

Bachelor of Science

Major in Earth and Environmental Sciences

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Assumed Knowledge
Recommended Studies

For astronomy and astrophysics, mathematics, statistical data science and physics majors: HSC Mathematics Advanced (Band 4), or equivalent. If you haven't met the required minimum level of achievement (Band 4 or equivalent), you can undertake an alternative introductory unit of study in that area.

HSC Mathematics Advanced or equivalent, at least 2 units of science. For astronomy and astrophysics, and physics majors: HSC Physics. For mathematics major: HSC Mathematics Extension 1 (Band E2) or HSC Mathematics Extension 2, or equivalent.

CORE ZONE

Essential units = Each unit is 10 credit points.				
Capstone unit = 10 credit points				
FOSE3000	Making Science Work for You and Society: Capstone			
Essential units = 20 credit points				
FOSE1000	Becoming a Scientist			
FOSE2000	The Science Practitioner			
Statistics Elective units = 10 credit points				
Complete 10 credit points from the following units				
STAT1103	Introduction to Psychological Design and Statistics			
STAT1170	Introductory Statistics			
STAT1371	Statistical Data Analysis			

Data and Computing Elective units = 10 credit points

Complete 10 credit points from the following options.

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- Students enrolling in Astronomy, Physics, Mathematics or Statistical Data Science majors must enrol in FOSE1030. Student enrolling in Biology, Biotechnology, Chemistry, Human Biology, Earth and Environmental Sciences, and Physiological Sciences major must enrol in FOSE1025. Students enrolling in double majors that requires both FOSE1025 and FOSE1030 can complete the other Data & Computing unit not selected below in the Other Science 20 credit points option set.
- Scientific Computing FOSE1025
- Introduction to Python Programming FOSE1030

Other Science Elective units = 20 credit points

20 credit points from ASTR, BIOL, CHEM, EESC, ENVS, MATH, PHYS, PSYU, STAT, BMOL, MOLS, FOSE units at 1000 or 2000 level

Elective unit = 10 credit points

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PACE: In Earth and Environmental Sciences EESC3000

MOLS3002 PACE: Engaging the Community in Science

MAJOR

Major requirements = 80 credit points			
Essential units = 60 credit points			
Complete all of the following units			
EESC1150	Planet Earth		
ENVS1017	The Living Environment		
ENVS2364	Introduction to Geographic Information Science and Remote Sensing		
ENVS2266	Earth Surface Processes		
EESC2150	Mass extinctions and the hidden history of Earth		
ENVS3383	Environmental Analysis Using Remote Sensing and GIS		
Elective Units = 20 credit points			
Complete 20 credit points from the following units			
ENVS3238	Environmental Quality and Assessment		
ENVS3240	Environmental Change		
ENVS3241	Active Environments		
ENVS3102	Urban Climate and Air Quality		
ENVS3439	Fluvial Geomorphology and River Management		

FLEXIBLE ZONE

Flexible Zone = 80 credit points

You can use your flexible zone to enrol in any Undergraduate unit for which you meet the requisites. You may also use your flexible zone to complete a second major or minor(s)