



This graduation plan illustrates the type of curriculum a new student would take to complete a degree in four years. **It is not meant to serve as an official document.** Students should contact their academic adviser or the CNR Student Success Center if they need assistance developing a personalized plan of study. Refer to the University Catalog for a complete list of requirements: <https://catalog.uwsp.edu/>.

Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
English 101 (WC)	3	Wildlife 100: Profession & Preparation (Sp)	1
Biology 110: Principles of Biology I (NSC)	5	Chemistry 105: Fundamental Chemistry (NSC)	5
Nat. Res. 150: People, Resources & the Biosphere (SS) (ER)	3	Nat. Res. 151: Ecological Basis for Nat. Res. Management (CT)	3
* Historical Perspective (HP) (USD)	3	+Communication 101 (CT)	3
Wellness (WLN)	1-2	*Arts (ART) (GA)	3
NRES 1: CNR Freshman Orientation (Fa)	S/U		
Total credits		Total credits	
15-16		15	
Semester 3	Credits	+Semester 4	Credits
English 202 (WC)	3	Math 111: Applied Calculus (QL)	4
Biology 111: Principles of Biology II (NSC)	5	* Humanities (HU) (Phil 380 or 360 recommended)	3
Nat. Res. 250: Intro. to Fisheries, Forestry & Wildlife	4	Nat. Res. 251: Intro. to Soil & Water Resources	4
Math 255: Elem. Statistics (QL)	4	Econ 110: Principles of Macroeconomics (SS) or Nat. Res. 372: Resource Economics (SS)	3
Total Credits		Total credits	
16		14	

+Formal admittance to CNR after completion of approximately 45 credits and a 2.50 cumulative GPA.

Summer Term - Field Techniques in Nat. Res: Forestry 319, 320; NRES 405; Soils 359, 360; Water 380; Wildlife 340 (7 cr.) or NRES 475 (8 cr.) (Su)

Semester 5	Credits	Semester 6	Credits
Wildlife 311: Quant. Methods in Wildlife Res. & Mgmt.	3	Wildlife 350: Wildlife Management Techniques	3
Wildlife 353: Analysis of Wildlife Populations (Fa)	4	Physical Science Directed Elective (See Catalog)	3-4
Written Communication Directed Elective (See Catalog)	3	Nat. Res. 301 or 320 or 368 or Communication 180	3
Water 391: GIS Application in Natural Resources or	3	Biology 377: Ornithology (Sp) or 376: Herpetology (Sp of even years) or Wildlife 378: Mammalogy (Fa)	3
Geography 341: Geographic Information Systems I		Directed Elective in Biology/Wildlife/Water (See Catalog)	3
Total credits		Total credits	
13		15-16	

2.50 GPA in major required for graduation (and a 2.0 cumulative).

Apply for graduation one semester before you plan to graduate.

Semester 7	Credits	Semester 8	Credits
Wildlife 450: Human Dimensions of Wildlife	3	Wildlife 458: Wildlife Ecology & Conservation Biology	3
Wildlife 451: Mgt. of Wildlife Habitat (Capstone)	4	Directed Elective in Biology/Wildlife/Water (See Catalog)	2-4
Additional Taxonomy Elective (See Catalog)	2-3	Directed Elective in Biology/Wildlife/Water (See Catalog)	3
Forestry 232: Dendrology and Silvics (Fa) or Biology 342: Vascular Plant Taxonomy	4	Bio 381: Animal Physiology or Biology 370: Comparative Vertebrate Anatomy (Sp)	4
Total credits		Total credits	
13-14		12-14	

(Fa) = fall semesters only (Sp) = spring semesters only (Su) = summer semesters only (Note: Class terms are subject to change.)

General Education Program (GEP) category abbreviations: Written Communication (WC), Critical Thinking (CT), Quantitative Literacy (QL), Wellness (WLN), Arts (ART), Humanities (HU), Social Sciences (SS), Natural Sciences (NSC), Environmental Responsibility (ER), U.S. Diveristy (USD), Global Awareness (GA).

*Some courses may be able to satisfy two GEP requirements. Review course catalog for complete degree requirements.

+Not required, but highly recommended.