

## B.S. in Applied Physics (Optics Emphasis) 2023-2024: Option 1 - CWILT

FIRST YEAR					
Fall (odd)	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (even)	Credits
PHY 292 & PHY 292D	4	GES 125 Introduction to the Creative Arts	4	PHY 296 & PHY 297	4
General Physics I and General Physics I Lab	4			General Physics II and General Physics II Lab	4
MAT 124M1 Calculus 1	3			GES 130 Christianity Western Culture	2
BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible	3			GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing	4
GES 160 Inquiry Seminar	3			MAT 125 Calculus 2	4
	<b>14</b>		<b>4</b>		<b>14</b>
SECOND YEAR					
Fall (even)	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (odd)	Credits
PHY 302 & PHY 303	4	World Cultures (U) course	3	PHY 312 & PHY 313	4
Electronics and Electronics Lab	3			Modern Physics and Modern Physics Lab	4
COS 205 Scientific Computing	3			PHY 352 & PHY 353	3
MAT 223 Multivariable Calculus	3			Computer Methods in Physics and Engineering and Computer Methods in Physics and Engineering Lab	3
PHY 260 Careers in Engineering and Physics Seminar	1			MAT 222 Differential Equations	3
Second Language (S) course *1	4			Contemporary Western Life and Thought (L) course	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>3</b>		<b>14</b>
THIRD YEAR					
Fall (odd)	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (even)	Credits
PHY 320 Mathematical Methods in Physics and CHE 113 & CHE 113D	4	Science, Technology, and Society (K) course	3	PHY 365 Physics Research Seminar	1
General Chemistry I and General Chemistry I Lab	4			CHE 214 CHE 215	4
PHY 400 Electricity and Magnetism	3			General Chemistry II and General Chemistry II Lab	4
THE 201 Christian Theology	3			PHY 332 & PHY 333	3
				Optics and Optics Lab	3
				Comparative Systems (G) course	3
				Interpreting Biblical themes (J) course	3
	<b>15</b>		<b>3</b>		<b>15</b>
FOURTH YEAR					
Fall (even)	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (odd)	Credits
PHY 440 Quantum Mechanics	4			PHY 432 & PHY 433	4
PHY 340 Mechanics	4			Laser Fundamentals	4
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3			PHY 490 Research	4
Elective	4			Elective	4
Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3			Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3
	<b>15-18</b>		<b>0</b>		<b>12-15</b>
<b>Total Credits 124-130</b>					<b>27</b>
					<b>124</b>

\*1. Students must complete through the second semester of a first year language course or equivalent (Check the catalog for details of this option.)

This program assumes a student will use [MAT 124M](#) and [PHY 292/PHY 292D](#) to meet the General Education Mathematics (M) course and Laboratory Science (D) course requirements.

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## B.S. in Applied Physics (Optics Emphasis) 2023-2024: Option 2 - Humanities

FIRST YEAR					
	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (even)	Credits
Fall (odd)					
PHY 292 & PHY 292D	4	GES 147 Humanities II: Renaissance and Reformation	4	PHY 296 & PHY 297	4
General Physics I and General Physics I Lab				General Physics II and General Physics II Lab	
MAT 124M1 Calculus 1	4			GES 244 Humanities III: European Enlightenment and American Culture to 1877	4
BIB 101 Introduction to the Bible	3			GES 140 Introduction to Wellbeing	2
GES 145 Humanities I: Greco-Roman through Middle	4			MAT 125 Calculus 2	4
	<b>15</b>		<b>4</b>		<b>14</b>
SECOND YEAR					
	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (odd)	Credits
Fall (even)					
PHY 302 & PHY 303	4	World Cultures (U) course	3	PHY 312 & PHY 313	4
Electronics and Electronics Lab				Modern Physics and Modern Physics Lab	
GES 246 Humanities IV: Modern and Contemporary Western Culture	4			PHY 352 & PHY 353	4
COS 205 Scientific Computing	3			Computer Methods in Physics and Engineering and Computer Methods in Physics and Engineering Lab	
MAT 223 Multivariable Calculus	3			MAT 222 Differential Equations	3
PHY 260 Careers in Engineering and Physics Seminar	1			Second Language (S) course *1	4
	<b>15</b>		<b>3</b>		<b>15</b>
THIRD YEAR					
	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (even)	Credits
Fall (odd)					
PHY 320 Mathematical Methods in Physics and CHE 113 & CHE 113D	4	Science, Technology, and Society (K) course	3	PHY 365 Physics Research Seminar	1
General Chemistry I and General Chemistry I Lab				CHE 214 CHE 215	4
PHY 400 Electricity and Magnetism	4			General Chemistry II and General Chemistry II Lab	
				PHY 332 & PHY 333	4
				Optics and Optics Lab	
				Comparative Systems (G) course	3
				Interpreting Biblical themes (J) course	3
	<b>12</b>		<b>3</b>		<b>15</b>
FOURTH YEAR					
	Credits	January Session	Credits	Spring (odd)	Credits
Fall (even)					
PHY 440 Quantum Mechanics	4			PHY 432 & PHY 433	4
PHY 340 Mechanics	4			Laser Fundamentals	
Contemporary Christian Issues (P) course	3			PHY 490 Research	4
Elective	3			Elective	4
Cross-Cultural Experience (Z) course	0-3			Artistic Experience (A) course	0-3
	<b>14-17</b>		<b>0</b>		<b>12-15</b>
<b>Total Credits 122-128</b>					<b>26</b>
					<b>122</b>

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