



ENGINEERS &  
GEOSCIENTISTS  
BRITISH COLUMBIA

# University of British Columbia (Okanagan)

## Geology Course Equivalent Listing

(Updated July 2024)

### 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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User ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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	Number	Subject	UBC-Okanagan	For Applicant Use
<b>Group: 1A – Compulsory Foundation Science – 11-GEOCOM- Fundamental Science (All 3 Required)</b>				
	FS-A1	Calculus (1 semester)	MATH 100	
	FS-A2	Physics (1 semester)	PHYS 111 or PHYS 112	
	FS-A3	Chemistry (1 semester)	CHEM 111 or CHEM 121	
<b>Group: 1B – Additional Foundation Science – 11-GEOCOM- Electives (6 Required – NO MORE THAN TWO COURSES IN ANY ONE SUBJECT)</b>				
	COM-B1	Mathematics	MATH 101, 103, and any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B2	Chemistry	CHEM 113 or CHEM 123 and any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B3	Physics	PHYS 121 or PHYS 122; and any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B4	Biology	BIOL 116, BIOL 125 and any 200 level or higher	
	COM-B5	Computer Programming	COSC 111, COSC 121 and any 200 level courses or higher, DATA 101	
	COM-B6	Statistics	STAT 121, 230, BIOL 202, GEOG 271, PSYO 271, SOCI 271; and/or any STAT 200 level courses and higher	
<b>Group: 2A – Compulsory Geoscience – 11-GEOCOM - Compulsory (All 4 Subjects Required – NO MORE THAN ONE COURSE IN EACH SUBJECT)</b>				
	COM-A1	Mineralogy & Petrology	EESc 200	
	COM-A2	Sedimentation & Stratigraphy	EESc 356/GEOG 356	
	COM-A3	Structural Geology	EESc 325	
	COM-A4*	Field Techniques	EESc 335, 390, 435, 437, GEOG 416, 437	
<p>*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:  <a href="https://www.egbc.ca/COM-A4-Field-Techniques-Instructions-for-Reporting-Experience-Updated-April-2023.pdf.aspx">COM-A4-Field-Techniques-Instructions-for-Reporting-Experience-Updated-April-2023.pdf.aspx</a> (egbc.ca)</p>				

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<b>Group: 2B – Foundation Geology – 11-GL – Compulsory (5 Required)</b>				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Must have at least one course in each section, and</b></li> <li>• <b>Maximum of two courses in each section</b></li> </ul>				
Section A	FGL-A1	Geophysics	EESc 350	
	FGL-A2	Geochemistry	EESc 323, 309, 423	
Section B	FGL-A3	Igneous Petrology	EESc 322	
	FGL-A4	Metamorphic Petrology	EESc 322	
	FGL-A5	Sedimentary Petrology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
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Section C	FGL-A6	Sedimentology	EESc 434	
	FGL-A7 <small>*Only <u>one</u> can be selected</small>	Glacial Geology or Geomorphology	EESc 222, 431, GEOG 222	
	FGL-A8	Remote Sensing or GIS	GEOG 272, GISC 380, 381	

[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	EESc, 448, 449, GEOG 498	
	GL-C2	Technical Writing	ENGL 301. EESc 398, APSC 201	
Earth Systems	GL-C3	Climatology	EESc 212, 304; GEOG 200, 304, 414	
	GL-C4	Meteorology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C5	Oceanography	EESc 303	
	GL-C6	Earth Systems	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Environmental	GL-C7	Hydrogeology	EESc 342	
	GL-C8	Hydrology	EESc 205, 305, 313, 413, 402, GEOG205	
	GL-C9	Environmental Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C10	Limnogeology	EESc 301/BIOL 307	
	GL-C11	Biogeochemistry	EESc 309	
Field Techniques	GL-C12	Field Techniques	EESc 335, 390, 435, 437, GEOG 416, 437	
Geochemistry	GL-C13	Exploration Geochemistry	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C14	Environmental Geochemistry	EESc 333	
	GL-C15	Isotope Geochemistry	EESc 423	
	GL-C16	Aqueous Geochemistry	CHEM 301	

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Geomorphology	GL-C17	Quaternary Geology	EESc 431	
	GL-C18	Pedology	EESc 456/GEOG 466	
	GL-C19	Geomorphology	EESc 422, 435, 436, GEOG 436	
Geophysics	GL-C20	Physics of the Earth	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C21	Exploration Geophysics	EESc 350	
	GL-C22	Applied Geophysics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C23	Environmental Geophysics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Geotechnical	GL-C24	Natural Hazards	GEOG 316, 416	
	GL-C25	Engineering Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C26	Soil Mechanics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C27	Rock Mechanics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Mineralogy	GL-C28	Crystallography	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C29	X-Ray Crystallography	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C30	Optical Mineralogy	EESc 201	
	GL-C31	Analytical Methods	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Paleontology	GL-C32	Micropaleontology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C33	Palynology	EESC 341	
	GL-C34	Paleobiology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Petrology	GL-C35	Igneous Petrology	EESc 322	
	GL-C36	Volcanology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C37	Metamorphic Petrology	EESc 322	
	GL-C38	Sedimentary Petrology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	

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Quantitative Analysis	GL-C39	Geostatistics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C40	Computer Applications in Geoscience	EESc 444, Biol 444, DATA 301	
	GL-C41	Geographic Information Systems	GEOG 370, 380, 381 EESC 380, 381, GISC 380, 381, 480	
Regional Geology	GL-C42	Geology of Canada	NO EQUIVALENT	
	GL-C43	Geology of North America	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Remote Sensing	GL-C44	Air Photo Interpretation	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C45	Remote Sensing	GEOG 272	
Resource Geology	GL-C46	Economic Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C47	Mineral Deposits	EESc 360	
	GL-C48	Ore Petrology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C49	Coal Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C50	Petroleum Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C51	Industrial Materials	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Sedimentology	GL-C52	Chemical Sedimentology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C53	Clastic Sedimentology	EESc 434	
	GL-C54	Carbonate Sedimentology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C55	Glacial Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
Stratigraphy	GL-C56	Historical Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C57	Sequence Stratigraphy	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C58	Stratigraphic Paleontology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C59	Geochronology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	

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Structure	GL-C60	Global Tectonics	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	
	GL-C61	Tectonics	EESc 425	
	GL-C62	Structural Geology	NO EQUIVALENT COURSE	