

## Program Information Report

## Science, Computer Technology, Engineering &amp; Math

**Environmental Science (ASENVS)****Associate in Science Degree**

Program Effective Term: Fall 2020

**High Demand Occupation High Skill Occupation High Wage Occupation**

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**Articulation:**

Siena Heights University, BS degree.

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<b>First Semester</b>		<b>(14 credits)</b>
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
Elective	MTH 160 or any math level 4 or higher course	4
Elective	Writing Elective(s)	3-4
<b>Second Semester</b>		<b>(14 credits)</b>
BIO 161	General Biology I Ecology and Evolution	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
Elective	Speech/Comp. Elective(s)	3
Elective	Arts/Human. Elective(s)#	3
<b>Third Semester</b>		<b>(16 credits)</b>
CEM 111	General Chemistry I**	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s)***	3
Elective	Arts/Human. Elective(s)#	3
Elective	Choose an elective	3
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		<b>(16 credits)</b>
GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
ENV 174 or	ENV Co-op Education I	
ENV 199	ENV Internship Education	1-3
Elective	Restricted Elective(s): BIO 162, CEM 122, PHY 111, or MTH 169 or higher math course.	4
Elective	Electives to reach a minimum of 60 credits.	8
<b>Minimum Credits Required for the Program:</b>		<b>60</b>

**Notes:**

#Recommended Arts and Humanities courses: ENG 181, ENG 214, HUM 146, HUM 175 or PHL 205.

\*\*The prerequisite for this course may include a higher math level than those used in the program. See an advisor for assistance.

\*\*\*Recommended Social Science courses: ANT 201, ECO 110, ECO 211, HST 123, HST 150, HST 235, HST 270, PLS 112, SOC 100, SOC 205 or SOC 207.

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**Minimum Concentration Credits Required for the Program:****60**

Complete the Environmental Science concentration.

**Environmental Science Concentrations****Environmental Science (ENV1) (60 credits)****First Semester (14 credits)**

ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
Elective	MTH 160 or any math level 4 or higher course	4
Elective	Writing Elective(s)	3-4

**Second Semester (14 credits)**

BIO 161	General Biology I Ecology and Evolution	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
Elective	Speech/Comp. Elective(s)	3
Elective	Arts/Human. Elective(s)#	3

**Third Semester (16 credits)**

CEM 111	General Chemistry I**	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
Elective	Soc. Sci. Elective(s)***	3
Elective	Arts/Human. Elective(s)#	3
Elective	Choose an elective	3

**Fourth Semester (16 credits)**

GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
ENV 174 or	ENV Co-op Education I	
ENV 199	ENV Internship Education	1-3
Elective	Restricted elective(s): BIO 162, CEM 122, PHY 111, or MTH 169 or higher math course.	4
Elective	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.	8

**Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 60****Minimum Credits Required for the Program:****60****Notes:**

#Recommended Arts and Humanities courses: ENG 181, ENG 214, HUM 146, HUM 175, PHL 205 or PHL 240.

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\*\*\*Recommended Social Science courses: ANT 201, ECO 110, ECO 211, HST 123, HST 150, HST 235, HST 270, PLS 112, SOC 100,

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*SOC 205 or SOC 207.*

PROGRAM CHANGE OR DISCONTINUATION FORM

Program Code: Program Name: ASENUS ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

Effective Term: FALL 2019

Division Code: MSE Department: PHYS SCI

**Directions:**

1. Attach the current program listing from the WCC catalog or Web site and indicate any changes to be made.
2. Draw lines through any text that should be deleted and write in additions. Extensive narrative changes can be included on a separate sheet.
3. Check the boxes below for each type of change being proposed. Changes to courses, discontinuing a course, or adding new courses as part of the proposed program change, must be approved separately using a Master Syllabus form, but should be submitted at the same time as the program change form.

**Requested Changes:**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Review   | <input type="checkbox"/> Program admission requirements                           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove course(s): <u>CIS 100, BIO 162</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing eligibility requirements                      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add course(s): <u>BIO 161</u>             | <input type="checkbox"/> Program outcomes   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program title (title was _____)                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Accreditation information                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Description  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Discontinuation <u>of concentration: ENVA</u> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Type of award  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Advisors                                  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Articulation information                             |   |

Show all changes on the attached page from the catalog.

**Rationale for proposed changes or discontinuation:**

Please see attached.

**Financial/staffing/equipment/space implications:**

**List departments that have been consulted regarding their use of this program.**

PHYSICAL SCIENCE

**Signatures:**

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	SMITA MALPANI	<i>Smita Malpani</i>	11 Jan 2019
Department Chair	Suzanne Albach	<i>Suzanne Albach</i>	16 Jan 2019
Division Dean/Administrator	Wishia Good	<i>Wishia Good</i>	1.17.19
Please submit completed form to the Office of Curriculum and Assessment (SC 257). Once reviewed by the appropriate faculty committees we will secure the signature of the VPI and President.			
Vice President for Instruction	Kimberly Hurns	<i>Kimberly Hurns</i>	2/11/2019

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**PROGRAM CHANGE OR DISCONTINUATION FORM**

**Program Code:** ASENV5, **Program Name:** Environmental Science  
 ENV1 and ENV2

**Effective Term:** Fall 2018

**Division Code:** MSET **Department:** Physical Science

**Directions:**

1. Attach the current program listing from the WCC catalog or Web site and indicate any changes to be made.
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**Requested Changes:**

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Review   | <input type="checkbox"/> Program admission requirements   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Remove course(s): _____  | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing eligibility requirements  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add course(s): <b>ENV 199: ENV Internship Education</b> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Program outcomes  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program title (title was _____)                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Accreditation information  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Description  | <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinuation (attach program discontinuation plan that includes transition of students and timetable for phasing out courses) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Type of award  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisors   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Articulation information   |   |

Show all changes on the attached page from the catalog.

**Rationale for proposed changes or discontinuation:**

**1. Course Addition (please see attached catalog pages):**

ENV 199 was added to allow students to complete this new course, or ENV 174, to graduate without need for graduation substitution forms. ENV 174 is "ENV Co-op Education I" (which is a paid work experience) and ENV 199 is ENV Internship Education (an unpaid work experience). This addition allows students to have this noted on their transcripts which can benefit them in job, college and scholarship applications. Also, the addition of this class will allow us to assess the success of the work experience course (and the proposed ENV program outcome).


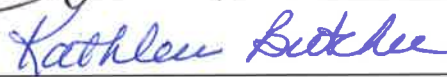
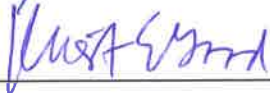


**2. Program Outcome Change (please see attached "Existing ASENV5 Program Outcomes" as well as the "Program Assessment Planning Form" for revised outcomes):**

- a. Adding the outcome "Research and apply environmental science theories and concepts to describe complex issues connected to an environmental science challenge" will allow us to have a direct measure for program assessment, using student data from a departmentally-developed rubric (using the ENV 105 research paper, which is required for all program students). Prior to this addition, the existing outcomes only consisted indirect measures of assessment.
- b. Adding the outcome "Participate in a co-op or internship work experience with an environmentally-related business or organization." provides another direct measurement of assessment, using a departmentally-developed rubric (using the student's work experience summary paper, which is required for all program students). The addition of this outcome allows us to directly measure the success of our program using data from our capstone courses, ENV 174 and ENV 199.
- c. Existing outcomes #2 and #3 proved hard to assess during the Fall 2017 assessment of this program because transfer data and graduate responses were extremely limited. Also, not all students planned to continue on to a four-year college, so the existing outcome #2 was not an accurate measure of the success of the program. Instead, data can be gathered and included for students that do transfer through data obtained by WCC Institutional Research and Clearinghouse.

Financial/staffing/equipment/space implications:  
None

List departments that have been consulted regarding their use of this program.  
None

Signatures:

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	Suzanne M. Albach		4/23/18
Department Chair	Kathleen Beckhu		4/23/18
Division Dean/Administrator			4/24/18
Vice President for Instruction	Kimberly Hurns		7/23/18

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2018-19 Catalog Listing of ENV Program Course Requirements  
 \*ENV 199 Course Addition\*

^ Environmental Science (ENV1)

First Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
CIS 100	Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>15</b>

Second Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

Third Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
Elective(s)	Social and Behavioral Science 2**	3
	Select from COM 101, COM 102, COM 210 or COM 225***	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>16</b>

Fourth Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1 - 3
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits. #	11
<b>Total</b>		<b>15 - 17</b>

Here, we need to add that students can take either ENV 174 or ENV 199 (ENV Internship Education). A footnote should be added to alert students that they will need instructor permission to enroll and they should contact their advisor.

Total Credits Required: 60 - 62

Footnotes

\*The prerequisite for this course may include a higher math level than those used in the program. See an advisor for assistance.

\*\*Recommended MTA approved social science courses: SOC 100, ECO 211, ECO 222 or PLS 112.

\*\*\*COM 225 is recommended especially for students transferring to EMU.

#Please see program advisor for help in choosing elective credits. Students transferring to EMU in the Environmental Science program should select GLG 276.

◀ Environmental Science and Society (ENV2)

First Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
<u>ENG 111</u>	Composition I	4
<u>GLG 100</u>	Introduction to Earth Science	4
<u>SOC 100</u>	Principles of Sociology	3
<u>CIS 100</u>	Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

Second Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
<u>BIO 162</u>	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
<u>ENG 226</u>	Composition II	3
<u>ENV 101</u>	Environmental Science I	4
<u>GEO 101</u>	World Regional Geography	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

Third Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
<u>CEM 111</u>	General Chemistry I *	4
<u>ENV 105</u>	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
<u>MTH 160</u>	Basic Statistics	4
<u>PHL 205</u>	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits. #	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>17</b>

Fourth Semester

Class	Title	Minimum Credits
<u>ENV 174</u>	ENV Co-op Education I	1 - 3
	Select from COM 101, COM 102, CO	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits	11
<b>Total</b>		<b>15 - 17</b>

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PROGRAM ASSESSMENT PLANNING FORM

Program to be assessed:

Title: Environmental Science  
 Division: Math, Science and Engineering Technology Department: Physical Science  
 Program Code: ASENVS, ENV1 and ENV2

Type of Award:  A.A.  A.S.  A.A.S.  
 Cert.  Adv. Cert.  Post-Assoc. Cert.  Cert. of Completion

Assessment plan:

Learning outcomes to be assessed	Assessment tool	When assessment will take place	Describe population to be assessed	Number of students to be assessed
1. Research and apply environmental science theories and concepts to describe an environmental science challenge.	ENV 105 Research Paper	Fall 2021, and every three years thereafter.	All	All
2. Apply classroom knowledge to real world employment with an environmentally-minded business or organization.	ENV174/ENV 199 Summary Paper	Fall 2021, and every three years thereafter.	All	All
3. Transfer and perform successfully at a four-year college in a related program.	Transfer data from WCC Institutional Research	Fall 2021, and every three years thereafter.	All	All

Scoring and analysis of assessment:

- 1. Indicate how the above assessment(s) will be scored and evaluated (e.g. departmentally developed rubric, external evaluation, other). Attach the rubric/scoring guide.**

#1: Assessment will be scored by a departmentally-developed rubric (see attached ENV 105 Research Paper Rubric).

#2: Assessment will be scored by a departmentally-developed rubric (see attached ENV 174/ENV 199 Grading Rubric).

#3: Transfer data is generated by WCC's Institutional Research Department.
- 2. Indicate the standard of success to be used for this assessment.**

#1 and #2: The standard of success to be used for this assessment: 75% of the students will score a 75% or better.

#3: 60% of the students that transfer to EMU will demonstrate success (earn a grade of "C" or better) in related courses in the science area.
- 3. Indicate who will score and analyze the data (data must be blind-scored).**

All: Environmental science faculty will score and analyze the data for all outcomes.

Submitted by:

Name: Suzanne M. Albach / Suzanne M. Albach Date: 4/23/2018  
Print/Signature  
 Dept. Chair: Kathleen Buckner Date: 4/23/2018  
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 Dean: Justine Date: 4/24/18  
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**WCC General Education Requirements**  
Effective Fall 2018

Associate degree programs were updated to meet the revised WCC general education requirements below.

**Course Distribution Requirements**

Associate degree students must complete courses from each of six General Education content areas. The requirements vary, depending on which degree is being earned. The number of general education credit hours required for each degree is as follows.

	AA	AS	AAS
Writing/Composition	3-4 credits	3-4 credits	3-4 credits
2nd Writing/Composition or Communication	3-4 credits	3 credits	3 credits
Mathematics	3-4 credits	3-4 credits	3-4 credits
Natural Sciences <sup>1</sup>	7-8 credits	7-8 credits	3-4 credits
Social & Behavioral Science <sup>2</sup>	6 credits	6 credits	3 credits
Arts and Humanities <sup>3</sup>	6 credits	6 credits	3 credits
General Education Electives to reach 30 credits	0-2 credits	0-2 credits	N/A
Minimum	30 credits	30 credits	18 credits

<sup>1</sup> Two courses in Natural Science including one with laboratory experience (from two disciplines)

<sup>2</sup> From two disciplines

<sup>3</sup> From two disciplines

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## Transfer and University Parallel Programs

If your goal is to continue your education toward a baccalaureate degree, then transfer and university parallel programs is the track for you. Complete the first two years of study in a supportive environment with small classes and personal attention.

Before beginning any transfer program, a student should consult with an academic advisor or counselor to obtain a program articulation agreement or a transfer guide. Early in the program, the student should contact an undergraduate advisor at the transfer college for specific admission and curriculum requirements and, if available, an unofficial transfer-credit evaluation.

Copies of articulation agreements and transfer guides are available in the Counseling Office on the second floor of the Student Center Building. Computers with access to the Internet Web sites of four-year colleges and universities are also available there.

## Math and Science

Learn more about math or science through this associate degree program.

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#### Minimum Concentration Credits Required for the Program:

60

Complete a concentration: Environmental Science or Environmental Science and Society.

#### Environmental Science Concentrations

Environmental Science (ENV1)		(60 credits)
<b>First Semester</b>		<b>(15 credits)</b>
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
CIS 100	Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3
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GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
	Soc. Sci. Elective(s) 2**	3
	Select from COM 101, COM 102, COM 210 or COM 225***	3
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		<b>(15 credits)</b>
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	11

Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 60

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<b>Environmental Science and Society (ENV2)</b>		<b>(60 credits)</b>
<b>First Semester</b>		<b>(14 credits)</b>
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
SOC 100	Principles of Sociology	3
CIS 100	Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3
<b>Second Semester</b>		<b>(14 credits)</b>
BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
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MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	3
<b>Fourth Semester</b>		<b>(15 credits)</b>
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
	Select from COM 101, COM 102, COM 210 or COM 225***	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	11

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**Minimum Credits Required for the Program: 60**

**Notes:**

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#Please see program advisor for help in choosing elective credits. Students transferring to EMU in the Environmental Science program should select GLG 276.

**WASHTENAW COMMUNITY COLLEGE  
GENERAL EDUCATION REVISION PROGRAM CHANGE FORM  
FOR AA AND AS PROGRAMS 2018-2019**

*Due December 8, 2017*

<b>Program Code: ASENVS, ENV1 and ENV 2</b>	<b>Program Name: Environmental Science</b>
<b>Division Code: Math, Science and Engineering</b>	<b>Department: Physical Science</b>

This form is to be used only for General Education Revision Program Changes for Associate in Arts (AA) and Associate in Science (AS) programs. Any other program changes should be submitted separately using a standard Program Change Form.

**Directions:**

1. Review each general education area under **Requested Changes** below and respond as needed.
2. Attach the semester program layout showing the current program listing from the WCC catalog.
  - a. Indicate any changes to be made on the semester layout.
  - b. Draw a line through any courses that should be removed on the semester layout.
  - c. Write in any courses that need to be added on the semester layout.
3. Submit this form and semester program layout to the Office of Curriculum and Assessment (SC 257).

<b>Current General Education Requirements AA and AS</b>		<b>Revised General Education Requirements 2018-2019 AA and AS</b>	
Writing	6 - 7 credits	English Composition	3 - 4 credits
Speech	3 credits	2 <sup>nd</sup> Course in English Composition or one course in Communication	3 - 4 credits
Mathematics	3 - 4 credits	Mathematics	3 - 4 credits
Natural Sciences	3 - 4 credits	Natural Sciences from 2 disciplines including one lab course	7 - 9 credits
Social & Behavioral Sciences	6 credits	Social & Behavioral Sciences from 2 disciplines	6 credits
Arts & Humanities	6 credits	Arts & Humanities from 2 disciplines	6 credits
Critical Thinking	0 credits	Elective Credits to reach a minimum of 30 credit hours	0 - 3 credits
Computer & Information Literacy	3 credits	Total	30 credits
<b>Total</b>	<b>30 - 33 credits</b>		

Please review each General Education Area in the chart below, and record the needed changes in the chart and on the attached semester layout.

<b>REQUESTED CHANGES</b>	
<b>General Education Area</b>	
	<p><b>English Composition</b> – The requirement for one writing/English composition course remains the same. No changes will be made unless specifically requested below. (Use Writing Elective or ENG 111) Optional Change: <b>No changes—Keep existing “ENG 111” for both tracks.</b></p>
	<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Course in English Composition or one course in Communication</b> WCC previously required both a second composition/writing course and a communication course. Your options are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Allow students to select any course that meets composition/writing or communication (<i>recommended</i>).</li> <li>2. Require students to take a specific composition course (identify course below and on semester layout).</li> <li>3. Require students to take a specific communication course (identify course below and on semester layout).</li> </ol> <p>Requested Change: <b>No changes—Keep existing “ENG 226” for both tracks.</b></p>

<p><b>2<sup>nd</sup> Course in English Composition or one course in Communication Credit Hours</b>          Because of this change, an extra 3 – 4 credit hours may be available in the program. Please specify how you would like to use those credit hours. Your options are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Reduce the number of credit hours if the program total is over 60 (<i>recommended</i>).</li> <li>2. Replace the course with elective credits as needed to reach a minimum of 60 credit hours.</li> <li>3. Add a specific program-related course (<i>please add the course in the semester it should be taken on the semester layout</i>).</li> </ol> <p>Requested Change: <b>Please replace “Speech Elective (3)” with “COM Elective (3)” with a footnote that COM 225: Intercultural Communication is recommended for students transferring to EMU” for both tracks.</b></p>
<p><b>Mathematics</b> – The requirement for one mathematics course remains the same. However, the courses that meet the MTA requirement have changed slightly. MTH 148, 149 and 167 do not meet the general education requirement for AA or AS degrees. Please identify an alternate course or list “Math elective”.</p> <p>Optional Change: <b>No changes—Keep existing “MTH 160” for both tracks.</b></p>
<p><b>Natural Sciences from 2 disciplines including one lab course</b>          WCC previously required one natural science course. Your options are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No change needed – a second natural science course is already included in my program.</li> <li>2. Add a second natural science course in the semester shown on the semester layout attached. Unless specific courses are required, include one course identified as a lab science course.</li> </ol> <p>Requested Change: <b>No changes for either track, plenty of science courses, lab and no lab are required.</b></p>
<p><b>Social &amp; Behavioral Sciences from 2 disciplines</b> – The requirement for two social and behavioral science courses remains the same. No changes will be made unless specifically requested below.</p> <p>Optional Change: <b>No changes—Keep existing “GEO 101” for both tracks. ENV1 already requires and additional 3 credit hour elective in this area, and ENV2 does require a second course in “SOC 100”.</b></p>
<p><b>Arts &amp; Humanities from 2 disciplines</b> – The requirement for two arts and humanities courses remains the same. No changes will be made unless specifically requested below. (Note: A department can designate a COM course as a requirement here. The same course cannot be counted in two areas.)</p> <p>Optional Change: <b>We require two courses in this area for both tracks, “PHL 205” and an elective in this area. I recommend that the wording in the notes be changed to say students can choose any elective in this area, except PHL, so that a second discipline is covered.</b></p>
<p><b>Computer and Information Literacy</b>          The requirement for computer and information literacy has been removed. Your options are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Continue to require a specific computer course. If a specific course is required in your program, we will leave it there. If you previously used “Computer and Information Literacy Course,” you will need to specify either a specific course or a list of courses from which to choose.</li> <li>2. Remove the computer and information literacy course if the program will still meet the minimum of 60 credit hours.</li> <li>3. Remove the computer and information literacy course and replace the course with elective or other credits as needed to meet the minimum of 60 credit hours.</li> </ol> <p>Required Change: <b>Instead of a computer science elective, please change it to a specific course: “CIS 100” for both tracks.</b></p>
<p><b>Elective Credits to reach a minimum of 30 credit hours</b> – A course titled “General Education Credit(s) to Reach a Minimum of 30 Credit Hours” will be created and then added as needed to the program.</p>

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	Suzanne M. Albach	<i>Suzanne M. Albach</i>	12/8/2017
Department Chair			
Division Dean/ Administrator		<i>copy emailed 1/5/18</i>	
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## Revised Semester Layout:

### Environmental Science (ENV1) (60 Credits)

#### First Semester: (15 Credits)

ENG 111 Composition I	4
GLG 114 Physical Geology	4
MTH 160 Basic Statistics	4
CIS 100 Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3

#### Second Semester: (14 Credits)

BIO 162 General Biology II Cells and Molecules Composition	4
ENG 226 Composition II	3
ENV 101 Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101 World Regional Geography	3

#### Third Semester: (16 Credits)

CEM 111 General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105 Introduction to Environment and Society	3
GLG 276 Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
COM Elective^^	3
Soc. Sci. Elective(s)**	3

#### Fourth Semester: (15 Credits)

ENV 174 ENV Co-Op Education, -or-	1
ENV 199 Internship in Env Sci	3
PHL 205 Ethics	3
Arts/Human. Elective(s)	3
Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.***	8

ENV 199 does not exist.

### Environmental Science (ENV2) (60 Credits)

#### First Semester: (14 Credits)

ENG 111 Composition I	4
GLG 100 Introduction to Earth Science	4
SOC 100 Principles of Sociology	3
CIS 100 Introduction to Computer Productivity Apps	3

#### Second Semester: (14 Credits)

BIO 162 General Biology II Cells and Molecules Composition	4
ENG 226 Composition II	3
ENV 101 Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101 World Regional Geography	3

#### Third Semester: (17 Credits)

CEM 111 General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105 Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160 Basic Statistics	4
PHL 205 Ethics	3
Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.***	3

#### Fourth Semester: (15 Credits)

ENV 174 ENV Co-Op Education	1
COM Elective^^	3
Arts/Human. Elective(s)^	3
Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	8

\*The prerequisite for this course may include a higher math level than those used in the program. See advisor for assistance.

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\*\*\*Please see advisor for help in choosing elective credits.

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^^COM 225 Intercultural Communication is recommended, especially for students transferring to EMU.

# Please see advisor for help in choosing elective credits. Students transferring to EMU in the Environmental Science Program should select GLG 276.



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Criminal Justice (AACJ)

Education, Early Childhood (AAECE)

Education, Elementary (AAELEM)

Education, Secondary (AASECO)

Environmental Science (ASENVS)

1. Environmental Science (ENV1)

2. Environmental Science and Society (ENV2)

Exercise Science (ASESCI)

General Studies in Math and Natural Sciences (ASGSMS)

Honors in the Liberal Arts (AAHLA)

Human Services (AAHUST)

Information Systems: Programming in C++ (ASISPC) See School of Information Technology

Liberal Arts Transfer (AALAT)

Math and Science (ASMSAS)

1. Pre-Medicine Concentration (BMED or CMED)

2. Mathematics Concentration (MATH)

3. Physics/Pre-Engineering Concentration (PHYS)

4. Pre-Actuarial Science Concentration (PPAS)

5. Pre-Pharmacy Concentration (PPHA)

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## Program Information Report

**Environmental Science (ASENVS)****Associate in Science Degree**

Program Effective Term: Fall 2015

High Demand Occupation High Skill Occupation High Wage Occupation

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<http://www.wccnet.edu/departments/curriculum/articulation.php?levelone=colleges>**Minimum Concentration Credits Required for the Program:**

60

Complete a concentration: Environmental Science or Environmental Science and Society.

**Environmental Science Concentrations****Environmental Science (ENV1) (60 credits)****First Semester (15 credits)**

ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3

**Second Semester (14 credits)**

BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3

**Third Semester (16 credits)**

CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
	Soc. Sci. Elective(s)**	3
	Speech Elective(s)	3

**Fourth Semester (15 credits)**

ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.***	8

**Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 60****Environmental Science and Society (ENV2) (60 credits)****First Semester (14 credits)**

ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
SOC 100	Principles of Sociology	3
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3

**Second Semester (14 credits)**

BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3

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Third Semester		(17 credits)
CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	3

Fourth Semester		(15 credits)
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)	3
	Speech Elective(s)	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.***	8

Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 60

Minimum Credits Required for the Program: 60

Notes:

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**Program Information Report**

**Environmental Science (ASENVS)**

**Associate in Science Degree**

**Program Effective Term: Fall 2014**

**High Demand Occupation High Skill Occupation High Wage Occupation**

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**Environmental Science Concentrations**

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GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3
<i>Second Semester</i>		<i>(14 credits)</i>
BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
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<i>Third Semester</i>		<i>(16 credits)</i>
CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
GLG 276	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	3
	Soc. Sci. Elective(s)**	3
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<i>Fourth Semester</i>		<i>(15 credits)</i>
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)***	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.****	8

**Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 60**

<i>First Semester</i>		<i>(14 credits)</i>
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
SOC 100	Principles of Sociology	3
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3
<i>Second Semester</i>		<i>(14 credits)</i>
BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
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<i>Third Semester</i>		<i>(17 credits)</i>
CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Electives to reach a total of 60 credits.#	3
 <i>Fourth Semester</i>		 <i>(15 credits)</i>
ENV 174	ENV Co-op Education I	1
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)***	3
	Speech Elective(s)***	3
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**Minimum Credits Required for the Program: 60**

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**PROGRAM CHANGE OR DISCONTINUATION FORM**

**Program Code:** ASENSV **Program Name:** ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE

**Effective Term:** FALL 2014

**Division Code:** MSH **Department:** PHYSICAL SCIENCE

**Directions:**

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**Requested Changes:**

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Review   | <input type="checkbox"/> Program admission requirements   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove course(s):<br>ENV1: MTH 178, PHY 111, PLS 112, ENV 201, COM 101, 183, or 225<br>ENV2: BIO 161, PLS 112, ENV 201, COM 101, 183, or 225  | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing eligibility requirements  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add course(s):<br>ENV1: GLG276, ENV 274, COM elective (3 credit), Unrestricted electives to meet a minimum of 60 hours (8).<br>ENV2: ENV274, COM elective (3 credit), Unrestricted electives to meet a minimum of 60 hours (8). | <input type="checkbox"/> Program outcomes   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program title (title was _____)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Accreditation information  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Description  | <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinuation (attach program discontinuation plan that includes transition of students and timetable for phasing out courses) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Type of award  | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisors   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Articulation information   |   |

Show all changes on the attached page from the catalog.

**Rationale for proposed changes or discontinuation:**

These changes were made to align with the program requirements of area colleges and the new MTA transfer guidelines. The changes will also allow WCC students additional elective options to complete this program and enhance their studies.

**Financial/staffing/equipment/space implications:**

**List departments that have been consulted regarding their use of this program.**

**Signatures:**

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	Suzanne M. Albach	<i>Suzanne M. Albach</i>	2/7/2014
Department Chair	Kathleen Butcher	<i>Kathleen Butcher</i>	2/11/2014
Division Dean/Administrator	Martha Shawalter	<i>Martha Shawalter</i>	2/11/2014
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PROGRAM CHANGE OR DISCONTINUATION FORM

Program Code: ASENSV Program Name: Environmental Science

Effective Term: Fall 2013

Division Code: MSH Department: Physical Science Department

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove course(s): <u>GLG 100, CPS 120 or 161 or 171, PHY 111, restricted electives</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing eligibility requirements  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add course(s): <u>ENV 105, SOC 100, open elective</u>                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Program outcomes   |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Description  | <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinuation (attach program discontinuation plan that includes transition of students and timetable for phasing out courses) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Type of award   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: <u>Create another track for Environmental Science and Society</u>  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisors  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Articulation information  |   |

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**Rationale for proposed changes or discontinuation:**

This option provides students who are more interested in the social science perspective and the impact on the environment. The change removes 10 credits of math, physics and computer science in favor of sociology, and a new ENV 105 course that looks at the environment from a social perspective.

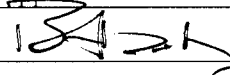
**Financial/staffing/equipment/space implications:**

Creation of one new course

**List departments that have been consulted regarding their use of this program.**

Faculty from other departments were consulted regarding ENV 105.

**Signatures:**

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	Susan Albach	Submitted via CurricUNET	2/24/13
Department Chair	Kathleen Butcher	Approved via CurricUNET	2/25/13
Division Dean/Administrator	Martha Showalter	Approved via CurricUNET	3/05/13
Vice President for Instruction	<u>William Abernethy</u>		<u>4/10/13</u>
President	N/A		

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### **Description**

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    2. Environmental Science and Society (ENV2)  
Exercise Science (ASESCI)  
General Studies in Math and Natural Sciences (ASGSMS)  
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**Associate in Science Degree**

**Program Effective Term: Fall 2013**

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**Minimum Concentration Credits Required for the Program:**

**62**

Complete a concentration: Environmental Science or Environmental Science and Society.

**Environmental Science Concentrations**

**Environmental Science (ENV1) (62 credits)**

First Semester		Credits
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 114	Physical Geology	4
MTH 178	General Trigonometry	3
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3

Second Semester		Credits
BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3

Third Semester		Credits
CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
	Soc. Sci. Elective(s)**	3

Fourth Semester		Credits
PHL 205	Ethics	3
PHY 111	General Physics I*	4
PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3

Fifth Semester		Credits
COM 101 or	Fundamentals of Speaking	
COM 183 or	Persuasion	
COM 225	Intercultural Communication***	3
ENV 201	Environmental Science II	4
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)***	3

**Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option: 62**

**Environmental Science and Society (ENV2) (62 credits)**

First Semester		Credits
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
SOC 100	Principles of Sociology	3
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3

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**Second Semester**

BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3

**Third Semester**

CEM 111	General Chemistry I*	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
	Elective to meet a minimum of 60 credit hours.#	3

**Fourth Semester**

BIO 161	General Biology I Ecology and Evolution	4
PHL 205	Ethics	3
PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3

**Fifth Semester**

COM 101 or	Fundamentals of Speaking	
COM 183 or	Persuasion	
COM 225	Intercultural Communication***	3
ENV 201	Environmental Science II	4
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)***	3

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**Notes:**

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## Requirements Environmental Science (ENV1)

### First Semester

Elective(s)	Computer and Information Literacy	3
ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 114	Physical Geography	4
MTH 178	General Trigonometry	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

### Second Semester

BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

### Third Semester

CEM 111	General Chemistry I	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
Elective	MACRAO approved Social Science*	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>14</b>

### Fourth Semester

PHL 205	Ethics	3
PHY 111	General Physics I	4
PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3
<b>Total</b>		<b>10</b>

### Fifth Semester

Elective(s)	Arts and Humanities*	3
COM 101	or Fundamentals of Speaking	
COM 183	or Persuasion	
COM 225	Intercultural Communication *	3
ENV 201	Environmental Science II	4
<b>Total</b>		<b>10</b>

Total Credits Required                      **62 - 63**    **62**

### Footnotes

\* Recommended MACRAO Approved Social Science Courses are SOC 100, ECO 211 or ECO 222.

## Requirements Environmental Science and Society (ENV 2)

### First Semester

Elective(s)	Computer and Information Literacy	3
ENG 111	Composition I	4
SOC 100	Principles of Sociology	3
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
Total		14

### Second Semester

BIO 162	General Biology II Cells and Molecules	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3
Total		14

### Third Semester

Class	Title	Credits
CEM 111	General Chemistry I	4
ENV 105	Introduction to Environment and Society	3
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4
Elective	Elective to meet a minimum of 60 credit hours <sup>1</sup>	3
Total		14

### Fourth Semester

PHL 205	Ethics	3
BIO 161	General Biology I Ecology and Evolution	4
PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3
Total		10

### Fifth Semester

Elective(s)	Arts and Humanities*	3
COM 101	or Fundamentals of Speaking	
COM 183	or Persuasion	
COM 225	Intercultural Communication *	3
ENV 201	Environmental Science II	4
Total		10

Total Credits Required		62
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### Footnotes

<sup>1</sup> Students who wish to transfer to EMU in the Environmental Science program may wish to select GLG 276.

PROGRAM CHANGE OR DISCONTINUATION FORM

Program Code: ASENVS Program Name: ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE PROGRAM

Effective Term: FALL 2012

Division Code: MNBS Department: PHYSICAL SCIENCE

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1. Attach the current program listing from the WCC catalog or Web site and indicate any changes to be made.
2. Draw lines through any text that should be deleted and write in additions. Extensive narrative changes can be included on a separate sheet.
3. Check the boxes below for each type of change being proposed. Changes to courses, discontinuing a course, or adding new courses as part of the proposed program change, must be approved separately using a Master Syllabus form, but should be submitted at the same time as the program change form.

**Requested Changes:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Review  | <input type="checkbox"/> Program admission requirements   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Remove course(s): <u>SOC 100, ECO 211, ECO 222</u>   | <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing eligibility requirements  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Add course(s): <u>Required: GEO 101 (Gen Ed); Electives: BIO 208, BIO 215, BIO 237, BIO 267, ECO 211, ECO <del>222</del> ELE 106, GLG 114 and SOC 100 (Area/Major Electives)</u> | <input type="checkbox"/> Program outcomes   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program title (title was _____)   | <input type="checkbox"/> Accreditation information  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Description   | <input type="checkbox"/> Discontinuation (attach program discontinuation plan that includes transition of students and timetable for phasing out courses) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Type of award   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advisors  |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Articulation information  |   |

Show all changes on the attached page from the catalog.

**Rationale for proposed changes or discontinuation:**

These changes were made to align with the program requirements of area colleges and to allow WCC students additional elective options to complete this program and enhance their studies.

**Financial/staffing/equipment/space implications:**

**List departments that have been consulted regarding their use of this program.**

**Signatures:**

Reviewer	Print Name	Signature	Date
Initiator	Suzanne M. Albach	<i>Suzanne M. Albach</i>	03/19/2012
Department Chair	Kathleen Butcher	<i>Kathleen Butcher</i>	03/21/2012
Division Dean/Administrator	Martha Showalter	<i>M. Showalter</i>	3/23/12
Vice President for Instruction		<i>J. Blucke</i>	4/11/12
President			

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## Program Information Report

### Transfer and University Parallel Programs

If your goal is to continue your education toward a baccalaureate degree, then transfer and university parallel programs is the track for you. Complete the first two years of study in a supportive environment with small classes and personal attention.

Business (AABAS)  
Computer Science: Programming in Java (See Information Technology)  
Criminal Justice (AACJ)  
Education, Early Childhood (AAECE)  
Education, Elementary (AAELEM)  
Education, Secondary (AASECO)  
Environmental Science (ASENVS)  
Exercise Science (ASESCI)  
General Studies in Math and Natural Sciences (ASGSMS)  
Human Services (AAHUST)  
Information Systems: Programming in C++ (See Information Technology)  
Internet Professional (AAINP)  
Liberal Arts Transfer (AALAT)  
Math and Science (ASMSAS)  
    1. Pre-Medicine Concentration (BMED) or (CMED)  
    2. Computer Science Concentration (COMS)  
    3. Mathematics Concentration (MATH)  
    4. Physics/Pre-Engineering Concentration (PHYS)

Before beginning any transfer program, a student should consult with an academic advisor or counselor to obtain a program articulation agreement, or a transfer guide. Early in the program, the student should contact an undergraduate advisor at the transfer college for specific admission and curriculum requirements and, if available, an unofficial transfer-credit evaluation.

Copies of articulation agreements and transfer guides are available in the Counseling Office on the second floor of the Student Center Building. Computers with access to the Internet Web sites of four-year colleges and universities are also available there.

### Math and Science

Learn more about math or science through this associate degree program.

**Program Information Report**

**Environmental Science (ASENVS)**

**Associate in Science Degree**

**Program Effective Term: Fall 2012**

To prepare our students for a strong background in dealing with environmental issues and concerns from a global point of view. This program integrates biology, chemistry, geology and physics and is designed to lead to an AS degree which should transfer to 4-year institutions following the MACRAO guidelines. This program is designed to give students first hand lab experiences in studying environmental problems from a scientific perspective as well as propose and implement solutions to sustainability. It is ultimately preparing students for careers in resource management, waste management, sustainability, environmental consultation and the like.

ENG 111	Composition I	4
GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
MTH 178	General Trigonometry	3
	Computer Lit. Elective(s)	3

BIO 101	Concepts of Biology	4
ENG 226	Composition II	3
ENV 101	Environmental Science I	4
GEO 101	World Regional Geography	3

CEM 111	General Chemistry I	4
CPS 120 or	Introduction to Computer Science	
CPS 161 or	An Introduction to Programming with Java	
CPS 171	Introduction to Programming with C++	3-4
MTH 160	Basic Statistics	4

PHL 205	Ethics	3
PHY 111	General Physics I	4
PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3
Elective	Choose a minimum of 3 credits: BIO 102, BIO 103, BIO 107, BIO 208, BIO 215, BIO 227, BIO 228, BIO 237, BIO 267, CEM 122, CEM 211, CEM 222, ECO 211, ECO 222 ELE 106, GLG 103, GLG 104, GLG 114, PHY 122, SOC 100 or a Social Science MACRAO elective**	3

COM 101 or	Fundamentals of Speaking	
COM 183 or	Persuasion	
COM 225	Intercultural Communication*	3
ENV 201	Environmental Science II	4
	Arts/Human. Elective(s)*	3

**Minimum Credits Required for the Concentration or Option:**

**Minimum Credits Required for the Program: 62**

**Notes:**

\*Students transferring to EMU should consider taking either COM 225, GEO 101 or an Arts and Humanities Elective that should meet EMU's Diverse World Requirement. See the WCC Bulletin for a list of courses.

\*\*Students who want to meet MACRAO should choose a social science MACRAO course as one of the electives. See the MACRAO list in the WCC Bulletin to make course selections.



**PROGRAM PROPOSAL FORM**

- Preliminary Approval** – Check here when using this form for preliminary approval of a program proposal, and respond to the items in general terms.
- Final Approval** – Check here when completing this form after the Vice President for Instruction has given preliminary approval to a program proposal. For final approval, complete information must be provided for each item.

<p><b>Program Name:</b></p> <p><b>Division and Department:</b></p> <p><b>Type of Award:</b></p> <p><b>Effective Term/Year:</b></p> <p><b>Initiator:</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Environmental Science Program</u></p> <p>Math, Natural and Behavioral Science MNBS</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Physical Science Department</u></p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> AA   <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AS   <input type="checkbox"/> AAS  <input type="checkbox"/> Cert.   <input type="checkbox"/> Adv. Cert.   <input type="checkbox"/> Post-Assoc. Cert.   <input type="checkbox"/> Cert. of Comp.         </p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Fall 2010</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Martha Showalter and the Environmental Science Committee Sue Albach, Rob Hagood, Susan Dentel, Emily Thompson, Tracy Schwab, Brad Metz, Kathleen Strnad</u></p>	<p><b>Program Code:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>ASENVS</u></p> <p><b>CIP Code:</b></p>
<p><b>Program Features</b></p> <p>Program's purpose and its goals.</p> <p>Criteria for entry into the program, along with projected enrollment figures.</p> <p>Connection to other WCC programs, as well as accrediting agencies or professional organizations.</p> <p>Special features of the program.</p>	<p>To prepare our students for a strong background in dealing with environmental issues and concerns with a global point of view. This program integrates biology, chemistry, geology and physics and is designed to lead to an AS degree which should transfer to 4-year institutions following the MACRAO guidelines. This program is designed to give students first hand lab experiences in studying environmental problems from a scientific perspective. It is ultimately preparing students for careers in resource management, waste management, sustainability, environmental consultation and the like.</p> <p>Students entering this program should anticipate taking courses in Biology, Chemistry, Geology and Physics. No special requirement is required for enrollment in the program.</p> <p>This program utilizes existing courses that have been reviewed and articulated to 4-year institutions. In addition, there are two specialized environmental science courses.</p> <p>It is expected that the first course could meet a General Education lab science course requirement and be offered every semester while the follow-up Environmental Science course would initially be offered on an annual basis.</p>	
<p><b>Need</b></p> <p>Need for the program with evidence to support the stated need.</p>	<p>WCC has committed to building/renovating its buildings to meet LEED specifications. In addition, the President has signed the ACUPCC (American College and University Presidents Climate Commitment). Not only has WCC taken these strong stances on global concerns but the science faculty feel it is imperative that we address through our offerings courses and programs which impact future generations.</p> <p>The Bureau of Labor Statistics has cited Environmental Science as an area of growth, saying, "employment of environmental scientists and specialists is expected to increase by 28 percent between 2008 and 2018, much faster than the average for all occupations."</p> <p><a href="http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos311.htm">http://www.bls.gov/oco/ocos311.htm</a> (document attached)</p>	

Program Outcomes/Assessment	Outcomes	Assessment method
<p>State the knowledge to be gained, skills to be learned, and attitudes to be developed by students in the program.</p> <p>Include assessment methods that will be used to determine the effectiveness of the program.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students will successfully transfer to a four-year college in a related program</li> <li>Students will perform successfully at a four-year college in a related program</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>WCC follow-up graduation survey data. Transfer data from EMU.</li> <li>WCC follow-up graduation survey data. Transfer data from EMU.</li> </ol>

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Curriculum	General Education Requirements		(33 Credits)
<p>List the courses in the program as they should appear in the catalog. List minimum credits required. Include any notes that should appear below the course list.</p>	ENG 111	Composition I	4
	ENG 226	Composition II	3
	COM 101	Fundamentals of Speaking (or COM 183 or COM 225) <sup>1</sup>	3
	MTH 178	Trigonometry	3
	BIO 101	Concepts of Biology	4
	GLG 100	Introduction to Earth Science	4
	SOC 100	Introduction to Sociology (or ECO 211 or ECO 222 or GEO 101) <sup>1</sup>	3
	PLS 112	Introduction to American Government	3
	PHL 205	Ethics	3
	Arts/Hum	Elective(s) <sup>1</sup>	3
	<b>Major/Area Requirements</b>		<b>(15 or 16 Cr)</b>
	CPS 120	Introduction to Programming (or CPS 161 or CPS 171)	3 or 4
	MTH 160	Statistics	4
	CEM 111	General Chemistry I	4
	PHY 111	General Physics I	4
	<b>Environmental Science—Program Concentration</b>		<b>(8 credits)</b>
	ESC 101	Environmental Science I	4
	ESC 201	Environmental Science II	4
	<b>Choose from the following Electives</b>		<b>(at least 6 Credits)</b>
	BIO 103, BIO 102, BIO 107, BIO 227, BIO 228		
CEM 122, CEM 211, CEM 222			
GLG 104, GLG 103			
PHY 122			
Social Science MACRAO elective (must be taken if MACRAO is desired) <sup>2</sup>			
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>MINIMUM CREDITS FOR THE PROGRAM</b>	<b>62</b>	

	<p><b>Notes:</b>  <sup>1</sup>For those wishing to transfer to EMU, consider taking either COM 225, GEO 101 or an Arts and Humanities Elective that should meet EMU's diverse world requirement. (See page [75] of the WCC Bulletin for a list of courses).  <sup>2</sup>For those who would like to meet MACRAO, a Social Science MACRAO course must be chosen as one of your electives.</p> <p>BIO 107 transfers to EMU as their BIO 105 (both with same title)  Our GLG 103 and 104 each transfer as ESSC 000 (general transfer credit)</p>		
<b>Budget</b>  Specify program costs in the following areas, per academic year:		<b>START-UP COSTS</b>	<b>ONGOING COSTS</b>
	<b>Faculty</b>	\$ .	\$ .
	<b>Training/Travel</b>	.	.
	<b>Materials/Resources</b>	.	.
	<b>Facilities/Equipment</b>	.	.
	<b>Other</b>	.	.
	<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>\$ .</b>	<b>\$ .</b>
<b>Program Description for Catalog and Web site</b>	To prepare our students for a strong background in dealing with environmental issues and concerns from a global point of view. This program integrates biology, chemistry, geology and physics and is designed to lead to an AS degree which should transfer to 4-year institutions following the MACRAO guidelines. This program is designed to give students first hand lab experiences in studying environmental problems from a scientific perspective as well as propose and implement solutions to sustainability. It is ultimately preparing students for careers in resource management, waste management, sustainability, environmental consultation and the like.		
<b>Program Information</b>	<b>Accreditation/Licensure -</b>  <b>Advisors -</b>  <b>Advisory Committee -</b>  <b>Admission requirements -</b>  <b>Articulation agreements -</b>  <b>Continuing eligibility requirements -</b>		

**Assessment plan:**

Program outcomes to be assessed	Assessment tool	When assessment will take place	Courses/other populations	Number students to be assessed
1. Students will successfully transfer to a four-year college in a related program	1. WCC follow-up graduation survey data. Transfer data from EMU.	Winter 2014 & every 3 years thereafter	Random selection from students who completed the program within the past three years	Approximately 50% of the graduates
2. Students will perform successfully at a four-year college in a related program	2. WCC follow-up graduation survey data. Transfer data from EMU.	Winter 2014 & every 3 years thereafter	Random selection from students who completed the program within the past three years	Approximately 50% of the graduates

**Scoring and analysis plan:**

1. Indicate how the above assessment(s) will be scored and evaluated (e.g. departmentally developed rubric, external evaluation, other). Attach the rubric.

EMU transfer data will be generated by Eastern Michigan University. Faculty in the Science departments at WCC will review the data to determine transfer rate and transfer success statistics. Graduate survey data is collected and generated by Institutional Research. This self-reported supplemental data will be used to identify students who successfully transfer to institutions other than EMU.

2. Indicate the standard of success to be used for this assessment.

60% of the students will have enrolled in further education within two years.  
60% of the students who transfer to EMU will demonstrate success (earn a grade of "C" or better) in related courses in the science area.

3. Indicate who will score and analyze the data.

Faculty volunteers from the Life and Physical Science departments

4. Explain how and when the assessment results will be used for program improvement.

Assessment data will be reviewed during divisional meetings. Areas of weakness will be identified and changes made to course or program requirements will be implemented as needed.

REVIEWER	PRINT NAME	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Chair/Area Director	Emily A. Thompson Suzanne Albach	Emily A. Thompson Suzanne M. Albach	2/1/2010 2/1/2010
Dean	Martha Showalter	Martha Showalter	2/1/2010
Vice President for Instruction <input type="checkbox"/> Approved for Development <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Final Approval	Phyllis Grzegorzczuk	Phyllis Grzegorzczuk	2-26-2010
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