

Faculty Qualifications Matrix

APSU Course Rubric	Division	Qualifying Credentials	Qualifying Disciplines	Acceptable Alternative Qualifications
BIOL 1000 - 2000	Lower Division	Master's degree in biology (or related field).	Biology (or related field).	Master's degree (in a related discipline) with at least 18 graduate semester hours in biology.
BIOL 3000 - 4000	Upper Division	Doctoral degree in biology (or related field).	Biology (or related field).	Master's degree in biology with at least 18 additional graduate semester hours in biology
BIOL 5000 +	Graduate Division	Doctoral degree in biology (or related field).	Biology (or related field).	