

**Nebraska Wesleyan University**  
Catalog 2017-2018

Major:

## Physics (B.S.)

The Bachelor of Science degree is designed for those students pursuing employment or further education in physics or engineering

### Departments/Programs:

Physics, Astronomy, and Computer Science

### Physics Major (B.S., 33 hours)

Courses	26 hours
PHYS 1600 Principles of Physics I or PHYS 2000 General Physics I	4 hours
PHYS 1700 Principles of Physics II or PHYS 2100 General Physics II	4 hours
PHYS 2200 Electronic Measurements	4 hours
PHYS 2400 Introduction to Modern Physics	4 hours
PHYS 3000 Mechanics or PHYS 3100 Electromagnetism and Optics	4 hours
PHYS 3800 Advanced Laboratory	2 hours
PHYS 4000 Quantum Mechanics or PHYS 4100 Thermal and Statistical Physics	4 hours
<b>Physics Electives</b>	<b>5 hours</b>
Physics electives must be taken from PHYS 1600 Principles of Physics I or above.	
<b>Capstone</b>	<b>2 hours</b>
PHYS 4950 Independent Study	2 hours
<b>Required Supporting Program</b>	<b>25 hours</b>
An approved supporting program of 25 hours from the Natural and Health Sciences Division is required, possibly including one or more minors or a second major.	