Biology Academic Honors Guidelines

Approved February 2018: Biology Honors projects may take the form of one or more of the following. In all cases, the project should involve at least 20 to 25 hours of additional work.

Writing a paper of at least 10 pages, using peer-reviewed journal articles, on a topic related to the course subject content.

Completing an additional lab experiment for a lab class covering a topic related to the course subject content, including a 2-3 page write up of the experiment.

Conducting original research on a topic related to the course subject content, to be presented in a format approved by the instructor.

Making a class presentation of at least 30 minutes on a topic related to the course subject content that requires considerable research and preparation, including a 2-3 page summary of the material covered.

Any other learning experience approved by the instructor and the Chair of the Department.