Welcome to the Department of Environmental Studies

Your Bachelor’s degree in Environmental Studies will provide you with the interdisciplinary training in the natural sciences, social sciences and humanities that you need to be an effective environmentalist, a broad thinker, and a well-trained professional. Your college degree will open many new paths for you.

Be sure to visit your department advisor every semester, and take a copy this form for your records. We hope to make your stay at SJSU one of the best times of your life.

NAME: ____________________________
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ADVISER

ADVISING CHECKLIST

☐ Visit department advisor
☐ Declare major
☐ Choose a minor
☐ Develop a graduation plan
☐ Complete placement tests
  ☐ Entry Level Mathematics (ELM)
  ☐ English Placement Test (EPT)
  ☐ Writing Skills Test (WST)
☐ Obtain GE and PE evaluation
  ☐ ACCESS Center in Clark Hall 240
☐ Visit ENVS department advisor each semester
☐ Apply for graduation. See:
  sjsu.edu/envs/undergraduate/graduation
☐ SJSU undergraduate application for graduation and
☐ ENVS major/minor graduation form

GENERAL EDUCATION AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (ACCESS Success Center: Clark Hall 240)

I. Core General Education

A. Basic Skills
   1. Oral Comm. ______________________________
   2. Written Comm. I ____________________________
   3. Critical Think. & Writ. ____________________________

B. Science and Mathematical Concepts
   1. Physical Science CHEM 30A
   2. Life Science ENVS 10
   3. Laboratory Science CHEM 30A
   4. Mathematical Concepts STAT 95 MATH 8

C. Humanities and Arts
   1. Arts ______________________________
   2. Letters ______________________________
   3. C1 or C2 (second course) ______________________________

D. Social Science
   1. Human Behavior ______________________________
   2. Comparative Systems ____________________________
   3. Social Issues ENVS 1

E. Human Und. & Devt. ____________________________

II. Graduation Requirements

US 1. American History ____________________________
US 2. US Cons. & CA Govt. ____________________________
US 3. California Govt. ____________________________
Physical Educ. (2 units) ____________________________

III. SJSU Studies (Advanced GE) (must have passed WST)

R. Earth & Environment ENVS 119
   ☐ OR 152 or ENVS
S. Self, Soc., & Eq. in US ENVS 150
   168A&B
V. Cult., Civ., & Glob. Und. ENVS 159
   ENVS 100W

Z. Written Comm. II ________________________________
**BACHELOR OF ARTS ADVISING SHEET (120 UNITS TOTAL)**

*NOTE: This plan applies to students starting in Fall 2017 or later.*

**PREPARATION COURSES FOR THE BA DEGREE (16 units)**
- ENVS 10 (3 units)
- MATH 08 (3 units)
- CHEM 30A (3 units)
- STAT 95 (3 units)
- ECON 1B (4 units)

**REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BS DEGREE (63 units)**

**ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES CORE (26 units)**

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<td>ENVS 198 (3)</td>
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**REQUIRED MINOR (12-24 units)**

**ENVS Minors Include:**
- *Sustainable Energy*
- *Sustainable Water Resources*
- *Environmental Impact Assessment*
- *Environmental Restoration*
- *Park Ranger & Administration*

**Total Units =**

**ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES BREADTH ELECTIVES - 31 units (w/ 18-unit minor)** All Electives must be advisor-approved ENVS courses

**SJSU Studies (required GE-R,S,V; prereq: WST)**
- Units: _______________
  - ENVS 152 or 119 (3; R), ENVS 150 (3; S) & ENVS 159 (3; V)
  - OR ENVS 168A (6) and 168B (3; RSV)

**ENVS 194: Environmental Internship**
- Units: _______________
  - 3-9 units recommended; 45 hours = 1 unit of internship.

**Other Electives (2 field courses required, unless in minor)**

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**Field Course Choices**
(4 units unless indicated):
- ENVS 118: Sustainable Home Gardens
- ENVS 144: California Wetland Controversies
- ENVS 154: Sustainable Agriculture
- ENVS 161: California Wildlands
- ENVS 165: National Parks (3 units)
- ENVS 166: Nature & Conservation Photography
- ENVS 173: Forest Ecology & Conservation
- ENVS 187: Environmental Restoration
- ENVS 189: Coastal Field Studies
- ENVS 190: Advanced Env. Impact Assessment
- ENVS 191/291: Advanced Env. Restoration