

2+2 Degree Plan Checklist Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences BS in Environmental Science (Biology)



Pulaski Technical College Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences¹

Possible P	rerequisites		Semester	Hours	Grade
DEVE	0314	Reading Improvement		N/C	
DEVE	0316	College Reading		N/C	
DEVE	0322	English Skills		N/C	
DEVE	0324	English Composition Fundamentals		N/C	
DEVE	0334	Pre-Algebra Skills		N/C	
DEVE	0336	Elementary Algebra		N/C	
DEVE	0338	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Co	mmunication	ns (9 credit hours)	UCA ²	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1311	English Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1312	English Composition II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1300	Speech Communication	COMM 1300		3	
Mathemat	ics (3 credit h	nours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade

MATH	1302	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	
Sciences (8 c	redit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1401	Biological Science with Lab	BIOL 1440		4	
CHEM	1405	General Chemistry I	CHEM 1450		4	

Literature (3	credit hou	rs)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	2337	World Literature from the Beginning to 1650 or	ENGL 2305		2	
ENGL	2338	World Literature from 1650 to the Present	ENGL 2306		3	
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Humanities (3 credit ho	urs)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ARTS	2300	Introduction to Visual Arts or	ART 2300			
MUSC	2300	Introduction to Music or	MUS 2300		2	
PHIL	1310	Introduction to Philosophy or	PHIL 1301		3	
THEA	2300	Introduction to Theatre	THEA 2300			

History/Gove	ernment (3	credit hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
POLS	1310	American National Government	PSCI 1330		3	

Social Scie	nce (6 credi	t hours)	UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
GEOG	1310	Physical Geography or	GEOG 1315			
GEOG	2310	Cultural Geography or	GEOG 1320			
HIST	1311	History of Civilization I or	HIST 1310		6	
HIST	1312	History of Civilization II or	HIST 1320		6	
PSYC	2300	Psychology and the Human Experience or	PSYC 1300			
SOCI	2300	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 1300			

Environmental Science Foundation (25 credit hours)³

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	2402	General Botany ³			4	
BIOL	2404	General Ecology	BIOL 3403		4	
BIOL	2405	General Zoology ³			4	
CHEM	1406	General Chemistry II	CHEM 1451		4	
MATH	2320	Introduction to Statistics and Probability	MATH 2311		3	
PHYS	1400	Earth Science	GEOG 1400		4	
		General Elective			2	

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

Environmental Science Core (18 hours) Semester Hours		Grade		
GEOG	3301	Conservation of Natural Resources	3	
ENVR	3410	Environmental Theory and Application	4	
ENVR	4410	Environmental Practicum	4	
MATH	1491	Applied Calculus for Life Sciences or	4	
MATH	1496	Calculus I	4	
PSCI	3320	Environmental Policy and Regulation	3	

Biology Core	(8 hours)		Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	2490	Genetics		4	
CHEM	2401	Organic Chemistry I		4	

Major Electives	(31 hours)	Semester	Hours	Grade
	Biology Track Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
	Biology Track Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
	Biology Track Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
	Biology Track Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		3	
	Taxonomic Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
	Taxonomic Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
	Theory Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	
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General Electives (3 hours)	Semester	Hours	Grade
Upper-Division Core Requirement		3	

Total Hours: 120⁶

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¹ See your PTC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² UCA transfer course designations are either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or have been approved as a substitution by UCA. Unless otherwise noted, courses for which no UCA equivalent course is listed would transfer in as elective credit.

³ UCA will accept both BIOL 2402 and BIOL 2405 as a substitute for BIOL 1441 – Principles of Biology II.

⁴ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core requirements and will be admitted to the BS in Environmental Science (Biology) degree program as a junior.

⁵ For more specific information about degree requirements within the junior and senior years at UCA, please review the UCA Undergraduate Bulletin (http://uca.edu/ubulletin) and consult your UCA academic advisor.

⁶ This degree program requires a total of <u>120</u> semester credit hours, including at least 40 upper-division credit hours.