

Sample Graduation Plan

Total credits

13

Environmental Education and Interpretation (BS) Wildlife Education Option

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 and your individual plan may be slightly different from this.** 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
BIO 101: General Biology (or Bio 110 and 111) (NSC)	5	ENGL 101: Academic Reading and Writing (WC)	3
NRES 150: People, Resources and the Biosphere (SS) (ER)	3	NRES 151: Ecological Basis for Natural Resources Mgt (CT)	3
*Arts and Global Awareness (ART) (GA)	3	CHEM 101: Basic Chemistry or 105: Fundamental Chemistry	5
Wellness (WLN)	1-2	(NSC) or PHYS 101: General Physics (NSC)	
NRES 101: Natural Resources First Year Seminar (Fa)	1	*Historical Perspective and US Diversity (HP) (USD)	3

Total credits	13-14	Total credits	14
Semester 3	Credits	Semester 4+	Credits
NRES 250: Intro to Fisheries, Forestry and Wildlife Resources	s 4	NRES 251: Introduction to Soil and Water Resources	4
MATH 255: Elementary Statistical Methods (QL) or	4	NRES 389: Methods in Social Science	3
FOR 321: Natural Resources Data Analysis (QL)		BIO 305: General Ecology	3
GEOG 100: Human Impacts on Physical Environment or	3	PHIL 380: Environmental Ethics or 360: Animal Ethics (Sp)	3
105: The Dynamic Earth (NSC)		(HU) (Recommended) or NRES 441: Climate Change	
ENGL 202: Academic Writing and Research (WC)	3	Implications, Policies, and Solutions	

+Formal admittance to CNR after completion of approximately 45 credits and a 2.00 GPA in major.

Summer Term - Summer Field Experience: FOR 319, FOR 320, NRES 405, SOIL 359, SOIL 360, WATR 380, and WLDL 340 (7 cr.) or NRES 475 (8 cr.) (Su)

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Semester 5	Credits	Semester 6	Credits
*** NRES 301: Foundations of Environmental Ed. I (Fa)	3	** NRES 369: Interpretive Media (Sp)	4
*** NRES 302: Foundations of Environmental Ed. II (Fa)	1	WLDL 372: Wildlife of North America (Sp)	3
** NRES 368: Oral Interpretation Methods	3	NRES 320: Natural Resources Communication and Public	3
NRES 305: Inclusive Practices for Outdoor Professionals	2	Relations or COMM 101: Oral Communication	
Flora Elective (See Catalog)	3-4	NRES 374: Environmental Interpretation Practicum or NRES	3-4
Fauna Elective (See Catalog)	2-4	376: Environmental Education Practicum	
		Fauna Elective (See Catalog)	3-4
Total credits	14-17	Total credits	16-17

Summer Term – Internship, or Other Elective Experience in the Fall/Spring 2.25 *GPA in major required for graduation (and a 2.0 cumulative GPA)*

Apply for graduation one semester before you plan to graduate.

Semester 7	Credits	Semester 8	Credits
NRES 375: Advanced Interpretive Media	1	NRES 478: Environmental Issues, Investigation and Action (Sp)	3
NRES 374: Environmental Interpretation Practicum or	4	NRES 379: Advanced Environmental Education Practicum or	4
NRES 376: Environmental Education Practicum		other Elective Experience (See Catalog)	
NRES 458: Biodiversity and Conservation Biology (Fa)	3	Elective or minor course	3
NRES 383: Organizational Leadership or NRES 386:	3	Elective or minor Course	3
Conservation Law Enforcement Leadership and		Elective or minor course	3
Management (Fa)			
Elective or minor Course	3		
Total credits	14-15	Total credits	16

(Fa) = offered fall semesters only (Sp) = offered spring semesters only (Su) = offered summer term 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. Diversity (USD), Global Awareness (GA).

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

^{**} It is highly recommended that these courses are taken in the sequence suggested above.

^{***}Concurrent registration recommended.