



ENGINEERS &
GEOLOGISTS
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Simon Fraser University

Geology Course Equivalent Listing (Updated December 2023)

Instructions:

Prior to beginning, please ensure that you have reviewed the [Guideline to Completing Geoscience Checklists & Course Descriptions](#).

- A course can only be listed one time on the entire checklist
- Courses you list need to correspond to the course codes that appear on your transcript
 - If you are claiming courses from more than one institution, please clearly indicate the institution name where the course was completed.
- Courses must be acceptable for credit in the Faculty of Science or Applied Science
- If you are unsure which subject a course may be claimed towards, please choose the most relevant subject and indicate your uncertainty. Reviewers will try to determine the suitable subject.
- Note that EGBC staff or volunteers may contact the applicant for additional information during the assessment if additional information or clarification is required.

This course listing is a reflection of Engineers & Geoscientists BC's adoption of the Geoscientists Canada [Geoscience Knowledge Requirements](#). In consultation with the school, the courses in this document have been identified as equivalent to the subjects listed. Note that course codes can be subject to change at any time.

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	Number	Subject	SFU Course	For Applicant Use
Group: 1A – Compulsory Foundation Science – 11-GEOCOM- Fundamental Science (All 3 Required)				
	FS-A1	Calculus (1 semester)	MATH 150, 151, 154, 157 (Choose One)	
	FS-A2	Physics (1 semester)	PHYS 101, 120, 125, 140 (Choose One)	
	FS-A3	Chemistry (1 semester)	CHEM 121	
Group: 1B – Additional Foundation Science – 11-GEOCOM- Electives (6 Required – NO MORE THAN TWO COURSES IN ANY ONE SUBJECT)				
	COM-B1	Mathematics	MATH 152, 155, 158 or any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B2	Chemistry	CHEM 122, 126 or any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B3	Physics	PHYS 102 & 130, 121 & 131, 126 & 131, or PHYS 141, or any 200 level PHYS or higher	
	COM-B4	Biology	BISC 101, 102, GEOG 215 or any 200 level BISC or higher	
	COM-B5	Computer Programming	EASC 305 Any 100 level CMPT or higher (Must have programming content)	
	COM-B6	Statistics	STAT 101, 201, 270, GEOG 251	
Group: 2A – Compulsory Geoscience – 11-GEOCOM- Compulsory (All 4 Subjects Required – NO MORE THAN ONE COURSE IN EACH SUBJECT)				
	COM-A1	Mineralogy & Petrology	EASC 202	
	COM-A2	Sedimentation & Stratigraphy	EASC 201	
	COM-A3	Structural Geology	EASC 204	
	COM-A4*	Field Techniques	GEOG 310, EASC 206 & 306, EASC 308, 406	
*Applicants can choose to report work experience in lieu of taking a field techniques course offered by a post-secondary institution. Instructions can be found here: COM-A4-Field-Techniques-Instructions-for-Reporting-Experience-Updated-April-2023.pdf.aspx (egbc.ca)				

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	Group: 2B – Foundation Geology – 11-GL – (5 Required)			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Must have at least one course in each group, and • Maximum of two courses in each group 			
Group A	FGL-A1	Geophysics	EASC 207	
	FGL-A2	Geochemistry	EASC 208, GEOG 316	
Group B	FGL-A3	Igneous Petrology	EASC 301	
	FGL-A4	Metamorphic Petrology	EASC 301, 311	
	FGL-A5	Sedimentary Petrology	EASC 302	
Group C	FGL-A6	Sedimentology	EASC 402	
	FGL-A7 *Only <u>one</u> can be selected	Glacial Geology or Geomorphology	GEOG 213, 317, 412, EASC 403	
	FGL-A8	Remote Sensing or GIS	GEOG 253, 353	

[Group 2C – Electives on next page]

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Group: 2C – Other Geology – 11-GL – Electives (9 Required)				
Multiple courses can be entered in each subject for only this section				
Communication	GL-C1	Thesis	GEOG 491, EASC 499	
	GL-C2	Technical Writing	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Earth Systems	GL-C3	Climatology	GEOG 214, GEOG 314, GEOG 414	
	GL-C4	Meteorology	CHEM 372	
	GL-C5	Oceanography	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C6	Earth Systems	EASC 405	
Environmental	GL-C7	Hydrogeology	EASC 304, 405, 410, 415	
	GL-C8	Hydrology	GEOG 311, 411	
	GL-C9	Environmental Geology	EASC 209, 303	
	GL-C10	Limnogeology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C11	Biogeochemistry	GEOG 316	
Field Techniques	GL-C12	Field Techniques	GEOG 310, EASC 206 & 306, EASC 308. 406, 416	
Geochemistry	GL-C13	Exploration Geochemistry	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C14	Environmental Geochemistry	EASC 208, GEOG 316, CHEM 371	
	GL-C15	Isotope Geochemistry	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C16	Aqueous Geochemistry	EASC 315, 412, 416 CHEM 371	

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Geomorphology	GL-C17	Quaternary Geology	GEOG 412, EASC 314, 403	
	GL-C18	Pedology	GEOG 317, 417	
	GL-C19	Geomorphology	GEOG 213, 313, 412, 413, EASC 209, 411	
Geophysics	GL-C20	Physics of the Earth	EASC 317	
	GL-C21	Exploration Geophysics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C22	Applied Geophysics	EASC 307	
	GL-C23	Environmental Geophysics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Geotechnical	GL-C24	Natural Hazards	GEOG 312, EASC 313	
	GL-C25	Engineering Geology	EASC 413	
	GL-C26	Soil Mechanics	EASC 313	
	GL-C27	Rock Mechanics	EASC 313	
Mineralogy	GL-C28	Crystallography	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C29	X-Ray Crystallography	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C30	Optical Mineralogy	EASC 205	
	GL-C31	Analytical Methods	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Paleontology	GL-C32	Micropaleontology	EASC 310	
	GL-C33	Palynology	BISC 434	
	GL-C34	Paleobiology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Petrology	GL-C35	Igneous Petrology	EASC 301	
	GL-C36	Volcanology	EASC 421	
	GL-C37	Metamorphic Petrology	EASC 311	
	GL-C38	Sedimentary Petrology	EASC 302	

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Quantitative Analysis	GL-C39	Geostatistics	GEOG 352, GEOG 451	
	GL-C40	Computer Applications in Geoscience	GEOG 351, 356, 451, 457, REM 412, EASC 305	
	GL-C41	Geographic Information Systems	GEOG 255, 355	
Regional Geology	GL-C42	Geology of Canada	EASC 408	
	GL-C43	Geology of North America	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Remote Sensing	GL-C44	Air Photo Interpretation	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C45	Remote Sensing	GEOG 253, 353, 453	
Resource Geology	GL-C46	Economic Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C47	Mineral Deposits	EASC 401	
	GL-C48	Ore Petrology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C49	Coal Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C50	Petroleum Geology	EASC 420	
	GL-C51	Industrial Materials	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Sedimentology	GL-C52	Chemical Sedimentology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C53	Clastic Sedimentology	EASC 402	
	GL-C54	Carbonate Sedimentology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C55	Glacial Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Stratigraphy	GL-C56	Historical Geology	EASC 210	
	GL-C57	Sequence Stratigraphy	EASC 312	
	GL-C58	Stratigraphic Paleontology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C59	Geochronology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	

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Structure	GL-C60	Global Tectonics	EASC 309	
	GL-C61	Tectonics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C62	Structural Geology	EASC 404	