

**Wildlife Ecology Major
Natural Resources Track**

**Bachelor of Science Degree
SAMPLE Four-Year Plan**

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This Sample Four-Year Plan is a tool to assist you and your advisor in planning your academic career. Use it along with the Curriculum Sheet for your program, your DARS report, and the Course Guide.

	Fall Semester Sample Courses	Credits	Fall Semester Actual Courses	Credits	Spring Semester Sample Courses	Credits	Fall Semester Actual Courses	Credits
Year 1	F&W ECOL 101 F&W ECOL 318 MATH 112, 113, 114 or 171 Gen-Ed ¹	1 3 2-5 3-12 12-18			F&W ECOL 379 MATH 113, 114 or 171 CHEM 108 or 103 Gen-ed ¹	3 2-5 4-5 0-9 12-18		
Year 2	ZOOLOGY 151 or 101/102 Natural Resources elective Gen-Ed ¹	5 2-4 3-11 12-18			ZOOLOGY 152 or BOTANY 130 Statistics BOTANY 401 ² Wildlife Resources elective	5 3-4 4 3 15-16		
Year 3	Breadth elective F&W ECOL 561 Gen-Ed ¹	3 3 3-12 12-18			F&W ECOL 306 ZOOLOGY 520/521 or 510/511 Wildlife Resources elective Forest Management Course ³	4 5-6 3 3-4 15-17		
Year 4	F&W ECOL 401 ⁴ F&W ECOL 360 ⁵ Gen-Ed ¹	3-5 3 4-12 12-18			Capstone course ⁶ F&W ECOL 655 ZOOLOGY 410 or 466 Gen-ed ¹	3 3 3 3-9 12-18		

Notes:

¹ Gen-Ed requirements include communications, ethnic studies, humanities, social science, or international studies. See Page 1 of the Curriculum Sheet for more details.

² BOTANY 400 offered in Fall

³ Or fall

⁴ Or other physiology

⁵ Or 651 in spring; F&W ECOL 360 counts for the CALS International Studies requirement, but F&W ECOL 651 does not

⁶ F&W ECOL 375-Complexity and Conservation of White-Tailed Deer offered in Fall

Possible places where students may cut down on courses: COMM-A placement test, COMM-B taken as ZOOLOGY 152, QR-A placement test, AP/IB credits (biology, social sciences, humanities, language, chemistry, physics, math, statistics), Natural Resources Management electives course for social science course, F&W ECOL 360 for international studies

- Students should take elective courses in place of the Gen-Ed courses once they have completed their Gen-Ed requirements