# ANIMAL BEHAVIOR MINOR

The Animal Behavior Minor is designed for students who want to concentrate on animal behavior as a topic of study. This minor is open to any student from any major, except ABEC.

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### Required Courses

Select 12 credits from the following:

- ABEC 217 Connecting ABEC to the Wider World
- ABEC 220 Animal Learning
- & 220L Animal Learning Lab
- ABEC 303 Shelter Behavior
- ABEC 305 Assessing Animals
- ABEC 332 Animal Welfare
- ABEC 333 Conservation Behavior
- ABEC 339 Animal Enrichment
- ABEC 340 Research Methods in Animal Behavior
- ABEC 360 Observational Research Methods
- ABEC 363 Dog Evolution, Behavior and Cognition
- ABEC 370 Animal Cognition
- ABEC 404 Wildlife Ecology and Conservation in Africa
- ABEC 491 Internship 1 (Animal Behavior based)
- ABEC 492 Internship 2 (Animal Behavior based)
- ABEC 495 Independent Research (Animal Behavior Project) \(^1\)
- BIO 312 Primatology
- BIO 317 Sex, Evolution and Behavior
- BIO 366 Ornithology
  or BIO 166 Biology of Birds

**Total Credits**: 18

\(^1\) May be taken with permission of the program director.

Please note, to receive a minor, a student must complete at least 9 credit hours of coursework distinct from their other credentials (i.e., majors, other minors). Please note that “ancillary/supporting” courses required for a major may still count as distinct courses as long as the remaining coursework still meets the 30 credit-hours required for a major.