Elective |  | $\checkmark$ | 1 |  |
| Junior: |  |  |  |  |
| English III | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Math | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| American History | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Electives |  | $\checkmark$ | 2 | Computer Literacy 1 Math |
| Senior: |  |  |  |  |
| English IV | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| American Government | $\checkmark$ |  | 1 |  |
| Electives |  | $\sqrt{ }$ | 3 | Computer Literacy 2 Advanced Computer Topics, Math, Chemistry or Advanced Biology |

Sophomore:
English II
Math
Biology
P.E./Health

Elective


Junior:
English III
Math
American History
Electives

## Senior:

English IV
American Government
Electives

## PLAN OF STUDY

Recommended Elective Courses for Computer
Required Elective Credits Science at LBHC
4 credits
3 credits
2 credits
2 credits
2 credits
1 credit
5 credits

| JUNIOR YEAR: | Hardin High School |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | English III | Required | Recommended |
|  | Math | X |  |
|  | American History | X |  |
|  | Math | X | X |
|  | Computer Literacy 1 |  | X |


| SENIOR YEAR: | Hardin High School |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | English IV | Required | Recommended |
|  | American Government | X |  |
|  | Math | X | X |
|  | Computer Literacy 2 |  | X |
|  | Advanced Computer Topics |  | X |
|  | Chemistry or Advanced Biology |  |  |

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

## Recommended Elective Courses for Major Course of Study in Computer Science at Little Big Horn College

## Computer Literacy 1

This one semester course provides the student with an opportunity to explore computers and their uses by way of contemporary programs. The student will be expected to work with integrated programs and to learn the basics of computer graphics. The student will be expected to develop presentation-style projects with the use of multimedia applications, involving the blending of graphics, sound and text. Reading and thinking assignments are an integral part of the course.
Prerequisite: Have taken Keyboarding or Word Processing

## Computer Literacy 2

This one semester course provides further opportunities for the student to continue the exploration of computers and computer applications. Emphasis will be on introduction to desktop publishing, electronic publishing, and introduction to telecommunications. As time and resources allow students to work with e-mail, electronic file exchange, and research techniques on the Internet.
Prerequisite: Computer Literacy 1 or Instructor Approval

## Advanced Computer Topics

Students may register for this class for up to six semesters. The first school year that they enroll in the class they will concentrate on illustration and image editing applications using Adobe Illustrator and/or Adobe Photoshop. Computer peripherals such as the scanner and digital camera will be utilized. Some activities in telecommunications and web page design will be incorporated into the course content.
Prerequisite: Completed Computer 1, 2 and/or completed Alternative School Computer Module with at least a "C" grade.

Student who continue to take sections of Computer Topics will be given the opportunity to select from a variety of topics that may include programming languages, presentation software applications, multimedia and animation, and more advanced authoring for the Web.

## Advanced Biology

A course which concerns human anatomy and physiology. Course content will include the structures and functions of every major system in the human body, which include: Skeletal, Muscular, Nervous, Digestive, Respiratory, Cardiovascular, Urinary, Endocrine and Lymphatic. For safety, the instructor must be informed, either directly or indirectly, of any student that is pregnant or becomes pregnant so that alternative activities may be provided.
Prerequisites: Biology and instructor approval - chemistry recommended

## Chemistry

A course to give the students a working knowledge of basic chemistry and the ability to explain natural phenomenon of the universe around them. Basic for all students interested in a science related career. The instructor must be informed, either directly or indirectly, of any student that is pregnant or becomes pregnant so that alternative activities may be provided. It is recommended that students have a graphing calculator for this course.
Prerequisites: "C" in IM2 or Alg. 1 \& completed or currently enrolled in IM4 or Alg. 2 or instructor approval.

## Program of Study Engineering Packet

Little Big Horn College does not offer a pre-engineering program of study. If a student is interested in pursuing a career in engineering it is suggested that the student follow the general science worksheet on page 24 of this booklet, then transfer to Montana State University-Bozeman.

## Programs of Study Math Packet

Listed below are the individual programs of study offered at Little Big Horn College that have been cross-referenced to several four year degrees. If the student's math career of choice is not listed below, feel free to contact a consultant to discuss a proper plan of study.

| LBHC Program of Study | Four Year Degree | Offered At |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Associate of Arts | Mathematics | MSU-Bozeman |
| in Mathematics | Mathematics Education | MSU-Billings |
|  |  | Rocky |
|  |  | U of Montana |

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN MATHEMATICS

The Mathematics program of study is designed to prepare a student for entry-level studies in math, science, computer science, engineering and teaching mathematics at the secondary level. The courses are parallel to meet the needs of the student who will transfer to a four-year degree program.

## Program of Study

CP 254 Programming I 3
CP 255 Programming II 3
IS $104 \quad$ Spread Sheet 1
IS 105 Dbase 1
IS $250 \quad$ Structured Bus.Prog. 4
MA 181 Calculus I 4
MA 182 Calculus II 4
MA 213 Elementary Stats 3
SC 131/135 Adv. Gen. Chem I/Lab 4
SC 132/136 Adv. Gen. Chem II/Lab 4
Total Program Credits 30
35 CORE Requirements + 30 Program of Study $=65$
Fall Year 1 Spring Year 1


## Hardin High School Suggested Plan of Study

The following courses are suggested for a smooth transition from Hardin High School into the Little Big Horn College math curriculum. The classes that apply for the associate of arts degree in mathematics at LBHC are listed below. Other classes that are listed are required for graduation and/or are a part of the college preparation program at Hardin High School.

## For all Associates of Arts in Mathematics

| Freshman | Sophomore |
| :--- | :--- |
| English 9 or 9 H | English 10 or 10 H |
| Math $* *$ (see below) | Math** (see below) |
| Intro to Vocations | Health/P.E. |
| Health/P.E. | Biology |
| Earth Science | Global Studies |
|  |  |
| Junior | Senior |
| English 11or 11H | English 12 or 12AP |
| Math**(see below) | Math** (see below) |
| American History | American Government |

To fulfill a college preparatory curriculum, the student should take two years of electives selected from the following:
-Foreign Language
-Computer Science
-Visual and Performing Arts
-Vocational Education units which meet the Office of Public Instruction guidelines.
**Any one of the following math tracks will prepare a student for the transition into the math curriculum at LBHC.

1. Algebra I $\rightarrow$ Algebra II $\rightarrow$ Pre-calculus $\rightarrow$ Calculus
2. Geometry $\rightarrow$ Algebra II $\rightarrow$ Pre-calculus $\rightarrow$ Calculus
3. Adv.IM $2 \rightarrow$ Adv. IM $4 \rightarrow$ IM $6 \rightarrow$ Calculus
**For a math major, Calculus should be the ultimate goal in high school. At minimum, the student shall take four (4) years of math reaching the level of Pre-calculus or IM6 in his/her high school math studies for a serious pursuit of a degree in Math.

## Suggested Electives:

Physics is suggested for students interested in any general science or engineering science related career.
Chemistry is recommended for any student entering into a biological or chemical engineering field.
Computer Literacy I \& II are recommended for any student interested in a programming related field.

## Little Big Horn College Math Course Descriptions

## MATH 061 Basic Mathematics 3 credits FS

This class covers the basic mathematical concepts of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of fractions. Decimals, percents, proportions, conversions and rounding will be covered. This course is designed to prepare students for business math and elementary algebra.
Prerequisite: Math placement test, scores less than 10 correct on the ASSEST test. Non-transferable.

## MATH $071 \quad$ Pre-Algebra 4 credits FS

This course is designed to teach students the fundamental mathematical concepts needed to be successful in college level mathematics courses. Topics covered include: a review of basic operations of arithmetic, with emphasis of properties basic to algebra, integers, and rational expressions - multiplying, dividing, adding, subtracting and factoring. Also covered are exponents, and linear equations, inequalities and graphing, polynomials and rational expressions will also be covered.
Prerequisite: MATH 061 or math placement test, scores between 11 and 17 on the ASSEST test.
Non-transferable.

## MATH 081 <br> Algebra <br> 4 credits <br> FS

This class covers the topics of graphs of linear equations and inequalities, systems of linear equations, and square roots, properties of real numbers; linear equations and inequalities in one variable, graphing linear equations and inequalities, systems of linear
equations and inequalities in two or three variables; exponents, roots and radicals; polynomials and algebraic functions; quadratic equations and inequalities in one variable and graphing quadratic equations and inequalities.
Prerequisite: MATH 071 or math placement test, scores between 18 and 25 on the ASSEST test.
Non-transferable.

## MATH 105 Algebra for College Students 4 credits FS

This class covers the topics of functions and their graphs, including polynomial and rational functions, radical functions, exponential and logarithmic functions. Absolute value equations and inequalities, compound inequalities; complex numbers; systems of second degree equations and inequalities; conic sections, matrices and determinants. Mathematical induction and the Binomial Theorem are included.
Prerequisite: MATH 081 or math placement test, score of 26 or more on the ASSEST test.
Transferable.

## MATH $150 \quad$ Finite Math 4 credits FS

Finite Math is a course that covers topics with applications to the natural science, social sciences, and liberal arts. The topics covered in this class include: basic math skills and cultural implications of topics in mathematics, including number systems, geometric, algebraic, financial and trigonometric models; measurement; probability and descriptive statistics; and calculus. This course introduces students to areas of interest in applied and pure mathematics. Intended for students wishing to satisfy the general education mathematics requirement.
Prerequisite: MATH 105 or math placement test, score of 26 or more on the ASSEST test.
Transferable.

## MATH $165 \quad$ Pre-Calculus 4 credits FS

The topics covered in this class include functions, graphs, and the use of symbols for expressing mathematical thoughts, polynomials, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric functions. Required only of students who want to take MATH 181 and whose placement test shows a need for further study of this material.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 105 or equivalent.
Transferable.
MATH $181 \quad$ Calculus I 4 credits F(alternate years, 2001)
Topics in Calculus I include: functions, elementary transcendental functions, limits and continuity, differentiation, applications of the derivative, curve sketching, analytic geometry and integration.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 165 or equivalent.
Transferable.
MATH $182 \quad$ Calculus II 4 credits S(alternate years, 2002)

This class includes: methods of integration, applications of the integral, first order differential equations, Taylor polynomial and series.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 181.
Transferable.
MATH 216 Elementary Statistics 3 credits S
Conventional notation and equations are used to explain traditional and robust estimates of location; and variability, fundamentals of probability theory, confidence intervals and test of hypothesis for normal distributions.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 105.
Transferable.

# Student STEM Worksheet for Hardin High School 

## Mathematics

The following worksheet is to help you plan your high school studies to ensure the best possible transition to the college level of studies to pursue a career in mathematics. Math degrees can allow for careers in fields such as science, physics, statistics, education, and engineering. First of all, following the given plan of study for Hardin High School will allow the best advantage for entering into college. This will provide a solid background for pursuing your college degree. Suggested electives to be taken include physics, chemistry, and computer literacy. Physics is a course that allows you to study the applied mathematics involved in the world around us. Chemistry is a science class involving a large magnitude of mathematics to understand chemical, physical, and biological changes in our world. Computers are involved with many careers today. Gaining as much knowledge about them is a tremendous advantage to you. Computers are used in a variety of ways including: analyzing data, gaining statistics, preparing reports and communicating with other colleagues. Programming is another career that uses a large amount of math. Each of the courses listed in the program of study will be beneficial and will give you an advantage when pursuing your college degree.

The following checklist is in accordance with the plan of study given previously. Place a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you should to take before or during your junior and senior years.

Course
English 11 or 11 H
English 12 or 12AP
\{Algebra II
\{Pre-Calculus
\{Calculus
Or
\{IM4 or Adv. IM4
\{IM6
\{Calculus
Chemistry
Physics
Global Studies
American History
American Government
Computer Literacy 1
Computer Literacy 2

Successful Completion


# STEM Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math Packet 2000-2001 <br> <br> CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT <br> <br> CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT <br> Funded by the American Indian Science and Technology Education Consortium <br> Prepared for Lodge Grass High School 

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# STEM Science and Engineering Packet 2000-2001 

## CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT <br> Funded by the American Indian Science and Technology Education Consortium

## Purpose

The purpose of the Crow Indian STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Project is to aid students in preparing for a career in science, technology, engineering, or math. This system utilizes "two plus two plus two" agreements between Crow Reservation high schools, Little Big Horn College, and the four-year universities in Montana. These agreements have been designed to help prepare high school students for college through careful selection of coursework for science and technology based careers.

Consultants from Little Big Horn College have examined course descriptions and objectives offered by your high school and have derived suggested plans of study for students interested in science, technology, engineering, or math to be taken during the students' junior and senior years (the first "two"). The goal is to help students make the transition from high school to Little Big Horn College in the disciplines of math and science; that is to bring down the boundaries between high school and college level math and science.

The next portion of the agreement (the second "two") is between the faculty of Little Big Horn College and the students. Upon matriculation into LBHC, the students will follow a suggested plan of study developed as appropriate, relevant, and transferable to a four-year institution that offers a career based four-year degree. This gives the students' the advantage of attending a college within their community while preparing them for transfer to a four-year institution.

The final "two" in this agreement is between Little Big Horn College and the Montana University System. After leaving Little Big Horn College with an associates degree, your students will spend two years at a four-year university completing their degree. The consultants from LBHC have ensured that all suggested courses are transferable from LBHC to the Montana University System.

As an example, suppose a student tells his or her high school instructor or counselor that he or she has an interest in medicine. The instructor or counselor will consult the STEM packet designed for that high school, and note that a suggested plan of study includes: mathematics through trigonometry and pre-calculus, two years of biology, one year of chemistry, one year of physics, advanced composition, and information systems. The student can then choose those courses during registration. If the student has taken the suggested courses during junior and senior years, he or she should have a smoother transition into LBHC and a greater chance of succeeding the community health curriculum. The following two years at LBHC will be spent studying chemistry, biology, calculus, research writing, physics, and anatomy and physiology. This time will be used to hone the student's academic skills and prepare the student for transfer to MSUBillings, MSU-Bozeman, Rocky Mountain College, or the University of Montana. Once the student has transferred from LBHC to one of these institutions, he or she will finish their four-year degree during the final two years of STEM and apply to medical school during their junior year of college.

In summary, the STEM project has been designed with a "two plus two plus two" agreement. The first two years were designed to prepare students for college. The second two years are spent at LBHC earning credit towards a four-year degree. The final two years are spent at one of the four-year universities in Montana.

## Purpose of STEM

1. To help students prepare for college as soon as their junior year of high school.
2. To create a seamless transition from high school math and science to college level math and science.
3. To develop a career based plan of study to guide students from high school through completion of bachelor's degrees.
4. To train Crow students in science, technology, and math based careers, giving the students ownership of that knowledge, leading to increased opportunity on and off the Crow Indian Reservation.

## Why STEM is Necessary

1. Technology, engineering, and science are all math based.
2. $40 \%$ of all career opportunities are math or science based.
3. Students spend an average of 3.7 years at Little Big Horn College pursuing a twoyear degree.
4. One quarter to one third of all courses at Little Big Horn College are taught on a developmental level.
5. We want to set students on their way towards a career so they do not waste their precious time and financial aid on excess years at LBHC.

## Why We Need Your Help

1. 65\% of all Crow high school students from Lodge Grass, Plenty Coups, St. Labre, and Hardin attend Little Big Horn College after high school.
2. College level courses are at least a year away from almost all LBHC entering freshmen.
3. Students choose their high school courses based on lack of information, ease, or to "float" to graduation.
4. We want to influence students into taking gateway courses that will open opportunity to our Crow students.

Working with you, we have developed a suggested plan of study that informs students which courses they should take in preparation for matriculation at Little Big Horn College with a specific career in mind. This plan of study consists of a packet that has been custom designed for your high school and specific career goals. The individual packets have been arranged according to Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math. This enables students to enter LBHC better prepared for a specific career or field. At LBHC we will prepare the students for a four-year university while teaching the freshman and sophomore curricula. The final phase is completion of a STEM based fouryear degree.

## Contacts

Below is a list of contacts at Little Big Horn College. Please feel free to call or email us regarding any questions.

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## Programs of Study

On the following pages are the individual programs of study for science offered at Little Big Horn College. Each section starts with a series of options that students may choose from at each Montana university. A course outline of the appropriate program of study is listed in the next section. This is followed by a suggested plan of study for preparing high school students for matriculation into LBHC.

## Which Program Do I Choose?

Listed below are the individual programs of study offered at Little Big Horn College that have been cross referenced to several four year degrees. If the student's science career of choice is not listed below, feel free to contact the consultant to discuss a proper plan of study.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
Pre-nursing option

| Four Year Degree | Offered At <br> MSU-Bozeman |
| :--- | :--- |
| Pre-Physical Therapy* | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky |
| Pre-Medicine and | MSU-Billings <br> Pre-Medical Science** |
| MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |  |
| Pharmacy* | U of Montana |
| Physical Therapy** | U of Montana |

*Denotes that the SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced Chemistry I \& II should be taken instead of SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro to Biochem.
${ }^{\circ}$ It is suggested that students interested in these classes also complete MA $181 \&$ MA 182 Calculus I \& II prior to matriculation into a four year college.

| LBHC Program of Study | Four Year Degree | Offered At |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Associate of Arts | Community Health* | MSU-Bozeman |
| Community Health |  |  |
|  | Dietetics* | MSU-Bozeman |
|  | Health Enhancement* <br> Teaching | MSU-Bozeman |
|  | Human Services | MSU-Billings |
|  | Rehabilitation and Related Services | MSU-Billings |

*Denotes SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro Biochem are required for degree

| LBHC Program of Study | Four Year Degree |  | Offered At |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Associate of Arts |  |  |  |
| Natural Resources/ <br> Environmental Science | Fish and Wildlife | MSU-Bozeman <br> U of Montana |  |
|  | Environmental* <br> Health/Science | MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |  |
|  | Microbiology* | Forestry | MSU-Bozeman |
|  | Resource Conservation | U of Montana |  |

*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
General Science

| Four Year Degree | Offered At <br> Biology*० <br> MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| :--- | :--- |
| Chemistry** | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| Geohydrology** | MSU-Bozeman |

LBHC Program of Study
Associate of Arts
General Science

Four Year Degree Offered At
Geology** Rocky
U of Montana
*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.
${ }^{\circ}$ Denotes that MA 182 Calculus II is required for these degrees.

## Little Big Horn College Programs Of Study

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: PRE-NURSING OPTION

This program of study is for those students who are pursuing a degree as a Registered Nurse and wish to earn an Associate of Arts Degree prior to receiving a two-year or fouryear degree at another institution. Fulfilling LBHC requirements will allow a student to acquire many of the courses offered in two-year RN programs, or prepare for transfer to a four-year institution at the junior level.

To earn a degree in Science: Pre Nursing Option, a student must complete the core Requirements as well as the courses listed below:

## Program of Study

| PY 201 | Lifespan Development | 3 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| SC 212/213 | Microbiology and Disease/Lab | 4 |
| SC 210 | Anatomy and Physiology/Lab | 4 |
| SC 211 | Anatomy and physiology/Lab | 4 |
| SC 214 | Nutrition | 3 |
| SC 122/126 | Intro to Biochemistry/Lab | 4 |
| SS 101 | Sociology | 3 |
|  | Total Program Credits | $\mathbf{2 5}$ |

35 Credits CORE + Program of Study $25=60$ Credits
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: PRE-NURSING OPTION

Fall Year 1
SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem 4
SC $110 \quad$ Principles of Bio/Lab 4
CORE Requirements 9
Fall Year 2
SC 210Anatomy \& Phys. 4
CORE Requirements 9

## Spring Year 1

SC 122/126 Intro to BioChem/Lab 4
PY 201 Lifespan Develop 3
CORE Requirements 9
Spring Year 2
SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. 4
SC 212/213 Micro \& Disease 4
SS 101 Sociology 3

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN SCIENCE: COMMUNITY HEALTH

This program of study is concerned with improving health and well-being for the promotion of healthful lifestyles, community actions for health, and conditions that make it possible to live healthy lives. Students can transfer to a four-year institution to complete this degree that will prepare them for entry level employment related to community health.

Program of Study
HE 201 Wellness 3
HS 111 Chemical Dependency 3
SC 210 Anatomy and Physiology I 4
SC 211 Anatomy and Physiology II 4
SC 212/213 Microbiology \& Disease/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab 4
Total Program Credits 25
35 Credits CORE + 25 Program of Study $=60$ credits
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: COMMUNITY HEALTH

Fall Year 1
HS 111Chemical Dependency
Core Requirements

Spring Year 1

HE 201 Wellness
3
SC 244/245 Environ.Sci
SC 244/245 Environ.Sci ..... 4 ..... 4
11 SC 244/245 Enviro
11 SC 244/245 Enviro ..... 9 ..... 9
Fall Year 2 Spring Year 2

SC 210 Anatomy \& Phys. I CORE Requirements

SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. II 4
SC 212/213 Micro/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
CORE Requirements 6

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN : NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Natural Resource Management is a broad field where professionals work to preserve, conserve and manage natural resources. Careers may be in fish \& wildlife, forestry, range management, agriculture, national parks, or many other areas. Environmental science careers focus on environmental protection and rehabilitation from harmful human impacts, such as overgrazing, mining and pollution. Careers may be in environmental science, land or water resources, reclamation, or many other areas.

## Program of Study

SC 102 Ecology+Lab
SC 112 Biodiversity

## 4

One of the following:
SC 122 Intro to Biochemistry 4
SC 132 Adv.Gen Chem II 4
SC 244 Environmental Science+Lab 4
MA 216 Elementary Statistics 3
Additional credits (as listed here) 7-8
Natural Resource majors take two
SC 203 Rangeland Resources/Lab4
SC 202 Identification Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
Environmental Science majors take two
SC 104 Geology + Lab 4
SC 202 Identification of Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
Total Credits: 26-27
Also recommended: IS104/105 Intro to Computers, BU220 Economic Way of Thinking 35 core Requirements + 26-27 Program of Study $=\mathbf{6 1 - 6 2}$

## TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIR. SCIENCE

* Denotes Core classes that MUST be taken for this major.

Students pursuing natural resources careers usually take the SC121 chemistry sequence; those interested in environmental science careers take the SC131 chemistry sequence. Freshmen should complete writing and information systems requirements in year one.

## Fall Year 1

*SC 110 Principles of Biology + Lab
Core requirements

Fall Year 2
*SC121 or SC131
SC 102 Ecology
Science elective
Core requirement

## Spring Year 1

4 SC 112 Biodiversity + Lab 4
12 *MA 165 Pre Calculus 4
Science elective 3-4
Core requirements 6
Spring Year 2
SC 244 Environmental Sci. 4
SC 122 or 132 Chemistry 4
MA 216 Statistics 3
Core requirement 3

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION

The General Science Option is designed for the student planning transfer to a four-year college in science. This option provides a solid background in a variety of science fields including pre-professional health careers and secondary science education. The student will be assigned an advisor from the science faculty depending on the student's area of interest.

## Program of Study

*MA $181 \quad$ Calculus I 4
MA 216 Elem Statistics 3
**SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem/Lab 4
SC 122/126 Intro to Biochemistry/Lab 4
Or
**SC 131/135 Adv. Gen. Chemistry/Lab I 4
SC 132/136 Adv. Gen Chemistry/Lab II 4
Choose four (4) of the following courses for 12-14 credits
SC 102/103 Ecology/Lab 4
SC 110/111 Principles of Biology/Lab 4
SC 112/113 Biodiversity/Lab 4
SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I 5
SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II 5
SC 213/213 Micro \& Disease/Lab 4
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab 4
*Fulfills group requirement for math
**Fulfills group requirement for science
35 CORE Credits $\mathbf{+ 2 3 - 2 5}$ Program of Study Credits $=\mathbf{5 8 - 6 0}$
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION

## Fall Year 1

SC Chemistry Sequence
MA 181 Calculus I
Core Requirements
Fall Year 2
SC Science Elective
SC Science Elective
Core Requirements

## Spring Year 1

SC Chemistry Sequence 4
MA 216 Elem. Statistics 3
Core Requirements 9
Spring Year 2
4 SC Science Elective 4
4 SC Science Elective 4
6 Core Requirements 3

## Lodge Grass High School Suggested Plan Of Study

The following courses are suggested for a smooth transition from Lodge Grass High School into the Little Big Horn College science curriculum. These are not requirements; these are suggestions.

For all Associates of Arts in Science Options:

## Junior Year

English III
Algebra II, Algebra III ${ }^{\circ}$
Chemistry

## Senior Year

English IV
Pre-calculus/Trigonometry* Advance Biology Physics
*Denotes that the student should try to achieve this level in math by the appropriate year. ${ }^{\circ}$ Denotes that the student should achieve this level by senior year.

## For Pre-Nursing Option:

Physics is suggested for students interested in a pre-physical therapy, pre-medicine, and pre-medicinal science. Physical education/weight training and aerobics are also suggested for these students.

## For Community Health Option:

Child development is suggested as well as physical education.

## For Natural Resources/Environmental Science Option:

Biology II is very strongly recommended for students interested in any degree related to this option. If time allows, suggest that students also take vocational agriculture I, II, and III.

## For General Science Option:

Physics is strongly suggested as well as the criteria from above.

## Little Big Horn College Science Course Descriptions

SC 050 Survival Chemistry
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Basic fundamentals of chemistry as it applies to biology. Recommended for students with no previous chemistry, or who would like a brief review of chemistry, and who are taking or will be taking SC111, SC112, SC113, SC 242 or SC244. Open to any student. There are fifteen class periods for the first four weeks of the quarter.

## SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky

3 cr F/S*
A non-mathematical survey of the Universe, from our planet Earth, our neighboring planets and the sun, outward to the constellations, our galaxy and the Universe beyond. Includes sun spots, comets, black holes, quasars and cosmology. Recent discoveries will
be presented. Students will learn how to handle a telescope and one mandatory night laboratory is included.

SC 102 Ecology
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2001)
Students will develop an understanding of how the natural world works by studying the relationships among plants, animals and other living things and between living things and their environments. The course will explore how species and evolve, and the composition, function and distribution of populations, communities and ecosystems. It is recommended that students without a high school chemistry background enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry prior to enrolling in SC 102.

SC 103 Ecology Lab $\quad 1$ cr $\quad$ (2001)
Ecology Lab accompanying SC 102 Ecology.
SC 104 Introduction to Geology $3 \mathbf{c r} \quad \mathbf{S}$
This course covers minerals, rocks, geologic time, heat, , volcanism, earthquakes, magnetism, gravity and mountain building processes as related to plate tectonics and land forms. Weathering, glaciers, rivers, oceans and beaches are introduced.

## SC 105 Introduction To Geology Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Laboratory to accompany SC 104. Includes field trips.

## SC 110 Principles of Biology

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
This course addresses biological principles common to living things. The course content includes cell structure, function, metabolism and reproduction. Energy pathways, basic genetics, evolution, classification, diversity and ecology are included in the course. The lab is a required co-requisite. Student who do not have a chemistry background are strongly advised to enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry.

SC 111 Principles of Biology Lab
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Laboratory to accompany SC 110. Includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 110 Principles of Biology.

## SC 112 Biodiversity

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Biodiversity is an overview of the diversity of life, examining bacteria, protests, fungi, plants and animals, with an emphasis on animals and vascular plants. Classification, survival strategies, reproduction ecological importance and comparison of biological systems are a part of the course content. The lab is a required co-requisite.

## SC 113 Biodiversity Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
The Biodiversity lab includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 112 Bildiversity.

This course is intended for education majors and non science majors. This course introduces students to the fundamentals of chemistry, physics, and earth science and their roles in our understanding of the world. This course explores the impacts of each on our society.

## SC 117 Physical World Lab <br> 1 cr F/S*

Lab that corresponds with SC 116
SC 121 Introduction to General Chemistry
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2000)
This is an introductory chemistry course designed for pre-nursing students and students lacking a strong background in chemistry. This course will cover general chemistry including: atomic structure, periodicity, chemical bonding, chemical reactions, acid-base systems, thermodynamics, and the behavior of gasses, liquids, solids, and solutions. This course will also cover selected topics in organic chemistry including: nomenclature, functional groups, organic synthesis, and the structure and role of organic molecules.

## SC 122 Introduction to Biochemistry

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2001)
This course is the second half of the introductory chemistry for pre-nursing students and non-science majors. This course will cover functional groups of organic molecules and discuss their role in the synthesis of biomolecules. Other topics included are: the role of biological molecules such as carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, nucleic acids, and metabolic processes and cellular structure.

## SC 125 Introduction to General Chemistry Lab $\quad 1$ cr $\quad$ F (2000) <br> Lab that corresponds with SC 121

SC 126 Biochemistry Lab $\quad 1$ cr $\quad \mathbf{S}$ (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 122
SC 131 Advanced General Chemistry I
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2001)
This course introduces students to the fundamental concepts of chemistry. This includes atomic structure, stoiciometry, chemical bonding, and laws governing the relationships of elements and compounds.

SC 132 Advanced General Chemistry II
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathbf{S}$ (2002)
This course is a continuation of SC 131. It covers solubility, equilibria, entropy, free energy, electrochemistry and inorganic descriptive chemistry.

SC 135 Advanced General Chemistry I Lab $\quad 1 \mathbf{c r} \quad$ F (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 131
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2002)
The course will introduce the student to tress, shrubs and herbaceous flowering plants in the local area. The student will collect and prepare plant specimens. Vocabulary, classification, nomenclature and the use of manuals (plant "keys") will be a part of the course material. Half of course time will be devoted to lab and field exercises.

## SC 203 Range Land Resources

3 cr $\quad \mathbf{F}(2002)$
This course describes the world's range lands as related to their historic, present and potential use. The course will include Plains grasslands. Special attention will be given to how range land uses affect the nutrient, biological and hydrological cycles around the world and how the ecosystems respond to change. Concepts related to ecological conditions, land potential and ecological trends are introduced in the course material.

## SC 204 Range Land Resources Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2002)
Lab accompanying SC 203 Range Land Resources

## SC 205 Soils

## $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

The Soils course acquaints the student with soil properties the components of ecosystems and landscapes. How knowledge of soils is applied to the management of agricultural, wildland and urban landscapes is a major part of the course work. The student will be made aware of the problems related to environmental science.

## SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I

$4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
This course is the first in the A\&P sequence. SC 110, Principles of Biology is a prerequisite. In this course the student will examine cellular structure, the integumentary system, the muscular system, the skeletal system, and nervous system, and the endocrine system if time allows. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

## SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II

$4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
This course is a continuation of SC 210. In this course the student will examine the endocrine, blood and lymph, cardiovascular, respiratory, urinary, digestive and reproductive systems. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

SC 212 Microbes \& Disease
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
The prerequisite for this course is SC 110 Principles of Biology, as knowledge of cells is essential to the study of microbes. The course begins with a general history of microbiology and microscopes. An overview of the anatomy and physiology of bacteria, viruses, protozoan, and fungi is part of the course content. The remainder of the course is devoted to studying organ/organ system diseases, and the type of microbes that cause
them. Also included are concepts of immunity, and general laboratory procedures. Upon completing the course, the student should have a general knowledge of disease causing antigens, and how these organisms are handled in a lab setting.

## SC 213 Microbes \& Disease Lab <br> $1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

Lab accompanying SC 212
SC 214 Nutrition
3 cr $\quad S$ (2002)
This course covers the basic concepts of human nutrition as related to health and food consumption at the different stages of the life cycle. In addition, nutritional assessment and dietary modifications used in health and disease are also studied.
Prerequisites: SC110; SC 121 or 131

## SC 244 Environmental Science

## $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

Environmental Science acquaints the student with the relationship between people and the environment and how human activities affect the earth's natural ecosystems. The course addresses environmental issues such as range and farmland practices, soil ecology, pests and pesticides and alternative methods of pest control, the water cycle and water pollution, air quality and air pollution, hazardous and solid waste management. The student will learn ways to reduce and prevent pollution, population management, protection of wild species, and how to sustain the earth's natural ecosystem upon which life depends.

## SC 245 Environmental Science Lab <br> Laboratory experience accompanying Environmental Science

## SC 276 Science Internship

Provides student with the opportunity to apply theoretical knowledge in a work placement experience. Academic Advisor will assist student with work place placement and development of course objectives. Registration in this course is restricted.

## Social Science

## SS 101 Introduction to Sociology $\mathbf{3} \mathbf{c r}$ S

This course is a survey of Sociology and designed to cover the study of society, organizations, social interactions, socialization, institutions, deviance and social control stratification, ethnic and racial minorities, gender and the family, education, religion and other topics from a sociological perspective.

## Little Big Horn College Core Requirements

The following information is of general interest to the student. You should consult a four-year university catalog as well as contacting the STEM consultant to ensure that classes are chosen wisely when preparing your students for the adventure ahead. Listed on the next page are the core requirements; these should be chosen wisely to eliminate excess semesters when the students are ready to matriculate into Little Big Horn College.

## CORE REQUIREMENTS

All students must fulfill the CORE REQUIREMENTS as a foundation to their programs of study. In order to graduate from LBHC, students will need to complete 35 credits in the following categories. Advisors will assist the student with selection of Core Requirements. Courses may not be substituted for Core Requirements courses.

## Category I: Communication Arts

*9 Credits must be completed in this category
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { CA } 101 \text { Composition I } & 3 \\ \text { CA } 102 \text { Advanced Writing } & 3\end{array}$
CA 203 Research Writing
CA 112-Public Speaking
Category 2: Crow Studies
*6 Credits must be completed in this category
CS 101 Crow Language I (Required)
CS 122 Crow Social Familial
CS 211 Thought and Philosophy
Category 3: Science (must include one lab course)
*7 to 8 Credits must be completed in this category
One Life Science:
SC 110 Principles of Biology /Lab 3+1
SC 112 Biodiversity/Lab 3+1
One Physical Science:
SC 121 Fundamentals of Gen Chemistry/Lab
SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky
$3+1$
SC 116 Physical World Around Us / Lab
3
$3+1$
Category 4: Mathematics

* 4 Credits must be completed in this category

MA 150 Finite Math
MA 165 Pre Calculus
X X
4
X X
Category 5: Information Systems
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
IS 101-103 Introduction to Computers
3
X X
Category 6: Humanities
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
CA 106 Intro to Literature
CS 108 Literature of the American Indian
HU 101 Survey of Humanities
Category 7: Social Sciences
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
PY 101 General Psychology
SS 101 Introduction to Sociology
AN 111 Cultural Anthropology
TOTAL CORE REQUIREMENTS:
35 CREDITS

# Student STEM Worksheet For Lodge Grass High School 

## Pre-Nursing \& Medical Sciences

Pursuing a career in the medical field is a very admirable notion. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to become a nurse, a doctor, a veterinarian, an optometrist, a pharmacist, a dentist, a physical therapist, or pursue any other career in medicine it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Biology II will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there. Many of the illnesses that you will treat require that you have a working knowledge of bacteria, viruses, and animals. The chemistry, though sometimes difficult and tedious, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with medicine. Just think of all the different medicines that we have! How those medicines affect an organism is based solely on their chemical properties. So why should there be so much math? Each one of the career choices from above requires careful observation, deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. After all, physics is nothing more than applied math. Each of these courses should give you an advantage as you start acquiring the skills necessary for pursuing one of these exciting careers. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

| Course Name | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fall | Spring | Fall | Spring |
| English III |  | - |  | - |
| Algebra II | - | - |  |  |
| Algebra III |  | - |  |  |
| Pre-calculus/Trigonometry* | - | - | - | - |
| Biology II | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - |  |  |
| Physics |  |  |  |  |
| Phys Ed/Weights* |  | - |  |  |
| Phys Ed/Aerobics* |  |  |  |  |
| English IV | - | - | - | - |

*Try to get through these classes before graduation. They really will help you out when you start Little Big Horn College.

## Pre-Nursing and Pre-Medical Science Options

Pre-Nursing Option

| Subject | Freshman <br> Year | Sophomore <br> Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | English I | English II | English III | English IV |
| Math | Algebra I | Geometry | Algebra II | Precalculus <br> Trigonometry |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Biology II |
| Electives |  |  | Phys Ed | Phys Ed |

Pre-Medicinal Science Option

| Subject | Freshman <br> Year | Sophomore <br> Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | English I | English II | English III | English IV |
| Math | Algebra I | Geometry | Algebra II | Precalculus- <br> Trigonometry |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Biology II |
| Electives | Phys Ed | Phys Ed | Physics | Algebra III |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Notes:

# Student STEM Worksheet For Lodge Grass High School 

## Community Health

Pursuing a career in community health shows that you are concerned about the wellness of those in your community. With this type of degree you can teach those around you how to keep a healthy attitude, keep in shape, eat right, counsel, and rehabilitate. It is a very honorable career choice. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. In order to understand why some lifestyles are healthier than others it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Biology II will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there. Many of the illnesses that arise from a poor diet, an injury, unclean working conditions, or unplanned events can be prevented or treated by improving the quality of life and the resources that we use. The chemistry, though sometimes difficult and tedious, is very important. Chemistry will help you understand how a bad water supply, unclean air, a high fat diet, and numerous other circumstances can affect your community. So why should there be so much math? Each one of the career choices from above requires careful observation, deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. Child development and physical education will supplement your knowledge base with information vital for community health. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

|  | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Course Name | Fall | Spring | Fall |
| English III | - | - | - |
| Algebra II | - | - | - |
| Algebra III | - | - | - |
| Pre-calculus/Trigonometry* | - | - | - |
| Biology II | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - |
| Child development | - | - | - |
| Phys Ed/Weights* | - | - | - |
| Phys Ed/Aerobics* | - | - | - |
| English IV | - | - | - |

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## Community Health Option

| Subject | Freshman <br> Year | Sophomore <br> Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | English I | English II | English III | English IV |
| Math | Algebra I | Geometry | Algebra II | Precalculus- <br> Trigonometry |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Biology II |
| Electives | Phys Ed | Phys Ed | Child <br> Development | Algebra III |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.

Notes:

# Student STEM Worksheet For Lodge Grass High School 

## Natural Resources and Environmental Science

If you care about depleting or ruining the food and fuel we need, you may be interested in pursuing a career in Natural Resources and Environmental Science. Related fields include fish and wildlife management, environmental and health sciences, forestry, and resource conservation. In any of these careers you will be a scientist who checks and experiments on our natural resources. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to pursue any of these careers it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Biology II will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there as well as putting a strong emphasis on water quality and waste water management. The chemistry, though sometimes difficult and tedious, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with managing our resources. The pH of soil and water are great indicators of how healthy streams, forests, and fields are. Chemistry also plays a role in recycling, burning of fossil fuels, and mining of minerals. So why should there be so much math? Because every one of these careers will make you a scientist. Scientists require the ability to perform careful observation, utilize deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. You can think of managing resources as a math problem based on supply and demand. The importance is that the math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. The vocational agriculture classes are intended to give you a real working knowledge of how natural resources are used. This applies to raising cattle on grass or erosion of topsoil in a wheat field. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

| Course Name | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fall | Spring | Fall | Spring |
| English III | - | - | - | - |
| Algebra II |  | - |  |  |
| Algebra III |  |  |  |  |
| Pre-calculus/Trigonometry* | - | - | - | - |
| Biology II | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - | - |
| Voc/Ag I | - | - | - | - |
| English IV | - | - | - |  |
| Voc/Ag II* | - |  | - |  |
| Voc/Ag III* |  |  |  |  |
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Natural Resources/Environmental Science Option

| Subject | Freshman <br> Year | Sophomore <br> Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English. | English I | English II | English III | English IV |
| Math | Algebra I | Geometry | Algebra II | Precalculus- <br> Trigonometry |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemnistry | Biology | Biology II |
| Electives | Voc Ag I | Voc Ag II | Voc Ag III | Algebra III |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.

Notes:

# Student STEM Worksheet For Lodge Grass High School 

## General Sciences

Those with a sharp analytical mind tend to lean towards the general sciences. You can be a biologist, a chemist, a geohydrologist, a geologist, or a microbiologist. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to pursue any career in science it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Biology II will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there. The chemistry, though sometimes difficult and tedious, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with every science. So why should there be so much math? Biology is derived from chemistry and chemistry is derived from physics. Physics is applied math. As a scientist you will be required to utilize and develop the skills of careful observation, deduction, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. The math will also help you understand the study of physics. Each of these courses will aid you as you begin to acquire the skills necessary for pursuing one of these careers. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

|  | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Course Name | Fall | Spring | Fall |
| English III | - | - | - |
| Algebring II | - | - |  |
| Algebra III | - | - | - |
| Pre-calculus/Trigonometry* | - | - | - |
| Biology II | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - |
| Physics | - | - | - |
| English IV | - | - | - |

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## General Science Option

| Subject | Freshman <br> Year | Sophomore <br> Year | Junior Year | Senior Year |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| English | ENG 9 | ENG 10 | ENG 11 | ENG 12 |
| Math | IM 1 | IM 2 | IM 4 | IM 6 |
| Science | Earth Science | Chemistry | Biology | Biology II |
| Electives |  |  |  | Physics |

It is suggested that students achieve this minimal level in math and science.
Notes:

# Programs of Study Technology Packet <br> Little Big Horn College 

## Associate of Arts in Computer Science

## PROGRAM OF STUDY

IS 104 Spreadsheet ..... 1
IS 105 Database ..... 1
IS 220 Database Management ..... 3
IS 221 Numerical Analysis/Spreadsheets ..... 3
IS 250 Structured Business Programming ..... 3
IS 211 HTML and Web Page Design ..... 3
BU 221 Principles of Accounting I ..... 3
CP 254 Programming I ..... 3
CP 255 Programming II ..... 3
CP 256 Advanced Programming - Java, Oracle ..... 3
CP 257 Visual Basic Programming ..... 3
MA181 Calculus I ..... 4
IS Course Option: ..... 3
TOTAL CREDITS 33
IS 210 Desktop Publishing, IS 241 Computer Network FundamentalsIS 240 Tech Troubleshooting, IS 260 Geographic Information Systems
CORE REQUIREMENTS
Communications - ( 9 credits must be completed)
CA 101 Composition I ..... 3
CA 102 Advanced Writing ..... 3
CA 203 Research Writing ..... 3
CA 112 Public Speaking ..... 3
Crow Studies - ( 6 credits must be completed)
CS 101 Crow Language I (Required) ..... 3
CS 122 Crow Social Familial ..... 3
CS 211 Thought and Philosophy ..... 3
Science - ( 7 to 8 credits must be completed - one Life science and one Physical science)
SC 110 Principles of Biology/Lab Life ..... $3+1$
SC 112 Biodiversity/Lab ..... $3+1$
SC 121 Fundamentals of Gen Chemistry/Lab Physical ..... $3+1$
SC 101 Mysteries of the SkyPhysical 3
SC 116 Physical World Around Us/Lab ..... Physical 3+1
Math - (4 credits must be completed)
MA150 Finite Math ..... 4
MA165 Pre Calculus ..... 4
Information Systems
IS 101-103 Introduction to Computers ..... 3
Humanities - ( 3 credits must be completed)
CA 106 Intro to Literature ..... 3
CA 108 Literature of the American Indian ..... 3
HU 101 Survey of Humanities ..... 3

Social Science - ( $\mathbf{3}$ credits must be completed)
PY 101 General Psychology 3
SS 101 Introduction to Sociology 3
AN 111 Cultural Anthropology 3
TOTAL CREDITS 35

## TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY



## COURSE DESCRIPTION

## IS 104 - Spreadsheet

Introduces student to spreadsheet application software (Microsoft Excel or equivalent) and its use for solving numerical analysis problems and graphing.

## IS 105 - Database

Introduces students to relational database management systems using Microsoft Access or other PC based software. Also covers use of Presentation Management software for use in preparing view-graphs and other visual aids for presentation.

## IS 220 - Database Programming

Covers design and implementation of microcomputer databases using a relational database management system such as MS Access, Corel Paradox or Oracle. This course involves extensive hands-on use of the database software used and covers basic design of table structures, queries, reports, and forms, as well as data normalization concepts. Query design will include use of QBE (Query By Example) and SQL as well as introduction to macros.
Prerequisites: IS 101-105 (IS 104 and 105 may be taken concurrently)

## IS 221 - Numerical Analysis/Spreadsheets

An advanced spreadsheet course covering numerical analysis using microcomputer spreadsheets. This course examines and applies spreadsheets to various common business and scientific related numerical analysis problems. Specific problems will deal with time and value of money; annuities budgeting, use of specialized financial functions, use of scientific functions, use of specialized data analysis tools in statistics, Internet data input, graphing, and macros.

Prerequisites: IS 101-104 (IS 104 may be taken concurrently), MA 105.

## IS 250 - Structured Business Programming

An introductory course in the use of structured concepts/approaches for problem solving, programming and data presentation. Topics include the history of computer programming languages, program development procedures, logic and design tools to include flowcharts, structured flowcharts and pseudo code. Other areas of discussion are simple loops, counters and truth functional logic and decision tables. Students gain hands-on programming experience with a structured programming language such as Pascal, Visual Basic or C.
Prerequisites: IS 101-104 (IS 104 may be taken concurrently), MA 105 or consent of instructor.

## IS 211 - HTML and Web Page Design

Introduces student to web page design fundamentals using "top down" approach. Emphasis is on understanding and application of sound design rules, use of white space, graphics, site maps, two-way data entry/retrieval, and links. Hands-on portion of the course begins with editor and Hypertext Markup Language (HTML), progresses to web design using Page development tools such as Publisher, Netscape Composer, and Microsoft Front Page. Also covered are aspects of web page/site publication and management.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103

## BU 221 - Principles of Accounting I

An introduction to the principles of financial accounting for students of all business curricula. Specific topics include accounting concepts, recording transactions, worksheet and financial statement preparation, accounting systems, cash, receivables, inventory, long-term assets, liabilities, corporation, and analysis of financial statements.

## CP 254 - Programming I

Implementation of structured programming designs in procedural language such as Pascal, Turbo Pascal or other $3^{\text {rd }}$ generation high-level language. Emphasis on problem solving and algorithm development using the control structure abstractions of sequence, repetition, and selection. Other areas covered are structured program design, coding, debugging, testing and documentation as well as development of sound programming style.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103, CP 100

## CP 255 - Programming II

Implementation of programming designs in a procedural language such as C or other high level $3^{\text {rd }}$ generation language. Introduces advanced data types, abstract data types, queues, stacks, trees, sorting, data structure properties, problem solving and algorithm development in addition to use control structure abstractions of sequence, repetition, and selection. Prerequisites: IS 101-103, CP 254
CP 256 - Advanced Programming - Java, Oracle
Application of programming techniques with object oriented language such as C++, Delphi, Java. Introduces classes and object manipulations in concert with standard control structures, data types, and elements used in procedural languages.
Prerequisites: (CP 254 may be taken concurrently with CP 256)

## CP 257 - Visual Basic Programming

Introduces student to the Visual Basic programming language for microcomputers. Covers basics of sound structured program design, object based programming, logic data structures including single and multi-dimensional arrays, user interface design in a Visual (Windows) environment, Visual Basic naming conventions, procedure and function implementation.
Prerequisites: IS 250 or CP 100 (may be taken concurrently), MA 105

## MA 181 - Calculus I

Topics in Calculus I include: functions, elementary transcendental functions, limits and continuity, differentiation, applications of the derivative, curve sketching, analytic geometry and integration.
Prerequisite: MA 165 or equivalent

## IS 210 - Desktop Publishing/Computer Graphics

This course is designed to give the student an in-depth understanding of Desktop Publishing concepts and the computer software package Microsoft Publisher for Windows 9 x . The student will become familiar with desktop publishing and advertising concepts such as proper page layout, target advertising, proper use of white space, proper use of scanned images proper use of graphics and integration of other software package outputs with Publisher. The course objectives will be accomplished through a hands-on "learning by doing" approach. The student will complete real world assignments such as Business Letterheads, Business Cards, Travel Brochures, Newsletters and other challenging assignments.
Prerequisites: IS 101-103 (IS 103 may be taken concurrently)

## IS 241 - Computer Network Fundamentals

Covers topics on multi-user operating systems with emphasis on computer local area networks (LAN). Emphasis is placed on LAN architectures, network administration tools, communication protocols, elements of networks and network administration considerations.
Prerequisites: IS 101-104

## IS 240 - Tech Troubleshooting

## IS 260 - Geographic Information Systems

Introduction to PC based geographical information systems including aspects of mapping, GIS databases, coordinate systems, scaling, and resolution, 3D to 2D conversions, data collection, and information retrieval. Students gain hands-on experience with PC based GIS systems such as MapInfo, ScanUS, ArcView. This course will also cover application and use GIS concepts in business, cultural and scientific applications and is intended to fulfill one of the optional elective courses in IS.
Prerequisites: IS 101-105 (IS 104 and 105 may be taken concurrently), MA 105

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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (22 Credits to Graduate)

| English | 4 credits |
| :--- | :--- |
| Math | 3 credits |
| Science | 2 credits |
| Physical Education | 1 credit |
| Social Studies | 3 credits |
| Electives | 9 credits |

## PLAN OF STUDY

Required Elective Credits

Recommended Elective Courses for Computer Science at LBHC

Freshman:
English I
Earth Science
P.E./Health I

Algebra I
Keyboarding
Electives
Total Credits - Freshman Year
$\sqrt{ }$
Sophomore:
English II
Biology I
P.E./Health II

Algebra II
World History
Plan Geometry
Electives
Total Credits - Sophomore Year
$\sqrt{ }$
Junior:
English III
U.S. History

Algebra II
Plan Geometry
Trigonometry
Physics
Biology II
Chemistry
Electives
Total Credits - Junior Year 5
Senior:
English IV $\quad \downarrow$ 1
PAD $\sqrt{ } 1$
Electives
Total Credits - Senior Year
$\sqrt{ }$

TOTAL CREDITS 2222

| JUNIOR YEAR: | Lodge Grass High <br> School |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | English III | Required | Recommended |
|  | U.S. History | X |  |
|  | Advanced Word Processing | X | X |
|  | Computer Information Systems I |  | X |
|  | Algebra III |  | X |
|  | Chemistry |  | X |


| SENIOR YEAR: | Lodge Grass High <br> School |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
|  | English III | Required | Recommended |
|  | U.S. History | X |  |
|  | Computer Information Systems II | X | X |
|  | Pre-Calculus w/ Trigonometry |  | X |
|  | Biology |  | X |

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

## Recommended Elective Courses for Major Course of Study in Computer Science at Little Big Horn College

## Advanced Word Processing

This course teachers advanced word processing skills where the student learns to efficiently use features to produce high-quality business documents. Students will also learn the correct ways to use a mouse, menu bar, toolbars, property bar, commands dialog box options \& quick menus contained in a windows operating environment. Among the skills developed are those for using text enhancements, formatting \& editing documents, working with multiple-page documents, macros and templates, columns, tables, calculations and sort, mail merge, desktop publishing, graphics, file management and customizing toolbars, and integrating the word processing software with the Internet and web pages.

This course builds upon skills previously acquired in document processing in the first year in order to refine and prepare students for entry-level office positions. This software used in this course will be either WordPerfect Suite 8 or Microsoft Office Word 2000.

Students taking this course will become familiar with using processing software in a windows environment. Students will create, revise, and print complex business documents. They will demonstrate decision-making ad critical thinking skills in the selection of a combination of efficient features to handle a particular task. They will also use all advanced features to improve word processing efficiency and enhance file manipulation.
Prerequisite: One year of Document Processing - Grades 10-12)

## Computer Information Systems 2000 - Level 1

This course will contain an overview of computer concepts, computer, software applications using integrated software, input into the computer, output from the computer including a variety of output devices, scanner, multimedia, etc., secondary storage, security, ethics, and privacy of software, e-mail and Internet use. This course will provide students with an opportunity to create real applications using Microsoft Office 2000. Students will receive hands-on instruction with essential business machines and microcomputers. The student will learn the following software: Word 2000, Access 2000, Excel 2000, and PowerPoint 2000. Microsoft Office 2000 contains a suite of programs that may be used independently or together to create complex documents. Many jobs in today's workplace require knowledge of this best-selling software suite.
Prerequisite: One year of Document Processing

## Computer Information Systems 2000 - Level 2

This course will use Microsoft Office 2000 integrated software for more sophisticated handson projects and learning. More emphases will be placed on multimedia tools, as well as Internet usage and web page design.
Prerequisite: One year of Document Processing \& One year of Computer Information Systems 2000-Level 1)

## Pre-Calculus with Trigonometry

PRE-CALCULUS is a course specifically designed to prepare students for calculus and other courses in discrete mathematics. Graphing calculators will be used extensively to encourage students to build an intuitive understanding of the concepts.

# Algebra III <br> Algebra III is an expansion and extension of concepts and math skills introduced and developed in Algebra I and Algebra II. It is a necessary and prerequisite course to succeed in any higher subsequent. <br> Prerequisite: Algebra II 

## Biology II

Introduces concepts from Chemistry and Microbiology applicable to the study of the human body. Units on the following will be included: Anatomy and Physiology of each body system, disease, and the disease process.
Prerequisite: Biology I

## Chemistry

Students enrolling in Chemistry will be presented with an up-to-date approach to introductory Chemistry. Chemical concepts and principals are developed in a logical yet flexible order to make the study of Chemistry interesting and challenging for students. Many features have been included to strengthen the presentation with intent of increasing students understanding and interest in Chemistry.
Prerequisite: "C" or better in Biology I \& Algebra I

## Program of Study Engineering Packet

Little Big Horn College does not offer a pre-engineering program of study. If a student is interested in pursuing a career in engineering it is suggested that the student follow the general science worksheet on page 24 of this booklet, then transfer to Montana State University-Bozeman.

## Programs of Study Math Packet

Listed below are the individual programs of study offered at Little Big Horn College that have been cross-referenced to several four year degrees. If the student's math career of choice is not listed below, feel free to contact a consultant to discuss a proper plan of study.

| LBHC Program of Study | Four Year Degree | Offered At |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Associate of Arts | Mathematics | MSU-Bozeman |
| in Mathematics | Mathematics Education | MSU-Billings |
|  |  | Rocky |
|  |  | U of Montana |

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN MATHEMATICS

The Mathematics program of study is designed to prepare a student for entry-level studies in math, science, computer science, engineering and teaching mathematics at the secondary level. The courses are parallel to meet the needs of the student who will transfer to a four-year degree program.

## Program of Study

CP 254 Programming I 3
CP 255 Programming II 3
IS $104 \quad$ Spread Sheet 1
IS 105 Dbase 1
IS $250 \quad$ Structured Bus.Prog. 4
MA 181 Calculus I 4
MA 182 Calculus II 4
MA 213 Elementary Stats 3
SC 131/135 Adv. Gen. Chem I/Lab 4
SC 132/136 Adv. Gen. Chem II/Lab 4
Total Program Credits 30
35 CORE Requirements + 30 Program of Study $=65$

| Fall Year 1 |  |  | Spring | Year 1 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| IS 104 | Spread Sheets | 1 | IS 250 | Structured Bus. Prog |  |
| IS 105 | D Base | 1 | CP 254 | Programming I | 3 |
| SC 131/135 | AdvGenChem/Lab I | 4 | SC 132/136 | AdvGenChem/Lab II | 4 |
| CORE Requirements |  | 11 | MA 216 | Elem. Stats | 3 |
|  |  |  | CORE Requi | ements | 3 |
| Fall Year 2 |  |  | Spring | Year 2 |  |
| CP 255 | Programming II | 3 | MA 182 | Calculus II | 4 |
| MA 181 | Calculus I | 4 | CORE Requi | ements | 11 |
| CORE Requirements |  | 10 |  |  |  |

## Lodge Grass High School Suggested Plan of Study

The following courses are suggested for a smooth transition from Lodge Grass High School into the Little Big Horn College math curriculum. The classes that apply for the associate of arts in mathematics at LBHC are listed below. Other classes that are listed are required for graduation and/or are a part of the college preparation program at Lodge Grass High School.

## For all Associates of Arts in Mathematics

| Freshman | Sophomore |
| :--- | :--- |
| English I | English II |
| P.E. /Health I | P.E./Health II |
| Earth Science | Biology |
| Keyboarding | World History |
| Algebra I | Geometry |
|  |  |
| Junior | Senior |
| English III | English IV |
| U.S. History | PAD |
| Algebra II | Pre-Calculus with Trigonometry |

To fulfill a college preparatory curriculum, the student should take two years of electives selected from the following:
-Foreign Language
-Computer Science
-Visual and Performing Arts
-Vocational Education units which meet the Office of Public Instruction guidelines.

## Suggested Electives:

Physics is suggested for students interested in any general science or engineering science related career.
Chemistry is recommended for any student entering into a biological or chemical engineering field.
Computer Information Systems 2000 Levels $\mathbf{1 \& 2}$ are recommended for any student interested in entering into a programming career.

## Little Big Horn College Math Course Descriptions

MATH 061 Basic Mathematics $\mathbf{3}$ credits FS
This class covers the basic mathematical concepts of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of fractions. Decimals, percents, proportions, conversions and rounding will be covered. This course is designed to prepare students for business math and elementary algebra.
Prerequisite: Math placement test, scores less than 10 correct on the ASSEST test. Non-transferable.

MATH 071 Pre-Algebra 4 credits FS
This course is designed to teach students the fundamental mathematical concepts needed to be successful in college level mathematics courses. Topics covered include: a review of basic operations of arithmetic, with emphasis of properties basic to algebra, integers, and rational expressions - multiplying, dividing, adding, subtracting and factoring. Also covered are exponents, and linear equations, inequalities and graphing, polynomials and rational expressions will also be covered.
Prerequisite: MATH 061 or math placement test, scores between 11 and 17 on the ASSEST test.
Non-transferable.
MATH $081 \quad$ Algebra 4 credits FS
This class covers the topics of graphs of linear equations and inequalities, systems of linear equations, and square roots, properties of real numbers; linear equations and inequalities in one variable, graphing linear equations and inequalities, systems of linear equations and inequalities in two or three variables; exponents, roots and radicals; polynomials and algebraic functions; quadratic equations and inequalities in one variable and graphing quadratic equations and inequalities.
Prerequisite: MATH 071 or math placement test, scores between 18 and 25 on the ASSEST test.
Non-transferable.

## MATH $105 \quad$ Algebra for College Students 4 credits FS

This class covers the topics of functions and their graphs, including polynomial and rational functions, radical functions, exponential and logarithmic functions. Absolute value equations and inequalities, compound inequalities; complex numbers; systems of
second degree equations and inequalities; conic sections, matrices and determinants. Mathematical induction and the Binomial Theorem are included.
Prerequisite: MATH 081 or math placement test, score of 26 or more on the ASSEST test.
Transferable.

## MATH $150 \quad$ Finite Math 4 credits FS

Finite Math is a course that covers topics with applications to the natural science, social sciences, and liberal arts. The topics covered in this class include: basic math skills and cultural implications of topics in mathematics, including number systems, geometric, algebraic, financial and trigonometric models; measurement; probability and descriptive statistics; and calculus. This course introduces students to areas of interest in applied and pure mathematics. Intended for students wishing to satisfy the general education mathematics requirement.
Prerequisite: MATH 105 or math placement test, score of 26 or more on the ASSEST test.
Transferable.

## MATH $165 \quad$ Pre-Calculus 4 credits FS

The topics covered in this class include functions, graphs, and the use of symbols for expressing mathematical thoughts, polynomials, rational, exponential, logarithmic, and trigonometric functions. Required only of students who want to take MATH 181 and whose placement test shows a need for further study of this material.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 105 or equivalent.
Transferable.
MATH $181 \quad$ Calculus I 4 credits F(alternate years, 2001)
Topics in Calculus I include: functions, elementary transcendental functions, limits and continuity, differentiation, applications of the derivative, curve sketching, analytic geometry and integration.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 165 or equivalent.
Transferable.

## MATH $182 \quad$ Calculus II 4 credits $\quad$ S(alternate years, 2002)

This class includes: methods of integration, applications of the integral, first order differential equations, Taylor polynomial and series.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 181.
Transferable.

MATH 216
Conventional notation and equations are used to explain traditional and robust estimates of location; and variability, fundamentals of probability theory, confidence intervals and test of hypothesis for normal distributions.
Prerequisite: Successful completion of MATH 105.
Transferable.

## Student STEM Worksheet for Lodge Grass High School

## Mathematics

The following worksheet is to help you plan your high school studies to ensure the best possible transition to the college level of studies to pursue a career in mathematics. Math degrees can allow for careers in fields such as science, physics, statistics, education, and engineering. First of all, following the given plan of study for Lodge Grass High School will allow the best advantage for entering into college. This will provide a solid background for pursuing your college degree. Suggested electives to be taken include chemistry and computer applications. Chemistry is a science class involving a large magnitude of mathematics to understand chemical, physical, and biological changes in our world. Computers are involved with many careers today. Gaining as much knowledge about them is a tremendous advantage to you. Computers are used in a variety of ways including: analyzing data, gaining statistics, preparing reports and communicating with other colleagues. Programming is another career that uses a large amount of math. Each of the courses listed in the program of study will be beneficial and will give you an advantage when pursuing your college degree.

The following checklist is in accordance with the plan of study given previously. Place a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you should to take before or during your junior and senior years.

Course
English III
English IV
Algebra II
Trigonometry/Pre-Calculus/Calculus
Chemistry
Computer Applications I
Computer Applications II
World History
American History
American Government

Successful Completion
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# STEM Science, Technology, Engineering and Math Packet 2000-2001 

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## Prepared for Plenty Coups High School

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# STEM Science and Engineering Packet 2000-2001 

## CROW INDIAN STEM PROJECT <br> Funded by the American Indian Science and Technology Education Consortium

## Purpose

The purpose of the Crow Indian STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Project is to aid students in preparing for a career in science, technology, engineering, or math. This system utilizes "two plus two plus two" agreements between Crow Reservation high schools, Little Big Horn College, and the four-year universities in Montana. These agreements have been designed to help prepare high school students for college through careful selection of coursework for science and technology based careers.

Consultants from Little Big Horn College have examined course descriptions and objectives offered by your high school and have derived suggested plans of study for students interested in science, technology, engineering, or math to be taken during the students' junior and senior years (the first "two"). The goal is to help students make the transition from high school to Little Big Horn College in the disciplines of math and science; that is to bring down the boundaries between high school and college level math and science.

The next portion of the agreement (the second "two") is between the faculty of Little Big Horn College and the students. Upon matriculation into LBHC, the students will follow a suggested plan of study developed as appropriate, relevant, and transferable to a four-year institution that offers a career based four-year degree. This gives the students' the advantage of attending a college within their community while preparing them for transfer to a four-year institution.

The final "two" in this agreement is between Little Big Horn College and the Montana University System. After leaving Little Big Horn College with an associates degree, your students will spend two years at a four-year university completing their degree. The consultants from LBHC have ensured that all suggested courses are transferable from LBHC to the Montana University System.

As an example, suppose a student tells his or her high school instructor or counselor that he or she has an interest in medicine. The instructor or counselor will consult the STEM packet designed for that high school, and note that a suggested plan of study includes: mathematics through trigonometry and pre-calculus, two years of biology, one year of chemistry, one year of physics, advanced composition, and information systems. The student can then choose those courses during registration. If the student has taken the suggested courses during junior and senior years, he or she should have a smoother transition into LBHC and a greater chance of succeeding the community health curriculum. The following two years at LBHC will be spent studying chemistry, biology, calculus, research writing, physics, and anatomy and physiology. This time will be used to hone the student's academic skills and prepare the student for transfer to MSUBillings, MSU-Bozeman, Rocky Mountain College, or the University of Montana. Once the student has transferred from LBHC to one of these institutions, he or she will finish their four-year degree during the final two years of STEM and apply to medical school during their junior year of college.

In summary, the STEM project has been designed with a "two plus two plus two" agreement. The first two years were designed to prepare students for college. The second two years are spent at LBHC earning credit towards a four-year degree. The final two years are spent at one of the four-year universities in Montana.

## Purpose of STEM

1. To help students prepare for college as soon as their junior year of high school.
2. To create a seamless transition from high school math and science to college level math and science.
3. To develop a career based plan of study to guide students from high school through completion of bachelor's degrees.
4. To train Crow students in science, technology, and math based careers, giving the students ownership of that knowledge, leading to increased opportunity on and off the Crow Indian Reservation.

## Why STEM is Necessary

1. Technology, engineering, and science are all math based.
2. $40 \%$ of all career opportunities are math or science based.
3. Students spend an average of 3.7 years at Little Big Horn College pursuing a twoyear degree.
4. One quarter to one third of all courses at Little Big Horn College are taught on a developmental level.
5. We want to set students on their way towards a career so they do not waste their precious time and financial aid on excess years at LBHC.

## Why We Need Your Help

1. $65 \%$ of all Crow high school students from Lodge Grass, Plenty Coups, St. Labre, and Hardin attend Little Big Horn College after high school.
2. College level courses are at least a year away from almost all LBHC entering freshmen.
3. Students choose their high school courses based on lack of information, ease, or to "float" to graduation.
4. We want to influence students into taking gateway courses that will open opportunity to our Crow students.

Working with you, we have developed a suggested plan of study that informs students which courses they should take in preparation for matriculation at Little Big Horn College with a specific career in mind. This plan of study consists of a packet that has been custom designed for your high school and specific career goals. The individual packets have been arranged according to Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math. This enables students to enter LBHC better prepared for a specific career or field. At LBHC we will prepare the students for a four-year university while teaching the freshman and sophomore curricula. The final phase is completion of a STEM based fouryear degree.

## Contacts

Below is a list of contacts at Little Big Horn College. Please feel free to call or email us regarding any questions.

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## Programs of Study

On the following pages are the individual programs of study for science offered at Little Big Horn College. Each section starts with a series of options that students may choose from at each Montana university. A course outline of the appropriate program of study is listed in the next section. This is followed by a suggested plan of study for preparing high school students for matriculation into LBHC.

## Which Program Do I Choose?

Listed below are the individual programs of study offered at Little Big Horn College that have been cross referenced to several four year degrees. If the student's science career of choice is not listed below, feel free to contact the consultant to discuss a proper plan of study.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
Pre-nursing option

| Four Year Degree | Offered At <br> Nursing |
| :--- | :--- |
| Pre-Physical Therapy* | MSU-Bozeman <br> MSU-Billings <br> Rocky |
| Pre-Medicine and <br> Pre-Medical Science** | MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman <br> Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| Pharmacy* | U of Montana |
| Physical Therapy** | U of Montana |

*Denotes that the SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced Chemistry I \& II should be taken instead of SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro to Biochem.
${ }^{\circ}$ It is suggested that students interested in these classes also complete MA 181 \& MA 182 Calculus I \& II prior to matriculation into a four year college.

LBHC Program of Study
Associate of Arts
Community Health
$\frac{\text { Four Year Degree }}{\text { Community Health }} * \quad \underline{\text { Offered At }}$

Health Enhancement* MSU-Bozeman Teaching

Human Services MSU-Billings
Rehabilitation and MSU-Billings
Related Services
*Denotes SC 121/125 \& SC 122/126 Intro to Gen Chem \& Intro Biochem are required for degree

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
Natural Resources/
Environmental Science

| Four Year Degree | Offered At <br> Fish and Wildlife <br> Management |
| :--- | :--- |
| Environmental* | USU-B of Montana |
| Health/Science | Rocky <br> U of Montana |
| Microbiology* | MSU-Bozeman |
| Forestry | U of Montana |
| Resource Conservation | U of Montana |

*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advaced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
General Science

| Four Year Degree |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Biology** | Offered At <br> MSU-Billings <br> MSU-Bozeman |
|  | Rocky |
|  | U of Montana |


| Chemistry** | MSU-Billings |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | MSU-Bozeman |
|  | Rocky |
|  | U of Montana |

Geohydrology** MSU-Bozeman

## LBHC Program of Study

Associate of Arts
General Science

Four Year Degree
Geology*o

Offered At
Rocky
U of Montana
*Denotes that SC 131/135 \& SC 132/136 Advanced General Chemistry I \& II are required for these degrees.
${ }^{\circ}$ Denotes that MA 182 Calculus II is required for these degrees.

## Little Big Horn College Programs Of Study

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: PRE-NURSING OPTION

This program of study is for those students who are pursuing a degree as a Registered Nurse and wish to earn an Associate of Arts Degree prior to receiving a two-year or fouryear degree at another institution. Fulfilling LBHC requirements will allow a student to acquire many of the courses offered in two-year RN programs, or prepare for transfer to a four-year institution at the junior level.

To earn a degree in Science: Pre Nursing Option, a student must complete the core Requirements as well as the courses listed below:

## Program of Study

PY 201 Lifespan Development 3
SC 212/213 Microbiology and Disease/Lab 4
SC 210 Anatomy and Physiology/Lab 4
SC 211 Anatomy and physiology/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
SC 122/126 Intro to Biochemistry/Lab 4
SS 101 Sociology 3 Total Program Credits 25

35 Credits CORE + Program of Study $25=60$ Credits
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: PRE-NURSING OPTION

Fall Year 1
SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem 4
SC 110 Principles of Bio/Lab 4
CORE Requirements 9
Fall Year 2
SC 210Anatomy \& Phys. 4
CORE Requirements 9

Spring Year 1
SC 122/126 Intro to BioChem/Lab 4 PY 201 Lifespan Develop 3
CORE Requirements 9
Spring Year 2
SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. 4
SC 212/213 Micro \& Disease 4
SS 101 Sociology 3
SC 214 Nutrition 3

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN SCIENCE: COMMUNITY HEALTH

This program of study is concerned with improving health and well-being for the promotion of healthful lifestyles, community actions for health, and conditions that make it possible to live healthy lives. Students can transfer to a four-year institution to complete this degree that will prepare them for entry level employment related to community health.

## Program of Study

HE 201 Wellness 3
HS 111 Chemical Dependency 3
SC 210 Anatomy and Physiology I 4
SC 211 Anatomy and Physiology II 4
SC 212/213 Microbiology \& Disease/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab 4
Total Program Credits 25
35 Credits CORE + 25 Program of Study $=60$ credits
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: COMMUNITY HEALTH

## Fall Year 1

HS 111Chemical Dependency
Core Requirements

Fall Year 2
SC 210 Anatomy \& Phys. I CORE Requirements

Spring Year 1
3 HE 201 Wellness 3
11 SC 244/245 Environ.Sci Core Requirements 9

Spring Year 2
4 SC 211 Anatomy \& Phys. II 4
9 SC 212/213 Micro/Lab 4
SC 214 Nutrition 3
CORE Requirements 6

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS DEGREE IN : NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Natural Resource Management is a broad field where professionals work to preserve, conserve and manage natural resources. Careers may be in fish \& wildlife, forestry, range management, agriculture, national parks, or many other areas. Environmental science careers focus on environmental protection and rehabilitation from harmful human impacts, such as overgrazing, mining and pollution. Careers may be in environmental science, land or water resources, reclamation, or many other areas.

## Program of Study

SC 102 Ecology+Lab 4
SC 112 Biodiversity 4
One of the following:
SC 122 Intro to Biochemistry 4
SC 132 Adv.Gen Chem II 4
SC 244 Environmental Science+Lab 4
MA 216 Elementary Statistics 3
Additional credits (as listed here) 7-8
Natural Resource majors take two
SC 203 Rangeland Resources/Lab4
SC 202 Identification Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
Environmental Science majors take two SC 104 Geology + Lab 4
SC 202 Identification of Seed Plants 4
SC 205 Soils 4
IS 260 GIS/GPS 3
SC 276 Internship 4
Total Credits: 26-27

Also recommended: IS104/105 Intro to Computers, BU220 Economic Way of Thinking 35 core Requirements +26-27 Program of Study = 61-62

TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: NATURAL RESOURCES/ENVIR. SCIENCE

* Denotes Core classes that MUST be taken for this major. Students pursuing natural resources careers usually take the SC121 chemistry sequence; those interested in environmental science careers take the SC131 chemistry sequence. Freshmen should complete writing and information systems requirements in year one.

Fall Year 1
*SC 110 Principles of Biology + Lab Core requirements

## Fall Year 2

*SC121 or SC131
SC 102 Ecology
Science elective
Core requirement

## Spring Year 1

4 SC 112 Biodiversity + Lab 4
12 *MA 165 Pre Calculus 4
Science elective 3-4
Core requirements 6
Spring Year 2
4 SC 244 Environmental Sci. 4
4 SC 122 or 132 Chemistry 4
3-4 MA 216 Statistics 3
3 Core requirement 3

## ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN SCIENCE: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION

The General Science Option is designed for the student planning transfer to a four-year college in science. This option provides a solid background in a variety of science fields including pre-professional health careers and secondary science education. The student will be assigned an advisor from the science faculty depending on the student's area of interest.

## Program of Study

## *MA $181 \quad$ Calculus I <br> 4

MA 216 Elem Statistics ..... 3
**SC 121/125 Intro to Gen Chem/Lab ..... 4
SC 122/126 Intro to Biochemistry/Lab ..... 4
Or
**SC 131/135 Adv. Gen. Chemistry/Lab I ..... 4
SC 132/136 Adv. Gen Chemistry/Lab II ..... 4
Choose four (4) of the following courses for 12-14 credits
SC 102/103 Ecology/Lab ..... 4
SC 110/111 Principles of Biology/Lab ..... 4
SC 112/113 Biodiversity/Lab ..... 4
SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I ..... 5
SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II ..... 5
SC 213/213 Micro \& Disease/Lab ..... 4
SC 244/245 Environmental Science/Lab ..... 4
*Fulfills group requirement for math
**Fulfills group requirement for science
35 CORE Credits + 23-25 Program of Study Credits $=\mathbf{5 8 - 6 0}$
TWO YEAR PLAN OF STUDY: GENERAL SCIENCE OPTION
Fall Year 1
SC Chemistry Sequence
MA 181 Calculus I
Core Requirements
Fall Year 2SC Science Elective
SC Science ElectiveCore Requirements
Spring Year 1
SC Chemistry Sequence ..... 4
MA 216 Elem. Statistics ..... 3
Core Requirements ..... 9
Spring Year 2
SC Science Elective ..... 4
SC Science Elective ..... 4
Core Requirements ..... 3

## Plenty Coups High School Suggested Plan Of Study

The following courses are suggested for a smooth transition from Plenty Coups High School into the Little Big Horn College science curriculum. These are not requirements; these are suggestions.

## For all Associates of Arts in Science Options:

## Junior Year

English III
Algebra II, Algebra III
Chemistry

## Senior Year

English IV
Trigonometry/Calculus
Advance Biology

## For Pre-Nursing Option:

Biology II is suggested for students interested in a pre-physical therapy, pre-medicine, and pre-medicinal science. Advanced physical education is also suggested for these students.

## For Community Health Option:

Child development is suggested as well as physical education.

## For Natural Resources/Environmental Science Option:

Biology $I$ is very strongly recommended for students interested in any degree related to this option.

## For General Science Option:

Criteria from above.

## Little Big Horn College Science Course Descriptions

SC 050 Survival Chemistry
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
Basic fundamentals of chemistry as it applies to biology. Recommended for students with no previous chemistry, or who would like a brief review of chemistry, and who are taking or will be taking SC111, SC112, SC113, SC 242 or SC244. Open to any student. There are fifteen class periods for the first four weeks of the quarter.

SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky $\quad 3 \mathrm{cr}$ F/S*
A non-mathematical survey of the Universe, from our planet Earth, our neighboring planets and the sun, outward to the constellations, our galaxy and the Universe beyond. Includes sun spots, comets, black holes, quasars and cosmology. Recent discoveries will be presented. Students will learn how to handle a telescope and one mandatory night laboratory is included.

## SC 102 Ecology

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathbf{F}$ (2001)
Students will develop an understanding of how the natural world works by studying the relationships among plants, animals and other living things and between living things and their environments. The course will explore how species and evolve, and the composition, function and distribution of populations, communities and ecosystems. It is recommended that students without a high school chemistry background enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry prior to enrolling in SC 102.

SC 103 Ecology Lab 1 cr $\quad$ F (2001)
Ecology Lab accompanying SC 102 Ecology.
SC 104 Introduction to Geology $3 \mathbf{c r} \quad \mathbf{S}$
This course covers minerals, rocks, geologic time, heat, , volcanism, earthquakes, magnetism, gravity and mountain building processes as related to plate tectonics and land forms. Weathering, glaciers, rivers, oceans and beaches are introduced.

## SC 105 Introduction To Geology Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Laboratory to accompany SC 104. Includes field trips.

## SC 110 Principles of Biology

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$
This course addresses biological principles common to living things. The course content includes cell structure, function, metabolism and reproduction. Energy pathways, basic genetics, evolution, classification, diversity and ecology are included in the course. The lab is a required co-requisite. Student who do not have a chemistry background are strongly advised to enroll in SC 050 Survival Chemistry.

SC 111 Principles of Biology Lab 1 cr $\quad$ F
Laboratory to accompany SC 110. Includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 110 Principles of Biology.

SC 112 Biodiversity
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Biodiversity is an overview of the diversity of life, examining bacteria, protests, fungi, plants and animals, with an emphasis on animals and vascular plants. Classification, survival strategies, reproduction ecological importance and comparison of biological systems are a part of the course content. The lab is a required co-requisite.

## SC 113 Biodiversity Lab <br> $1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

The Biodiversity lab includes laboratory experiments related to course work in SC 112 Bildiversity.

## SC 116 Physical World Around Us <br> 3 cr F/S

This course is intended for education majors and non science majors. This course introduces students to the fundamentals of chemistry, physics, and earth science and their roles in our understanding of the world. This course explores the impacts of each on our society.

SC 117 Physical World Lab 1 cr F/S*
Lab that corresponds with SC 116
SC 121 Introduction to General Chemistry 3 cr $\quad$ F (2000)
This is an introductory chemistry course designed for pre-nursing students and students lacking a strong background in chemistry. This course will cover general chemistry including: atomic structure, periodicity, chemical bonding, chemical reactions, acid-base systems, thermodynamics, and the behavior of gasses, liquids, solids, and solutions. This course will also cover selected topics in organic chemistry including: nomenclature, functional groups, organic synthesis, and the structure and role of organic molecules.

## SC 122 Introduction to Biochemistry <br> $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2001)

This course is the second half of the introductory chemistry for pre-nursing students and non-science majors. This course will cover functional groups of organic molecules and discuss their role in the synthesis of biomolecules. Other topics included are: the role of biological molecules such as carbohydrates, lipids, proteins, nucleic acids, and metabolic processes and cellular structure.

## SC 125 Introduction to General Chemistry Lab $1 \mathbf{c r} \quad$ F (2000)

Lab that corresponds with SC 121
SC 126 Biochemistry Lab $\quad 1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathbf{S}$ (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 122
SC 131 Advanced General Chemistry I $\mathbf{3} \mathbf{c r} \quad$ F (2001)
This course introduces students to the fundamental concepts of chemistry. This includes atomic structure, stoiciometry, chemical bonding, and laws governing the relationships of elements and compounds.

SC 132 Advanced General Chemistry II
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2002)
This course is a continuation of SC 131 . It covers solubility, equilibria, entropy, free energy, electrochemistry and inorganic descriptive chemistry.

SC 135 Advanced General Chemistry I Lab
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2001)
Lab that corresponds with SC 131

## SC 202 Seed Plants

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad$ F (2002)
The course will introduce the student to tress, shrubs and herbaceous flowering plants in the local area. The student will collect and prepare plant specimens. Vocabulary, classification, nomenclature and the use of manuals (plant "keys") will be a part of the course material. Half of course time will be devoted to lab and field exercises.

## SC 203 Range Land Resources

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$ (2002)
This course describes the world's range lands as related to their historic, present and potential use. The course will include Plains grasslands. Special attention will be given to how range land uses affect the nutrient, biological and hydrological cycles around the world and how the ecosystems respond to change. Concepts related to ecological conditions, land potential and ecological trends are introduced in the course material.

## SC 204 Range Land Resources Lab 1 cr $\quad$ (2002)

Lab accompanying SC 203 Range Land Resources

## SC 205 Soils

$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
The Soils course acquaints the student with soil properties the components of ecosystems and landscapes. How knowledge of soils is applied to the management of agricultural, wildland and urban landscapes is a major part of the course work. The student will be made aware of the problems related to environmental science.

## SC 210 Anatomy \& Physiology I <br> $4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{F}$

This course is the first in the A\&P sequence. SC 110, Principles of Biology is a prerequisite. In this course the student will examine cellular structure, the integumentary system, the muscular system, the skeletal system, and nervous system, and the endocrine system if time allows. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

## SC 211 Anatomy \& Physiology II

$4 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
This course is a continuation of SC 210 . In this course the student will examine the endocrine, blood and lymph, cardiovascular, respiratory, urinary, digestive and reproductive systems. Lecture is three times per week focusing on physiology. One period per week is reserved for discussions related to anatomy. Field trips and lab experience incorporated into coursework.

## SC 212 Microbes \& Disease <br> $3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$

The prerequisite for this course is SC 110 Principles of Biology, as knowledge of cells is essential to the study of microbes. The course begins with a general history of microbiology and microscopes. An overview of the anatomy and physiology of bacteria, viruses, protozoan, and fungi is part of the course content. The remainder of the course is devoted to studying organ/organ system diseases, and the type of microbes that cause
them. Also included are concepts of immunity, and general laboratory procedures. Upon completing the course, the student should have a general knowledge of disease causing antigens, and how these organisms are handled in a lab setting.
SC 213 Microbes \& Disease Lab
$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Lab accompanying SC 212

SC 214 Nutrition
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$ (2002)
This course covers the basic concepts of human nutrition as related to health and food consumption at the different stages of the life cycle. In addition, nutritional assessment and dietary modifications used in health and disease are also studied.
Prerequisites: SC110; SC 121 or 131

SC 244 Environmental Science
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Environmental Science acquaints the student with the relationship between people and the environment and how human activities affect the earth's natural ecosystems. The course addresses environmental issues such as range and farmland practices, soil ecology, pests and pesticides and alternative methods of pest control, the water cycle and water pollution, air quality and air pollution, hazardous and solid waste management. The student will learn ways to reduce and prevent pollution, population management, protection of wild species, and how to sustain the earth's natural ecosystem upon which life depends.

## SC 245 Environmental Science Lab

$1 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
Laboratory experience accompanying Environmental Science
SC 276 Science Internship OD
Provides student with the opportunity to apply theoretical knowledge in a work placement experience. Academic Advisor will assist student with work place placement and development of course objectives. Registration in this course is restricted.

## Social Science

SS 101 Introduction to Sociology
$3 \mathrm{cr} \quad \mathrm{S}$
This course is a survey of Sociology and designed to cover the study of society, organizations, social interactions, socialization, institutions, deviance and social control stratification, ethnic and racial minorities, gender and the family, education, religion and other topics from a sociological perspective.

## Little Big Horn College Core Requirements

The following information is of general interest to the student. You should consult a four-year university catalog as well as contacting the STEM consultant to ensure that classes are chosen wisely when preparing your students for the adventure ahead. Listed on the next page are the core requirements; these should be chosen wisely to eliminate excess semesters when the students are ready to matriculate into Little Big Horn College.

## CORE REQUIREMENTS

All students must fulfill the CORE REQUIREMENTS as a foundation to their programs of study. In order to graduate from LBHC, students will need to complete $\mathbf{3 5}$ credits in the following categories. Advisors will assist the student with selection of Core Requirements. Courses may not be substituted for Core Requirements courses.

Category I: Communication Arts
*9 Credits must be completed in this category
CA 101 Composition I
CA 102 Advanced Writing
CA 203 Research Writing
CA 112-Public Speaking
Category 2: Crow Studies
*6 Credits must be completed in this category
CS 101 Crow Language I (Required)
CS 122 Crow Social Familial
CS 211 Thought and Philosophy
Category 3: Science (must include one lab course)
*7 to 8 Credits must be completed in this category One Life Science:
SC 110 Principles of Biology /Lab 3+1
SC 112 Biodiversity/Lab 3+1
One Physical Science:
SC 121 Fundamentals of Gen Chemistry/Lab
$3+1$
SC 101 Mysteries of the Sky 3
$3+1$
Category 4: Mathematics

* 4 Credits must be completed in this category

MA 150 Finite Math
MA 165 Pre Calculus
X X
4
X X
Category 5: Information Systems
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
IS 101-103 Introduction to Computers
3
X X
Category 6: Humanities
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
CA 106 Intro to Literature 3
X
CS 108 Literature of the American Indian
HU 101 Survey of Humanities
3
3
Category 7: Social Sciences
*3 Credits must be completed in this category
PY 101 General Psychology
3
SS 101 Introduction to Sociology 3
AN 111 Cultural Anthropology 3
3

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## Pre-Nursing \& Medical Sciences

Pursuing a career in the medical field is a very admirable notion. Listed below are courses that you can take over the next few years to better prepare you for such a career. You may have a few questions as to why these courses are relevant. Well, here are the answers. First off, if you want to become a nurse, a doctor, a veterinarian, an optometrist, a pharmacist, a dentist, a physical therapist, or pursue any other career in medicine it is very important that you have a good understanding of how organisms adapt and survive in different environments. Taking Biology II will supplement the information you picked up in Biology I and reinforce the concepts learned there. Biology II covers human anatomy and physiology, a subject that is very important to this plan of study, and ecology. Many of the illnesses that you will treat require that you have a working knowledge of bacteria, viruses, and animals. The chemistry, though sometimes difficult and tedious, is very important. There is an enormous amount of chemistry that goes along with medicine. How each medication affects an organism is based solely on its chemical properties. So why should there be so much math? Each one of the career choices from above requires careful observation, deduction skills, and most of all, the ability to calculate. The math skills you will acquire will aid you immensely as you pursue your college degree. After all, physics is nothing more than applied math and chemistry is derived from physics. Biology is derived from chemistry, therefore a good math base is essential to success. Each of these courses should give you an advantage as you start acquiring the skills necessary for pursuing one of these exciting careers. Good Luck!!!

Put a check in the appropriate space below to keep track of the courses you need to take your junior and senior years.

|  | Junior Year |  | Senior Year |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Course Name | Fall | Spring | Fall | Spring |
| English III | - | - | - | - |
| Algebra II | - | - | - | - |
| Trigonometry/Calculus | - | - | - | - |
| Biology II | - | - | - | - |
| Chemistry | - | - | - |  |
| Advanced Phys Ed | - | - | - |  |
| English IV | - | - |  |  |


[^0]:    *Advanced IM courses can be substituted for IM courses.

