Four-Year Degree Plan for Major in Environmental Science

Note that this is a sample four-year plan. There are other course sequences that will allow a student to graduate within four years as long as prerequisite courses are taken in the proper sequence. This sample plan does not guarantee course availability, and adjustments to students' plans may be necessary if they are unable to take specific courses during specific semesters. Students who are placed into lower level AWR, MAT or other prerequisite courses will need to adjust their four-year plans accordingly. Similarly, students who bring in Advanced Placement, Dual Enrollment or transfer credit for courses will need to adjust their four-year plans. A minimum of a 2.0 GPA both overall and in the major is required for graduation. In addition to major requirements, all components of the Baccalaureate Experience must be completed in order to successfully graduate. A student must earn a minimum of 124 credit hours to qualify for the Bachelor of Science degree in Environmental Science.

Degree Requirements First (Freshman) Year - Fall Se

| First (Freshma | an) Year - Fall Semester | |
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| BIO 198 | General Biology I | 3 |
| BIO 198L | General Biology I Lab | 1 |
| CHE 152 | General Chemistry I | 3 |
| CHE 153L | General Chemistry I Laboratory | 1 |
| AWR 101 | Writing and Inquiry | 4 |
| BAC 101 | First-Year Seminar I | 1 |
| | or | |
| HON 101 | Pathways to Honors 1 | 1 |
| MAT 170 | Precalculus | 4 |
| | Subtota | l: 17 |
| First (Freshma | an) Year - Spring Semester | |
| BIO 199 | General Biology II | 3 |
| BIO 199L | General Biology II Laboratory | 1 |
| CHE 154 | General Chemistry II | 3 |
| CHE 155L | General Chemistry II Laboratory | 1 |
| MAT 260 | Calculus I | 4 |
| | Humanities / Fine Arts or Social | 4 |
| | Science (Bacc. Exp.) | |
| BAC 102 or | BAC 102 or Pathways to Honors 2 | 1 |
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Subtotal: 17

| Second (Sopho | omore) Year - Fall Semester | | |
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| BIO 200 | General Genetics | | 4 |
| | or | | |
| BIO 201 | Molecular Genetics | | 4 |
| BIO | Category II Course | | 3-4 |
| MAT 201 | Introduction to Statistics | | 4 |
| | or | | |
| BIO 230 | Experimental Design | and | 4 |
| | Biostatistics | | |
| CHE 310 | Analytical Chemistry | | 4 |
| AWR 201 | Writing and Research | | 4 |
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| MAT 201 | Introduction to Statistics | | 4 |
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| | or | | |
| BIO 230 | Experimental Design and Biosta | tistics | 4 |
| CHE 180 | Environmental Chemistry | | 3 |
| | General / Collateral elective | | 4 |
| | Humanities/Fine Arts or S | Social | 4 |
| | Science (Bacc. Exp.) | | |
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| Third (Junio | or) Year - Fall Semester | | |
| BIO | Category II course | | 4 |
| | Humanities/Fine Arts or | Social | 4 |
| | Science (Bacc. Exp.) | | |
| WRI 281 | Technical Writing | | 4 |
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| Third (Junio | or) Year - Spring Semester | | |
| BIO | Category III course | | 4 |
| | General / Collateral elective | | 4 |
| | General / Collateral elective | | 4 |
| | Humanities / Fine Arts or S | Social | 4 |
| | Science (Bacc. Exp.) | | |
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