

Biological Sciences Doctorate

Department Information

- **Program Information:**
ndsu.edu/programs/graduate/biological-sciences (<http://ndsu.edu/programs/graduate/biological-sciences/>)
- **Department Web Site:**
ndsu.edu/biology/ (<http://ndsu.edu/biology/>)
- **Application Deadline:**
January 15- for full consideration for an assistantship.
- **Credential Offered:**
Ph.D.
- **English Proficiency Requirements:**
TOEFL ibt 79; IELTS 6.5; Duolingo 105

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Code	Title	Credits
Ph.D. Program		90
BIOL 790		
BIOL 842	Quantitative Biology (or equivalent as approved by committee)	
BIOL 884	Biological Research Principles	
Biological Content Courses to be approved by the advisory committee		
UNIV 720	(or equivalent as approved by committee)	
ZOO 899		

Admission and Application Requirements

- Graduate School admission and application requirements are found on the Admission Information (<https://catalog.ndsu.edu/past-bulletin-archive/2025-2026/graduate/admission-information/>) page.
- In addition, this program requires applicants to connect with one or more departmental faculty members before and during the application process. Applicants will not be considered without a department faculty member who has agreed to serve as the major advisor.