

Science Course Progression

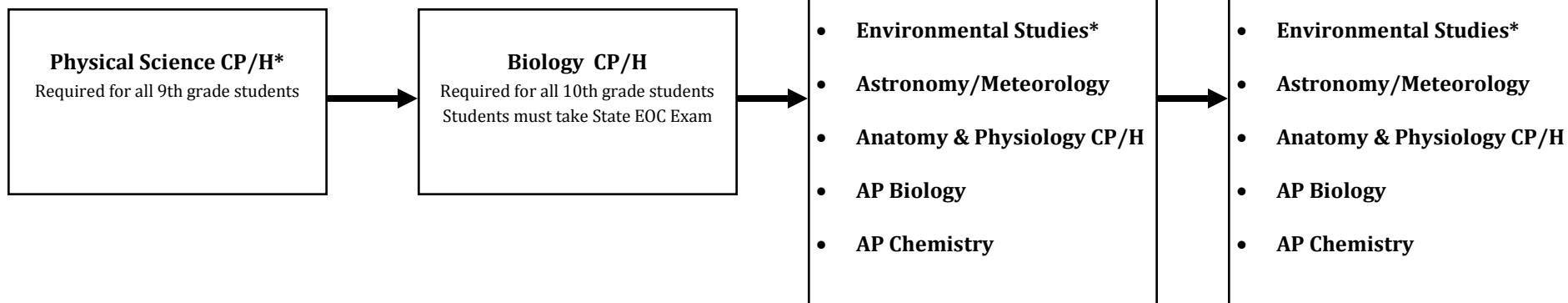
9th Grade

10th Grade

11th Grade

12th Grade

* = Does not count as a lab science



Prerequisites for each course can be found in the Curriculum Planning Guide.

SC Commission on Higher Education (CHE) Prerequisites for Direct Enrollment in a SC 4-Year College or University:

Two units must be taken in two different fields of the physical or life sciences and selected from among biology, chemistry, or physics. The third unit may be from the same field as one of the first two units (biology, chemistry, or physics) or from any laboratory science for which biology and/or chemistry is a prerequisite. Courses in earth science, general physical science, or introductory or general environmental science for which biology and/or chemistry is not a prerequisite will not meet this requirement.

It is strongly recommended that students take physical science as a prerequisite to the three required units of laboratory science outlined in this section. It is also strongly recommended that students desiring to pursue careers in science, mathematics, engineering or technology take one course in all three fields.