

## BS: Applied Biology: Environmental Biology

*The Environmental Biology concentration of Applied Biology focuses on courses in biology, chemistry, geology and math to prepare students for careers related to sustaining the environment and wildlife protection. Students select a "tool" in GIS, Commerce, Data Intelligence or Forensic Investigation and earn numerous certifications.*

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### Plan Recommendation Chart

	Hours	Course Number or Related Information
<b>Perspectives Area: Formal Reasoning and Communication</b>	<b>9</b>	
Mathematics and Formal Reasoning	3	STA261 Statistics or MTH151 Calculus
English Composition	3	ENG 111 English Composition or ENG 109
Advanced Writing	3	Choice
<b>Perspectives Area: Science and Society</b>	<b>15-16</b>	
Social Sciences #1	3	ECO201 Microeconomics or POL241 American Political system
Social Sciences #2	3	Choice
Natural Science #1	4	BIO115 Biological Concepts
Lab	2	CHM144 College Chemistry Lab
Natural Science #2	3-4	CHM141 College Chemistry
<b>Perspectives Area: Arts and Humanities</b>	<b>6</b>	
Creative Arts	3	Choice
Humanities	3	Choice
<b>Perspectives Area: Global Citizenship</b>	<b>12</b>	
Diversity, Equity & Inclusion	3	Choice
Intercultural Consciousness	3	Choice
Global Inquiry	3	Choice
Intercultural or Global	3	Choice – any Miami Plan Global Inquiry <b>OR</b> Intercultural Consciousness
<b>Signature Inquiry</b>	<b>9</b>	
Signature Inquiry #1	3	Choice (GLG307 The Water Planet recommended)
Signature Inquiry #2	3	Choice
Signature Inquiry #3	3	Choice
<b>Knowledge in Action</b>	<b>3+</b>	
Senior Capstone	3	Choice – see faculty advisor
Experiential Learning	0+	Choice (Internship recommended)

# 2024-25 Applied Biology-Environmental Plan of Study

## Year One

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
<b>ENG111</b> College Composition	3	<b>BIO116</b> Bio Concepts: Structure, Function, Cell	4
<b>BIO115</b> Bio Concepts: Eco, Evo, Genetics	4	<b>STA261</b> Statistics or <b>MTH151</b> Calculus	4
<b>GLG121</b> Environmental Geology	3	<b>ECO201</b> Microeconomics or <b>POL241</b> American Political System	3
<b>PA</b> Creative Arts	3	<b>GLG115L</b> Understanding the Earth	1
<b>PA</b> Humanities	3	<b>SI</b> Signature Inquiry or <b>ELECTIVE</b>	3
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<b>Total</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

## Year Two

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
<b>BIO206</b> Evolutionary Biology	3	<b>BIO209</b> Fundamentals of Ecology	3
<b>CHM141/R</b> College Chemistry I	3-4	<b>BSC292</b> Applied Bio Sophomore Seminar	1
<b>CHM144</b> College Chemistry Lab I	2	<b>CHM142</b> College Chemistry II	3
<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3	<b>CHM145</b> College Chemistry Lab II	2
<b>PA</b> Global Citizenship	3	<b>PA</b> Global Citizenship	3
		<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>14-15</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>

## Year Three

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
<b>MAJOR</b> select 3 from <b>BIO205</b> , <b>311</b> , <b>312</b> , <b>314</b> or <b>BSC313</b>	4	<b>MAJOR</b> select 3 from <b>BIO205</b> , <b>311</b> , <b>312</b> , <b>314</b> or <b>BSC313</b>	4
<b>MAJOR</b> Professional Course	3	<b>BIO342</b> Genetics	3
<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3	<b>GLG244</b> Oceanography or <b>GLG307</b> Water & Society	3
<b>PA</b> Global Citizenship	3	<b>PA</b> Global Citizenship	3
<b>PA</b> Advanced Writing	3	<b>PA</b> Social Science	3
		<b>KNOWLEDGE IN ACTION</b> Internship or <b>BSC321</b>	0-3
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>16-19</b>

## Year Four

Fall Semester	Hours	Spring Semester	Hours
<b>MAJOR</b> select 3 from <b>BIO205</b> , <b>311</b> , <b>312</b> , <b>314</b> or <b>BSC313</b>	4	<b>BSC492</b> Applied Bio Senior Seminar	1
<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3	<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3
<b>MAJOR</b> Professional Course ( <b>BSC415</b> or <b>BSC475</b> recommended)	3	<b>CAPSTONE</b> (if not completed by Professional Course) or <b>ELECTIVE</b>	3
<b>SI</b> Signature Inquiry or <b>ELECTIVE</b>	3	<b>MAJOR</b> Tool Course	3
<b>ELECTIVE</b>	3	<b>SI</b> Signature Inquiry or <b>ELECTIVE</b>	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>13</b>

There is a minimum of 124 hours required to graduate

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