

Environmental Studies Major Experiential Major Map for BA Degree

(There are other pathways for this degree — please speak with an Environmental Studies advisor.)

GET THE COURSES YOU NEED 128 credits + 4 short terms	Year One		Year Two		Year Three		Year Four	
	FALL	SPRING	FALL	SPRING	FALL	SPRING	FALL	SPRING
	• ES 105 (4) or ES 207/207L (4, 2)	• ES 104 (4)	• ES 207/207L (4, 2) or ES 105 • ES 261 (4)	• ES 262 (4) • ES 212 (2)	• One ES elective (4) • Stat 140 or 251 (4)	• One ES elective (4 OR 4, 2)	• ES 470 (4) • One ES elective (4)	• One ES elective (4 OR 4, 2)
BE INVOLVED AND JOIN DIVERSE COMMUNITIES	Attend the Hollins Science Seminar every year Get involved in on-campus clubs: Students for Environmental Action (SEA), Community Garden, Student Sustainability Committee (SSC) Seek out volunteer opportunities		 Seek out volunteer opportunities Connect to a local environmental organization or non-profit in Roanoke. Consider the Hollins Outdoor Leadership Certificate 		Seek out volunteer opportunities Consider leadership positions such as a Student Success Leader (SSL), Student Government Leader, or Orientation Team Leader		Consider leadership positions such as a Global Ambassador, Career Connector, subject area tutor, the International Student Orientation program, or Early Transition Program mentor	
EXPAND YOUR INTERCULTURAL AND GLOBAL HORIZONS	Consider a J-term travel course Read broadly about environmental issues (https://e360.yale.edu/)		Consider a J-term travel course APPLY TO STUDY ABROAD in your Junior Year (Hollins Abroad office deadlines in February). All School for Field Studies courses apply to ES major, while other programs often have 1-2 ES related courses.		Consider a J-term travel course STUDY ABROAD Read broadly about environmental issues (https://e360.yale.edu/)		Consider a J-term travel course Read broadly about environmental issues (https://e360.yale.edu/)	
GAIN RELEVANT EXPERIENCE AND PREPARE FOR LIFE AFTER GRADUATION	 Apply for one of the Internships for first year students in J-term Consider a course or pursue a Batten Leadership Institute certificate Attend H.U. Career Connections Conference (C3) every year Start keeping a list of items to add to your CV/resume Establish a HandShake Account 		 Apply for a signature internship or find a relevant internship on your own Consider the Hollins Outdoor Leadership Certificate Visit Internship/Job websites: (e.g. Texas A&M Job Board; Green Jobs Net; Indeed) Talk to ES faculty about their research and internship opportunities. Develop a resume you are proud of Investigate and apply for summer research programs and/or internships 		 Apply for a signature internship or find a relevant internship on your own Investigate and apply for summer research programs and/or internships Consider beginning senior thesis (if interested in grad school) Establish a LinkedIn Account Seek out volunteer opportunities Attend Career Center Workshops Make an appointment with Career Counselor Network at C3 conference Study for GRE if you are thinking about graduate school Refine your resume 		 Secure J-term internship Conduct senior research (particularly if interested in graduate school) Update your LinkedIn and Handshake Accounts Attend job fairs on campus and off Take the GRE Refine your resume Investigate job boards and have a cover letter and resume you can tailor for each job Make an appointment with Career Counselor 	
ADD TOOLS TO YOUR LIFE BELT	Develop a self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, develop time management skills		Hone your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy		Expand your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy		Embrace your self-care mindset: Consider your nutrition, engage in exercise, practice mindfulness, connect with others, embrace financial literacy	