

**Verrazano Spring Schedule for Biology/Biochemistry Majors  
OR  
Pre-Med, Pre-Dental, Pre-Pharmacy Track**

**What you take next semester depends on what you are taking now: scroll down for schedule options based on current classes.**

The 4- or 5-digit section numbers for Verrazano Honors classes change each semester (and occasionally the times change). View the updated list of Verrazano sections at <https://www.csi.cuny.edu/academics-and-research/specialized-programs/honors-programs/verrazano-school/program-requirements/courses>.

**If you are currently taking Honors BIO 170/171**

**You must take the following Verrazano courses:**

**(1) Honors ENG 151:** College Writing (3 credits); M/W 10:10-12:05

We will sign you up for this.

**(2) Honors BIO 180:** General Biology II (3 credits); T 12:20-2:15, Th 12:20-1:10

**Honors BIO 181:** General Biology II Laboratory (1 credit); Th 4:40 – 7:10

**(3) Honors MTH 130:** Precalculus – 3 credits; **MTH 231/229:** Calculus I – 4 credits total; or **MTH 232:** Calculus II – 3 credits – all are on a M, W 12:20-2:15 schedule with MTH 229 running M,W 2:30-3:20.

\*Math note: Biology majors must take MTH 231/229. Biochemistry and Chemistry majors must take up to MTH 233. Most medical schools required at least one semester of Calculus, and some require two semesters.

**Other Strongly Recommended Course**

CHM 141/121: General Chemistry I (3 credits) plus Laboratory (1 credit) – There are no honors sections of CHM 141/121 offered in the spring, but we strongly encourage you to coordinate with your Verrazano classmates and choose a general section to take together.

**Other Recommended Courses:**

Any course from the Required or Flexible Core in Pathways General Education

As a general note, you should plan to take Verrazano honors sections whenever possible.

**If you are currently taking Honors CHM 141/121**

**You must take the following Verrazano courses:**

- (1) Honors ENG 151:** College Writing (3 credits); M/W 10:10-12:05  
We will sign you up for this.
- (2) Honors CHM 142:** General Chemistry II (3 credits); W, F 2:30-4:25  
**Honors CHM 127:** General Chemistry II Laboratory (1 credit); T 10:10-1:10
- (3) Honors MTH 130:** Precalculus – 3 credits; **MTH 231/229:** Calculus I – 4 credits total; or **MTH 232:** Calculus II – 3 credits – all are on a M, W 12:20-2:15 schedule with MTH 229 running M,W 2:30-3:20.

\*Math note: Biology majors must take MTH 231/229. Biochemistry and Chemistry majors must take up to MTH 233. Most medical schools required at least one semester of Calculus, and some require two semesters.

**Other Strongly Recommended Course**

BIO 170/171: General Biology I (3 credits) plus Laboratory (1 credit). There are no honors sections of BIO 170/171 offered in the spring, but we strongly encourage you to coordinate with your Verrazano classmates and choose a general section to take together.

**Other Recommended Courses:**

Any course from the Required or Flexible Core in Pathways General Education

As a general note, you should plan to take Verrazano honors sections whenever possible.