

This worksheet is for **PLANNING PURPOSES ONLY** and does not replace your CAPP report once you have declared your program. In the event of any discrepancy, your CAPP report and the academic calendar will be considered the authority.

Biology Major (BSc), Environmental Studies Minor

Faculty of Science, Department of Biology and School of Environmental Studies

Year 1

Course requirement	Units	Taken
BIOL 184 or BIOL 190B	1.5	
BIOL 186 or BIOL 190A	1.5	
CHEM 101	1.5	
CHEM 102	1.5	
ES 200 (B- minimum)	1.5	
MATH 100, 102 *, or 109	1.5	
MATH 101 or 151	1.5	
PHYS 102A, 110, or 120	1.5	
PHYS 102B, 111, or 130	1.5	
Approved AWR course (or elective)	1.5	

Year 2

Course requirement	Units	Taken
BIOL 299, 300A, or 300B*	1.5	
BIOL 215	1.5	
BIOL 225	1.5	
BIOL 230	1.5	
CHEM 231	1.5	
CHEM 234	1.5	
ES 240	1.5	
STAT 255 or 260	1.5	
Science courses (any level)*	1.5	
Elective (any level)	1.5	

Years 3 & 4

Course requirement	Units	Taken
BIOL 355	1.5	
Two of BIOL 307, 309...449*	3.0	
BIOL or MRNE courses (300/400-level)* Consult Biology course descriptions for program requirement exclusions	10.5	
ES 301	1.5	
ES 321	1.5	
ES 341	1.5	
ES courses (300/400-level)*	4.5	
Science course (any level)*	3.0	
Electives (any level)	3.0	
Total units required for degree	60.0	

This worksheet is based on the **May 2025** calendar.
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PROGRAM & COURSE NOTES

Course requirements with an asterisk (*) have associated details; consult the program entry in the [Academic Calendar](#) for more information. It is your responsibility to ensure you are informed about all supplemental information related to courses, as they apply to your program, including prerequisites.

FACULTY & UNIVERSITY REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the listed courses, you must satisfy all [requirements for the Faculty of Science](#), as well as complete at least 30 of the minimum 60 required units at UVic. Within these 60 units, 21 units must be upper-level (300/400-level) courses, and 18 of those 21 units must be taken at UVic.

ACADEMIC WRITING REQUIREMENT

If you have not already satisfied UVic's [Academic Writing Requirement \(AWR\)](#), you will need to complete one of ATWP 135, ENSH 101, ENSH 102, ENSH 103, ATWP 110, or another approved course. Some programs require these courses in addition to the AWR.

DECLARING YOUR PROGRAM

Students are normally expected to request to declare their academic program at the end of first year.

Declared students have access to a CAPP report for tracking graduation requirements.