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Semester One: [17 Credit Hours]

S D 2400	3		√	May also be used for GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience - Sustainability & Global Resources
S D 2610	3		√	
GEN ED: R C 1000	3			
GEN ED: UCO 1200	3			
GEN ED: Science Inquiry	4			Students interested in upper-level biology and environmental science courses may consider special permission to take BIO 1801 and BIO 1802 in fulfillment of GEN ED requirements
GEN ED: Wellness Literacy	1			

Semester Two: [16 Credit Hours]

S D 2800 or PHL 2015	3		√	If PHL 2015 taken for the major may also be used for GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience - Sustainability & Global Resources
S D 2700	3		√	
GEN ED: R C 2001	3			
GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience	3			Select courses to fulfill Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and Social Science designator requirements
GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience	3			Select courses to fulfill Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and Social Science designator requirements
GEN ED: Wellness Literacy	1			

Semester Three: [15-16 Credit Hours]

S D 2750	3		√	
S D 3100	3		√	
STT 2820 or GHY/PLN 3800	3-4			Recommended STT 2820 taken for the major but is not required; fulfills GEN ED: Quantitative Literacy
GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience	3			Select courses to fulfill Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and Social Science designator requirements
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Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]

S D 3125	3		√	S D 3900 may also fulfill this requirement if taken in the summer
S D 3155	3		√	S D 3155 is offered in Fall semester
GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience	3			Select courses to fulfill Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and Social Science designator requirements
GEN ED: Liberal Studies Experience	3			Select courses to fulfill Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and Social Science designator requirements
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Summer Session [3 Credit Hours]

S D 3900	3		√	S D 3125 may also fulfill this requirement if taken in Fall or Spring
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Semester Five: [12 Credit Hours]

GEN ED: S D WID Course	3		√	GEN ED: WID course requirement fulfilled by any of the following courses: S D 3420, S D 3475, S D 3610, S D 3750, S D 3800, S D 4150
Free Elective Course	3		√	Must be taken to complete semester hour requirement for graduation
Concentration Specialization Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
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Semester Six: [15 Credit Hours]

S D 3300 or S D 3375	3		√	S D 3300 and S D 3375 are offered in Spring semester
Concentration Specialization Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Concentration Specialization Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Concentration Elective Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Free Elective Course or Internship	3		√	Internships are recommended but not required; must complete application in consultation with S D advisor

Summer Session [4 Credit Hours]

S D 4200 Ecologically –Based Pest Management	4		√	
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Semester Seven: [15 Credit Hours]

S D 4100 or S D 3375 or S D 3420 or S D 4600	3		√	S D 3420 meets WID requirement
Concentration Specialization Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Concentration Elective Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Concentration Elective Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Free Elective Course or Thesis/Project	3		√	Thesis/Project is optional and not required; must be approved by S D advisor

Semester Eight: [15 Credit Hours]

GEN ED: S D 4550	3		√	S D 4550 meets GEN ED: CAPSTONE requirement
S D 4125 or SD 4910	3		√	
Concentration Specialization Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor



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Concentration Elective Course	3		√	Must be chosen in consultation with S D advisor
Free Elective Course or Internship	3		√	Internships are recommended but not required; must complete application in consultation with S D advisor

General Requirements Summary				
Minimum Total Hours	Gen Ed. Hours	Writing	Minimum	
			Major GPA	Overall GPA
120	44	R C 1000 and R C 2001	2.0	2.0

General Education Program Model - 44 Semester Hours Total		
Program Categories	Hours	Important Notes – <i>Be sure to check for Gen Ed courses required in your major</i>
First Year Seminar	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Wellness Literacy	2	
Quantitative Literacy	4	STT 2810 if taken for the major fulfills this requirement, STT 2810 if taken for the major applies 3 semester hours toward this requirement
First Year Writing	3	Can be taken first or second semester of freshman year
Sophomore Writing	3	
Integrative Learning Experience	9	Complete nine hours from a single theme. Students must take courses from at least two discipline prefixes in the chosen theme
Liberal Studies Experience	12	Must choose a minimum of three disciplines
Science Inquiry	8	
You must also meet the Fine Arts, Literary Studies, Historical Studies, and the Social Science Designations. Those may be met within the Integrative Learning Experience and the Literary Studies Experience.		

Additional Notes:

- Students who plan to take upper-level science classes for their Agroecology & Sustainable Agriculture Concentration – Specialization and Agroecology & Sustainable Agriculture Concentration - Electives should plan carefully for prerequisites (i.e., take prerequisite courses as early as possible). Most upper-level science courses require prerequisites; for example, BIO 3308 Microbiology requires the following prerequisites: CHE 1101/1110, CHE 1102/CHE1120, BIO 1801, and either BIO 2400, BIO 2600, or BIO 2700.
- If PHL 2015 and STT 2820 are taken for the major, they may also meet GEN ED requirements.



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- S D 2400 is required for the major, and it may also meet GEN ED requirement.
- S D 3715 fulfills GEN ED: Integrative Learning Experience - Human-Animal Bond and Literary Studies designator.
- GEN ED: WID requirement may be fulfilled by any of the following courses: S D 3420, S D 3475, S D 3610, S D 3750, S D 3800, S D 4150
- S D 3100 is a prerequisite for many Agro courses. Plan ahead to complete prerequisites for the concentration.
- S D 3900 is offered Summer ONLY—plan to attend summer school.
- S D 4200 is offered Summer ONLY—plan to attend summer school.
- **Residency Requirements:**
 - 30 hours must be from ASU (25% of credit hours required for the degree).
 - 18 hours in the major must be from ASU.
 - 9 hours in the minor must be from ASU (if a minor is required).