

# GEOSCIENCES MINOR

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Department website (<https://www.uwp.edu/learn/programs/geosciencesminor.cfm>)

College: College of Natural & Health Sciences

The geosciences minor offers students who are majoring in other academic disciplines, either in science or non-science areas, the opportunity to acquire an appreciation and basic knowledge of geosciences. This may enhance and add flexibility regarding career opportunities.

## Requirements for the Geosciences Minor

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
GEOS 101	Introductory Geology (or acceptable substitute)	3
GEOS 102	Origin and History of the Earth	3
GEOS 104	Introductory Geology Laboratory	2
GEOS 200	Minerals and Rocks	4
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Select six additional geosciences credits; three of the six credits must be upper level (300/400).		6
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>18</b>

## University Requirements for Minors

Course work in the minor must be completed with the minimum GPA as specified by the department or program under which the minor falls, usually a 2.00 on a 4.00 scale, but higher in some programs. Transfer students must attain the minimum specified GPA on a combination of transfer credits accepted toward the minor and credits attempted at UW-Parkside.

At least half of the course work required for a minor must be completed at UW-Parkside.