

Environmental Studies Course Schedule Worksheet

<i>Year</i>	FALL Qtr	WINTER Qtr	SPRING Qtr	SUMMER SESSIONS

___ **ENVS 190** = required one unit colloquium/guest lecture course offered Fall, Winter, & Spring qtr, pass/no pass only

Notes, Petitions, GE Requirements, etc.

The following is provided to help you understand and meet ALL your requirements to graduate.

Information about requirements for graduation are available at:

The College of Letters and Science Advising Office, 1117 Cheadle Hall

Website: <https://www.duels.ucsb.edu/advising>

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Grade-Point Average Requirements

To graduate from UCSB, one must earn a minimum 2.0 University of California (UC) grade-point average (GPA) in three areas:

1. **Overall UCSB GPA:** All University of California (UC) courses attempted on a letter-graded basis while at UCSB.
2. **Major GPA:** All UC courses required for and applicable to your major(s), including both lower- and upper-division courses (all preparation for the major and upper-division Area A, B, and C courses). This includes any/all courses required from departments outside the ES Program.
3. **Upper-division Major GPA:** All UC courses required for and applicable to your upper-division major (all Area A, B, and C courses for ES majors).

NOTE: You don't need to earn a C or higher in every class you take! Since this is a grade-point average requirement one can balance a low grade (even a D-) in one course with a high grade in another. Just need to make sure the average GPA meets the 2.0 level.

The following are circumstances in which one might need to earn a specific minimum grade:

- * You must earn at least a C in Writing 1 to fulfill the Entry Level Writing Requirement.
- * Some courses specify a minimum grade (often a "C" or "C-") in prerequisite courses before moving on in a series. Be sure to check the General Catalog for prerequisites to courses that you plan to take in the future.
- * Some majors require certain minimum grades/GPA in "pre-major" courses; This **does not** currently apply to ES or Hydro majors.

For help with how to calculate your GPA for the above requirements, please go to: <https://www.duels.ucsb.edu/advising/policies/gpa-calculator>

Unit Requirements

To be eligible for a bachelor's degree, you must complete a minimum of 180 total quarter units (184 if you fulfill General Education Area B - foreign language - requirement with a course taken while at UCSB). A minimum of 60 quarter units must be upper-division (courses numbered 100-199).

Academic Residence (*Based on principle students should complete a minimum # of quarters and units at UCSB in order to earn a degree.*)

1. **Three regular terms** (quarters) in the university with a minimum of 6 units in each term. A UC Summer session of at least 2 units, but fewer than 6 units, is considered a half term.
2. **Senior Residence:** After reaching 135 credit units, the student must complete another 35 units while in residence at UCSB. If the student is in UC EAP, UCDC, or UCSAC for all or part of the Senior year, the 35 units in residence can be taken after the first 90 units are completed.
3. Students in the College of L&S must **complete at least 27 upper-division units while at UCSB**. Of those 27 upper-division units, 20 must be in the upper-division for your major. For students who double major, at least 20 upper-division units must be completed in each

Please remember students are ultimately responsible for making sure they have satisfied all major and university requirements.

The above information is provided to assist one with understanding these requirements; but if you have any questions or doubts about fulfilling a requirement(s) check your academic progress on GOLD or consult an Advisor within the College of Letters and Science.