

Environmental Science & Sustainability, B.S.

NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE CONCENTRATION -
College of Arts & Sciences

General Education Curriculum (GEC) Requirements "At - a - Glance"

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- d. Eng 100, 101 _____

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- b. Eco 100, Phi 151, 152, Psy 100, Soc 100 _____
- c. Eng 121 _____
- d. Art 103, 108, 120, 121, 221, 231, 235, 246, 247,
251, 261, Eng 211 _____
- e. Art 107, 211, 212, Art/Eng 116, Eng 151 _____

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- d. Chy 111, 112, 122, 221, 222, Env 110, 120, 125, 130, 201,
301, 302, 308, Gey 112, 114, Phy 153, 154 _____
- e. Bio 105, 112, 113, 261, Chy 111, 112, 122,
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4. Information Literacy

- a. Fys 100 _____
- b. Eng 121 _____
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5. Global Consciousness & Intercultural Awareness

- a. Ant 100, 110, Geo 100, 101, Soc 100, Swk 305, Wab 110,
Wst 101 _____
- b. Hty 115, 116, 161, 162, 184 _____
- c. Asl 101, Chi 101, 102, Fre 101, 102, 201, 202, Rus 101, 102
Spa 101, 102, Wab 100, 105 _____
- d. Phi 151, 152, Pos 211, Swk 202 _____
- e. Pos 101, 211, 332 _____

CORE COURSES – 10 CREDIT HOURS

Env 110 Introduction to Environmental Science	3
Mat 201 Probability and Statistics I	3
Env 308 GIS I: Fundamentals of GIS	4

NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES– 26 CREDIT HOURS MINIMUM

Select a minimum of 26 credit hours from the following courses:

Bio 112 General Biology I	4
Bio 113 General Biology II	4
Bio 171 Principles of Wildlife Management	3
Bio 309 Plant Biology	4
Bio 310 Ornithology	4
Bio 316 General Microbiology	4
Bio 360 Vertebrate Biology	4
Bio 410 Advanced Topics in Ecology	4
Bio 445 Invertebrate Zoology	4
Chy 111 General Chemistry I	4
Chy 112 Intermediate Chemistry OR	
Chy 122 General Chemistry II	4
Ecy 355 General Ecology	4
Env 210 Soil Science	4
Env 213 Environmental Geology	3
Env 305 Environmental Chemistry	4
Gey 112 Fundamentals of Geology	4
Gey 114 Historical Geology: History of Life	3
Gey 115 Historical Geology: Earth History & Plate Tectonics	3
Gey 212 Marine Geology	3
Gey 322 Paleontology	4
Gey 353 Surficial Geology	4
Gey 354 Bedrock Geology	4

ENERGY AND CLIMATE CHANGE – 12 CREDIT HOURS

Select FOUR of the following courses for a total of 12 credit hours:

Env 125 Introduction to Energy	3
Env 130 Renewable Energy Resources	3
Env 201 Fossil Fuels	3
Env 301 Climate Change	3
Env 302 Climate Change and Biodiversity	3

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SOCIETY AND THE ENVIRONMENT – 12 CREDIT HOURS

Select **FOUR** of the following courses for a total of 12 credit hours:

Ant 100 Introduction to Anthropology	3
Ant 200 Archaeology	3
Eco 207 Macro & Micro Economics	3
Hty 350 U.S. Environmental History	3
Pos 310 Energy Law & Policy	3
Pos 320 Energy Project Development	3

PRACTICAL LEARNING EXPERIENCE – 3 CREDIT HOURS MINIMUM

Select at least **ONE** of the following (as approved by student's advisor):

Ant 377 Archaeology Field School	3-6
Env 408 GIS II: Applications & Advanced Spatial Analysis (GIS II)	4
Env 397 or 497 Independent Study	3
Env 495 Internship (approved by advisor)	4
Sci 480 Research Methods in Science	3

*Course also meets GEC requirement

SELECT GENERAL ELECTIVES TO BRING TOTAL EARNED HOURS TO 120

Total credits required for degree: 120

Minimum cumulative GPA for graduation: 2.00

Cumulative GPA in the major and concentration: 2.25