ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, EMPHASIS

Environmental Science, Emphasis

- General Education Course

Code

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Course Requirements

Title

The Core Curriculum is designed to foster critical thinking skills and introduce students to basic domains of thinking that transcend disciplines. The Core applies to all majors. Information on specific classes in the Core can be found at https://www.marshall.edu/gened/.

		Hours		
Core Curriculum				
Core 1: Critical Thi	inking			
FYS 100	First Yr Sem Critical Thinking	3		
NRE 120 💎	Discussions in Envrion Science	3		
NRE 220 💎	Human Dimensions of Nat Res	3		
Core 2				
ENG 101 💎 🖻	Beginning Composition	3		
ENG 201 💎	Advanced Composition	3		
CMM 103 < ↑	Fund Speech-Communication	3		
MTH 140 💎 🎓	Applied Calculus	3		
Core II Humanitie	es	3		
Core II Social Scie	ence	3		
Core II Fine Arts		3		
BSC 120 ♠ ► & BSC 120L ♠	Principles of Biology I and Principles of Biology I Lab (Core II Physical Nat Science)	4		
Additional Univers	ity Requirements			
Writing Intensive		3		
Writing Intensive		3		
Multicultural or Ir	nternational	3		
Capstone		3		
NRE 470 💎	ES Internship			
or NRE 491	ES Senior Capstone			
Major-Specific				
CIT 150	Spreadsheet and Database Apps	3		
MTH 140 💎 🖻	Applied Calculus	3		
NRE 120 💎	Discussions in Envrion Science (CT)	3		
NRE 220 💎	Human Dimensions of Nat Res (CT)	3		
CHM 211 💎	Principles of Chemistry I	3		
CHM 217 < ○	Principles of Chem Lab I	2		

CHM 212 ←	Principles Chemistry II	3
CHM 218 <₩	Principles of Chem Lab II	2
NRE 425	Water Policy and Regulations	3
NRRM 200	Analytical Methods: Statistics	4
NRE 323 庵	Assessment II: Aquatic Ecology	4
NRE 423 🞓	GIS and Data Systems	3
NRE 470 💎	ES Internship (Senior Project)	3
or NRE 491	ES Senior Capstone	
NRE 490	ES/NRRM Capstone Prep	3
Area of Emphas	is-Specific	
BSC 120 💎 🎓	Principles of Biology I	4
& BSC 120L 💎	and Principles of Biology I Lab	
BSC 121 💎	Principles of Biology II	4
& BSC 121L 💎	and Prin of Biology II Lab	
PHY 201 💎	College Physics I	3
PHY 202 💎 🖻	General Physics I Laboratory	1
PHY 203 💎	College Physics II	3
PHY 204 💎	General Physics 2 Laboratory	1
BSC 320	Principles of Ecology	4
NRE 212	Energy	3
NRE 322	Assess I: Terrestrial Systems	4
GLY 200 💎	The Dynamic Earth	3
GLY 210L 💎	Earth Materials Lab	1
Major Elective		4
Major Elective		3
Free Elective		3
Free Elective		3

Major Information

Credit

- In addition to the Core General Education requirements, the College of Science requires 3 hours of Calculus, 8 additional hours of Natural or Physical Science, and 40 hours of upper level credit.
- Coursework listed as "elective" may vary for each student. Students are encouraged to use elective hours toward a 2nd minor or toward prerequisites.
- Students are strongly encouraged to select courses that meet two or more Core or College requirements. For example, a writing intensive literature course could satisfy the Core II Humanities requirement as well as the university writing intensive requirement.
- Course offerings and course attributes are subject to change each semester. Please consult each semester's schedule of courses for availability and attributes.
- Math is based on an ACT Mathematics score of 27 or higher.
 Students with an ACT Mathematics score less than 27 will be placed in the appropriate mathematics and science courses.
- Electives: In consultation with the COS advisors, students will select electives from the College of Science offerings best suited

to prepare students to apply for professional credentials as a certified ecologist, certified wildlife biologist, or certified fisheries professional. Once a student has satisfied all of the requirements for one of these certifications, he or she should select additional electives in consultation with NRE/COS advisers to reach the 120 credit hours required for graduation. Additional electives may be used to satisfy general education requirements (e.g., writing intensive) and/or to fulfill the requirements of a second major, minor, or certificate.

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Semester Plan

First Year			
First Semester		Credit	
CIT 150	Spreadsheet and Database Apps	Hours 3	
NRE 120 💎	Discussions in Envrion Science	3	
MTH 140 🐢 🎏	Applied Calculus	3	
ENG 101 🐢 🎏	Beginning Composition	3	
FYS 100	First Yr Sem Critical Thinking	3	
UNI 100	Freshman First Class	1	
	Credit Hours	16	
Second Semeste	er		
ENG 201 💎	Advanced Composition	3	
BSC 120 💎 🏲 & BSC 120L 💎	Principles of Biology I and Principles of Biology I Lab	4	
GLY 200 💎	The Dynamic Earth	3	
GLY 210L 💎	Earth Materials Lab	1	
NRE 220 💎	Human Dimensions of Nat Res (CT)	3	
	Credit Hours	14	
Second Year			
First Semester			
CHM 211 < ↑	Principles of Chemistry I	3	
CHM 217 < ↑	Principles of Chem Lab I	2	
NRE 212	Energy	3	
Core II Fine Arts		3	
Core II Social Sci	ence (MC/I)	3	
	Credit Hours	14	
Second Semeste			
BSC 121 💎 & BSC 121L 💎	Principles of Biology II and Prin of Biology II Lab	4	
CHM 212 ♠	Principles Chemistry II	3	
CHM 218 < ○	Principles of Chem Lab II	2	
NRRM 200	Analytical Methods: Statistics	4	
Core II Humanities (WI)			

Credit Hours

16

Third Year First Semester

	Total Credit Hours	120
	Credit Hours	12
Free Elective		3
Major Elective		3
Major Elective		3
or NRE 491	or ES Senior Capstone	
Second Semester	Credit Hours er ES Internship (Senior Project)	17
Major Elective		4
Major Elective		3
Major Elective		3
BSC 320	Principles of Ecology	4
NRE 425	Water Policy and Regulations	3
First Semester		
Fourth Year	Credit Mours	17
Writing Intensive	Credit Hours	3 17
CMM 103 Writing Intensive	Fund Speech-Communication	3
PHY 204 💎	General Physics 2 Laboratory	1
PHY 203	College Physics II	3
NRE 322	Assess I: Terrestrial Systems	4
NRE 490	ES/NRRM Capstone Prep	3
Second Semeste		2
	Credit Hours	14
Free Elective		3
PHY 202 🐢 🎓	General Physics I Laboratory	1
PHY 201 💎	College Physics I	3
NRE 423 🞓	GIS and Data Systems	3
NRE 323 🞓	Assessment II: Aquatic Ecology	4
First Semester		