



2+2 Degree Plan
Associate of Science in Environmental Science
BS in Environmental Science (Biology)



Arkansas State University – Beebe¹
Associate of Science in Environmental Science²

Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
UNIV	1003	Principles of Academic Success (required if registering for a remedial course)		(3)	
ENG	0013	Precollege Literacy		N/C	
ENG	0023	College Literacy (taken with ENG 1003 – Freshman English I)		N/C	
MATH	0013	Foundations of Algebra I		N/C	
MATH	0112	Review for College Algebra (taken with MATH 1023 – College Algebra)		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Communication (12 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1003	Freshman English I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENG	1013	Freshman English II	WRTG 1320		3	
SPCH	1203	Oral Communications	COMM 1300		3	
ENG	2003	World Literature I or	ENGL 2305		3	
ENG	2013	World Literature II	ENGL 2306			

Mathematics (3 credit hours) ⁴			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1023	College Algebra ⁴	MATH 1390		3	

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1014	Principles of Biology	BIOL 1440		4	
CHEM	1014	General Chemistry I	CHEM 1450		4	

Fine Arts (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	2503	Fine Arts – Visual or	ART 2300		3	
MUS	2503	Fine Arts – Musical or	MUS 2300			
THEA	2503	Fine Arts – Theatre or (or other ASES Fine Arts)	THEA 2300			

Social Sciences (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
POSC	2103	Introduction to United States Government	PSCI 1330		3	
HIST	1013	World Civilization to 1660 or	HIST 1310		3	
HIST	1023	World Civilization since 1660	HIST 1320			

Social or Behavioral Science Elective (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
GEOG	2613	Introduction to Geography	GEOG 1305		3	

Environmental Science Core (25 credit hours)⁵

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BOT	1104	General Botany ⁵			4	
CHEM	1024	General Chemistry II	CHEM 1451		4	
MATH	1033	Plane Trigonometry	MATH 1392		3	
MATH	2205	Calculus I	MATH 1496		5	
PHSC	1304	Earth Science	GEOG 1400		4	
ZOOL	1204	Principles of Zoology ⁵			4	
		<i>ASES Approved Elective</i>			1	

Total Hours: 60⁶



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁷

Environmental Science Core (17 hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
GEOG	3301	Conservation of Natural Resources (UD Core: R)		3	
ENVR	3410	Environmental Theory and Application (UD Core: C, D)		4	
ENVR	4410	Environmental Practicum (UD Core: Z)		4	
MATH	2311	Statistical Methods I		3	
PSCI	3320	Environmental Policy (UD Core: I, R)		3	

Biology Core (12 hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	2490	Genetics		4	
BIOL	3403	General Ecology		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	
		Theory Elective (From Approved List – See Major Advisor)		4	

Total Hours: 120⁸

¹ Please see your ASUB advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at ASUB, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the academic year of re-enrollment.

³ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

⁴ Any student who has already earned College Algebra (MATH 1023) credit is encouraged to start in Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1033).

⁵ UCA will accept both BOT 1104 and ZOO 1204 as a substitute for BIOL 1441 – Principles of Biology II.

⁶ Students completing the AS in Environmental Science degree requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core and will be admitted to the BS in Environmental Science (Biology) degree program as a junior.

⁷ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁸ This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at ASUB and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).