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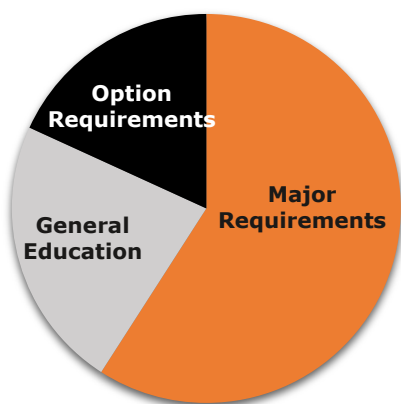
Portland
Community College

Natural Resources Major with Wildland Fire Ecology Option

Natural Resources students are passionate about the world around them. They collaborate to preserve and protect the natural world for future generations.

This option will help students understand the nature of fire in wildland ecosystems. It includes an understanding of the dynamics of fire behavior and post-fire response.

Your Bachelor's Degree (BS) in Natural Resources



- A minimum of 180 credits are required for graduation; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 credits earned at a community college may be applied toward a bachelor's degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 are accepted.
- [More info at forestry.oregonstate.edu/undergraduate-programs/natural-resources/wildland-fire-ecology](http://forestry.oregonstate.edu/undergraduate-programs/natural-resources/wildland-fire-ecology)

Courses Required for Natural Resources Major

NR Major Requirements	PCC Course	OSU Course	Notes
<i>Complete one course per category</i>			
Managing Nat Res for the Future	ESR 204	NR 201	Available online at OSU
Natural Resource Problems & Solutions		NR 202	Available online at OSU
Consensus and Natural Resources		FES 485	Available online at OSU
Natural Resources Decision Making		NR 455	Available online at OSU
Advanced Communication			
Communication in Global Agriculture		AG 351	Available online at OSU
Social Media Advocacy in Ag Sci & Nat Res		AG 445	Available online at OSU
Risk & Crisis Communication in Ag Sci & NR		AG 455	
Small Group Communication	COMM 215	COMM 222	
Intercultural Communication	COMM 140	COMM 226	Available online at OSU
Communication in Organizations		COMM 324	
Non-Verbal Communication	COMM 227	COMM 328	
Communication in Cyberspace		COMM 385	Available online at OSU
Theories of Conflict and Conflict Management		COMM 440	
Bargaining and Negotiating Processes		COMM 442	
Environmental Case Studies		ENSC 321	Available online at OSU
Forest as Classroom		FES 430	Available online at OSU
Maps, Media and Communication		GEOG 202	
Effective Comm of Environmental Change Sci		GEOG 453	
Critical thinking for NR Challenges		NR 312	
Environmental Interpretation		TRAL 493	Available online at OSU
Technical Writing	WR 227Z	WR 227Z	Available online at OSU
Advanced Writing & Argumentation		WR 323	Available online at OSU
Science Writing		WR 362	Available online at OSU
Writing for the Natural Sciences		WR 375	
Environmental Writing		WR 462	Available online at OSU

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Writing Intensive Course Ag and Environmental Predicaments Environmental Case Studies Public Lands Policy and Management Forest Policy and Regulation Aquaculture Climatology Research Methods Rangeland Management and Planning World Soil Resources Environmental Writing		CROP/SOIL/SUS 325 ENSC 321 FES 486 FE/FOR 463 FW 497 GEOG 323 PS 300 RNG 491 SOIL 395 WR 462	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Biology I Env Bio: Ecology, Cons., Global Change Introductory Biology I Principles of Biology: Cells	BI 103 BI 221Z	BI 101 BI 204 BI 221Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Biology II Animal Bio: Genes, Behavior, and Evolution Introductory Biology II Principles of Biology: Organisms	BI 102 BI 222Z	Z 102 BI 205 BI 222Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Biology III Human Bio: Anatomy, Phys, and Disease Introductory Biology III Principles of Biology: Ecology & Evolution	BI 101 BI 223Z	BI 103 BI 206 BI 223Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Chemistry General Chemistry I with Lab General Chemistry (Majors) I with Lab	CH 221Z & 227Z	CH 121 CH 221Z & 227Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Climate Science PCC Course: Climate Change & Human Syst. Climate Science Snow, Smoke and Storms: Climate in PNW Climatology Intro to Climate Change	G 209 G 184	GEO LDT ATS 201 ATS 341 GEOG 323 SUS 103	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Land Science Soil Science Environmental Earth Science Planet Earth Physical Geology Earth Systems Science Global Change and Earth Sciences Surface Processes Dynamic Planet Soil Science & Lab	G 201 G 202 G 203	CSS 205 ENSC 210 GEO 101 GEO 201 GEO 202 GEO 308 GEO 322 GEOG 102 SOIL 205 & 206	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Water Science Watershed Processes Forest Watershed Management Environmental Hydrogeology Intro to Water Science and Policy Hydrology for Water Resource Mgmt Oceanography Intro to Biological Oceanography Coastal Oceanography	GS 108	FE 430 FE 434 GEO 387 GEOG 340 GEOG 424 OC 201 OC 202 OC 332	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Ecology Ecology for Engineers Marine Ecology General Ecology Plant Ecology Tropical Ecology and Conservation Forest Ecology Wildlife Ecology Intro to Wildland Ecology		BEE 270 BI 351 BI 370 BOT 341 ENSC 341 FES 341 FW 481 RNG 121	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Mathematics Elementary Functions Calculus for Mgmt, Life, and Social Science Math for Mgmt, Life, and Social Science Differential Calculus	MTH 112Z MTH 241 MTH 245 MTH 251	MTH 112Z MTH 241 MTH 251Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU

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Nat Resource Politics & Policy (choose 2) PCC Course: Env Studies – Sci & Policy PCC Course: Environmental Politics & Policy Environmental Law Contemporary Native Issues Plagues, Pests, and Politics Native American Law: Tribes, Treaties & US Forest Policy & Regulation Public Lands Policy & Management Forest Policy & Regulation Endangered Species, Soc, and Sustainability Fish & Wildlife Law and Policy Introduction to Ocean Law Conflict, Cooperation, and Control of Water The World's Water Public Policy Problems Policy and Law of US Coastal Governance Integrated Policy: Food, Energy, Water, Clim Marine Policy in the United States The Politics of Climate Change U.S. Energy Policy Environmental Politics and Policy International Environmental Politics & Policy	ESR 201 PS 297	ENSC LDT PS LDT AEC 432 ANTH 472 ENT 300/HORT 330 ES 444 FE/FOR 463 FES 486 FOR 461 FW 350 FW 415 FW 422 GEOG 440 GEOG 441 PPOL/PS 371 PPOL 446 PPOL 447 PPOL 448 PS 455 PS 473 PS 475 PS 477	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Economics Intro to Environmental Economics & Policy Intro to Microeconomics	EC 201Z	AEC 250 ECON 201Z	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU
Spatial Analysis Precision Agriculture GIS and Forest Engineering Applications Survey of Geographic Information Systems Foundations of Geospatial Science & GIS Geoscience I: GIS and Theory	GEO 170 GEO 265	CROP/HORT 414 FE 257 FW 303 GEOG 201 GEOG 360	Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU Available online at OSU

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Social & Ethical Issues			
PCC Course: Geography of National Parks	G 147	GEO LDT	
PCC Course: Intro to Environmental Ethics	PHL 206	PHL LDT	
Environmental Law, Politics & Policy		AEC 253	Available online at OSU
Indigenous Ecosystem Science		AG 201	Available online at OSU
Anthropology, Health, and Environment		ANTH 352	Available online at OSU
Ecological Anthropology		ANTH 477	Available online at OSU
Natural Resources and Community Values		ANTH 481	Available online at OSU
Anthropology of International Development		ANTH 482	Available online at OSU
Human Impacts on Ecosystems		BOT 301	
Issues in Natural Resource Conservation		FES 365	Available online at OSU
Food From the Sea		FW 324	Available online at OSU
Global Crises in Resource Ecology		FW 325	Available online at OSU
Minerals, Energy, Water, and Environment		GEO 306	Available online at OSU
National Park Geology and Preservation		GEO 307	Available online at OSU
Climate Justice		GEOG 100	Available online at OSU
Human-Environment Geog in Anthropocene		GEOG 203	Available online at OSU
Human Dimensions of Climate Change		GEOG 240	Available online at OSU
Transforming Environmental Conflicts		GEOG 241	Available online at OSU
Urban Aqua Networks: Ancient to Modern		GEOG 242	
Sustainability for the Common Good		GEOG 300	Available online at OSU
Resilience-Based Natural Resource Mgmt		GEOG 430	Available online at OSU
Environmental History of the U.S.		HST 481	Available online at OSU
Humans and the Ocean		MAST 201	Available online at OSU
Society, Culture and the Marine Environment		MAST 300	
Critical Thinking for NR Challenges		NR 312	
Nature in Literature Over the Centuries		NR 380	Available online at OSU
Oceans, Coasts & People		OC 203	Available online at OSU
Environmental Ethics		PHL 440	
World Views and Environmental Values		PHL/REL 443	
Native American Philosophies		PHL/REL 448	Available online at OSU
Energy, Climate, and Society		PPOL 441/SOC 482	Available online at OSU
Intro to Environment and Society		SOC 280	Available online at OSU
Social Dimensions of Sustainability		SOC 381	Available online at OSU
Rural Sociology		SOC 475	
Environmental Sociology		SOC 480	Available online at OSU
Society and Natural Resources		SOC 481	Available online at OSU
Social Dimensions of Sustainability		SUS 420	Available online at OSU
Recreation Resource Management		TRAL 251	Available online at OSU
Outdoor Recreation on Public Lands		TRAL 351	Available online at OSU
Nature, Eco, and Adventure Tourism		TRAL 353	Available online at OSU
Communities, Natural Areas, and Tourism		TRAL 354	Available online at OSU
Parks & Protected Areas		TRAL 357	Available online at OSU
Women and Natural Resources		WGSS 440	Available online at OSU

Courses Required for Wildland Fire Ecology Option

Requirement <i>Complete one course per category unless otherwise noted</i>	PCC Course	OSU Course	Notes
Measurements			
Field Methods in Plant Ecology	ENGR 266	BOT 440	Available online at OSU
Forest Surveying		FE 208	Available online at OSU
GIS & Forest Engineering Applications	GEO 170 GEO 265	FE 257	Available online at OSU
Field Sampling of Fish & Wildlife		FW 255	Available online at OSU
Foundations of Geospatial Science and GIS		GEOG 201	Available online at OSU
Geoscience I: GIS & Theory		GEOG 360	Available online at OSU
Quant Geospatial Analysis & Modeling		GEOG 361	Available online at OSU
Wildland Fire Ecology		FES 440	Available online at OSU
Ecological Restoration		FES/FW 445	Available online at OSU
Wildland Restoration and Ecology		RNG 421	Available online at OSU
Economics and Policy of Forest Wildland Fire		FOR 431	Available online at OSU
Wildland Fire Science and Management		FOR 436	Available online at OSU
Wildfire Risk Science		FOR 438	Available online at OSU
Ecological & NR Electives (17-18 credits)			
General Ecology	ENGR 266	BI 370	Available online at OSU
Plant Ecology		BOT 341	Available online at OSU
Flora of the Pacific Northwest		BOT 425	
Weed Management		CROP 440	
Forest Surveying		FE 208	Available online at OSU
Watershed Processes		FE 430	Available online at OSU
Forest Watershed Management		FE 434	
Forest Ecology		FES 341	Available online at OSU
Forest Types of the Northwest		FES 342	Available online at OSU
Forest Entomology		FES 412	
Biodiversity Conservation in Managed Forests		FES/FW 452	Available online at OSU
Wildland Fire Guard School		FOR 252	
Topics in Wildland Fire		FOR 346	Available online at OSU
Economics and Policy of Forest Wildland Fire		FOR 413	
Forest Pathology		FOR 431	Available online at OSU
Silviculture Principles		FOR 441	
Prescribed Fire Practicum		FOR 452	
Principles of Fish & Wildlife Conservation	BI 145	FW 251	Available online at OSU
Applied Community and Ecosystem Ecology		FW 321	Available online at OSU
Herpetofauna Conservation & Management		FW 448	Available online at OSU
Avian Conservation & Management		FW 451	Available online at OSU
Freshwater Ecology and Conservation		FW 456	Available online at OSU
Mammal Conservation and Management		FW 458	Available online at OSU
Wetlands and Riparian Ecology		FW 479	Available online at OSU
Wildlife Ecology		FW 481	Available online at OSU
Scientific Methods for Analyzing NR Problems		NR 325	Available online at OSU
Vegetation Monitoring and Analysis		RNG 441	Available online at OSU
Rangeland Management & Planning	RNG 491	Available online at OSU	
Ecosystems of Wildland Soils		SOIL 366	Available online at OSU
Soil Systems and Plant Growth		SOIL 388	Available online at OSU
Soil Morphology and Classification		SOIL 466	

General Education Courses (called Core Ed)

- Complete one course in each category.
- Full listing of PCC courses that fulfill Core Ed requirements: admissions.oregonstate.edu/course-articulations-portland-community-college

FOUNDATIONAL CORE	Writing Foundations	WR 121Z required
	Arts & Humanities: General	
	Arts & Humanities: Global	
	Quantitative Literacy & Analysis	Fulfilled by major: MTH 112Z, MTH 241, or STAT 243Z
	Communication, Media & Society	
	Social Science	Fulfilled by major: EC 201Z
	Scientific Inquiry & Analysis	Fulfilled by major: Biology
	Scientific Inquiry & Analysis	Fulfilled by major: Chemistry
SIGNATURE CORE	Difference, Power, Oppression Foundations	
	Transitions	
	Beyond OSU I: Prepare	Fulfilled by major: NR 201
	Beyond OSU II: Engage	Fulfilled by major: NR 455
	Difference, Power, Oppression Advanced	Fulfilled by major: AG 311, ENSC/GEOG 333, SUS 331
	Seeking Solutions	<i>Cannot be fulfilled by a major requirement</i>
	Writing Elevation	
	Writing Intensive Course	Fulfilled by major: SUS 325, ENSC 321, FES 486, FOR 463, or WR 462

Advising Contacts

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. **See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan.** It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing. See visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus to schedule your personalized visit.

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