

I. GENERAL EDUCATION.....44

Refer to the General Education check sheet for foreign languages that can be used. Six hours of courses taken for General Education credit MAY be used to satisfy requirements for the major. If more than six hours of required courses have been taken for General Education credit, select alternatives in consultation with your sustainable development advisor.

II. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS..... 41 or 42

2.0 major GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in fulfillment of the major requirements. Minimum of 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by Appalachian.

A. Required SD Core (20 semester hours):

SD 2400 ____ (3)	Principles of Sustainable Development	PHL 2015 ____ (3)	Environmental Ethics
SD 3100 ____ (4)	Principles of Agroecology	SD 3000 ____ (4)	Science for Sustainability (WID)
STT 2810 ____ (3)	Introduction to Statistics	ANT/SD 4570 ____ (3)	Sus Dev in the Modern World System (CAP)

B. Choose at least 3 hours from each area (15 or 16 semester hrs)

AREA 1. ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

BIO 3302 ____ (4)	Ecology
BIO 3312* ____ (3)	Environmental Studies (Pre: BIO 1802)
CHE 2550* ____ (3)	Intro to Environmental Chemistry (Pre: CHE 1101 and CHE 1110)
GHY 3110* ____ (3)	Vegetation, Soils, & Landforms (Pre: GHY 1010 or permission of instructor)
GLY 3703* ____ (3)	Issues in Environmental Geology (Pre: two-semester sequence in a natural science)

AREA 2. POLITICAL ECONOMY & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

P S/ANT 4220 ____ (3)	Globalization
ANT 4565 ____ (3)	Agrarian Studies & Rural Development
ECO 3620 ____ (3)	Environ. & Natural Resources Economics
ECO 3800* ____ (3)	Urban & Regional Economics (Pre: ECO 2030 and ECO 2040)
GHY 3210* ____ (3)	Economic Geography (Pre: one introductory course in either geography or economics)
SD 3400 ____ (3)	Development & Underdevelopment
SD 4400 ____ (3)	Sustainability, Economics, & Development

AREA 3. TOOLS, METHODS, & APPLICATIONS

ANT 3550 ____ (3)	Applied Anthropology
ECO 4660* ____ (3)	Benefit & Cost Analysis (Pre: ECO 2030)
GHY 3820 ____ (3)	GIS for Environmental & Social Sciences
PLN 2410 ____ (3)	Town, City, & Regional Planning
PLN 4450 ____ (3)	Planning for Sustainable Communities
PLN 4460 ____ (3)	Environmental Policy & Planning
PLN 4470 ____ (3)	Community Development
TEC 3601 ____ (3)	Intro to Energy Issues & Technology

C. Area Studies (6 semester hours)

Courses must be chosen in consultation with the SD faculty advisor. Focus on one geographic/cultural area, in consultation with the advisor (e.g., Appalachia, Latin America, Asia, Africa, South Asia, Middle East, etc.)

III. AGROECOLOGY AND SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE CONCENTRATION24-26

Students must take a minimum of 24-26 semester hours from the courses below. No course used in above core or major requirements can be used in this concentration.

A. Required Core (15 semester hours):

SD 3150 ____ (4)	Soil & Soil Fertility Management
SD 3300 ____ (3)	Farm Business Mgmt & Marketing

B. Electives – Choose three of the following: (9-11 semester hours)

ANT 4565 ____ (3)	Agrarian Studies & Rural Development
ECO 3620 ____ (3)	Environmental & Resource Economics
GHY 3110* ____ (3)	Vegetation, Soils, & Landforms (Pre: GHY 1010, or permission of the instructor)
SD 3200 ____ (4)	Agroforestry, Farm Forestry, & Sus Forest Mgmt

SD 4100 ____ (4)	Agroecology Prac, Sys, & Philosophies
SD 4200 ____ (4)	Ecologically-Based Pest Management
SD 3250 ____ (4)	Livestock Production & Management
SD 3350 ____ (3)	Contemporary Issues in Agriculture & Food
SD 3450 ____ (3)	Farmworkers
SD 4900** ____ (1-9)	Internship/Practicum

**NOTE: these courses have prerequisites outside the major*

***SD 4900 is a 1 – 9 s.h. course, but only 6 s.h. maximum may apply to meeting the requirements for the concentration)*

IV. MINOR (Optional)

V. ELECTIVES (taken to total 122 hours for the degree)..... 10-13

2 semester hours of free electives must be outside the major discipline.