



EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCE

Transfer Planning Worksheet

MINIMUM UNIVERSITY ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Minimum cumulative GPA: 2.0
- World Language
 - 2 quarters at the college level *or*
 - 2 years in high school
- Intermediate Algebra
 - Intermediate Algebra with a 2.0 in college *or*
 - 3 years of math in high school, including Intermediate Algebra
- English Proficiency (*if required*)
Please see detailed entry on back

QUANTITATIVE & SYMBOLIC REASONING (QSR)

Courses that satisfy this requirement focus on mathematics and statistics, or symbolic argument. Common courses that meet the requirement are: MATH& 107, MATH& 146, MATH& 140, MATH& 148 & MATH& 151. If you have questions about your QSR, please consult an advisor. Note that MATH& 141 and MATH& 142 do not meet QSR.

COMPETITIVE APPLICANTS

Students that are generally competitive to IAS will have the following:

1. Prerequisite GPA of 2.7
2. Cumulative college GPA of 2.7
3. A positive grade trend
4. All prerequisites complete at time of application

APPLICATION DEADLINES

uwb.edu/admissions/dates

COURSE EVALUATIONS

Please see a transfer advisor at UW Bothell to verify science courses.

The Bachelor of Science in Earth System Science (ESS) prepares students to address environmental challenges facing the world today. Earth System Science is an interdisciplinary field of study that examines the physical and chemical nature of the environment in various media (as well as atmosphere, rivers, lakes, oceans, soils, and lithosphere), and their interaction with each other.

MAJOR ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants to Earth System Science must complete these prerequisites:

Prerequisites	UW Equiv.	Common Course	Grade
English Composition	ENGL 131	ENGL& 101	
Calculus I (QSR)	MATH 124	MATH& 151	
10 Cr Earth System Science Courses*	Varies*		
	Varies*		
General Chemistry or Physics	PHYS 114 & 117, PHYS 121, or CHEM 142	PHYS& 114, PHYS& 221 or CHEM& 161	
Prerequisite GPA:			

*ESS courses can be verified with a transfer advisor. Examples are intro to geology, astronomy, oceanography etc.

NOTE:

ESS is a major change as of Autumn 2019. Previous Environmental Science: ESS Pathway prerequisites will be honored until Autumn 2021.

UW AREA OF KNOWLEDGE (AOK)

All IAS applicants must complete 10 credits in each AOK category.

Note: Some areas will already be filled by major admission requirements:

VLPA (10 CREDITS)	CR.	NW (15 CREDITS)	CR.	I&S (15 CREDITS)	CR.
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

VLPA = Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts

ex. art, literature, drama, speech, music, linguistics...

NW = Natural World

ex. biology, chemistry, physics, math, geology...

I&S = Individuals and Society

ex. history, psychology, economics, philosophy...

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

Please complete one of the following:

TOEFL/IELTS Option

	TOEFL	IELTS
Satisfies EP	<input type="checkbox"/> 83+	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.5+
Requires B WRIT in first 2 Quarters	<input type="checkbox"/> 76-82	<input type="checkbox"/> 6.0

NOTE: Scores valid for 2 years

90 Credits Option

- 90 transferable credits
- 2.75 min cum GPA
- 3.0 in ENGL 131 (*English Composition*)
- 3.0 in ENGL 141 (*Writing from Research*)

Intensive English Program at UW Seattle Option

Must complete the following:

- Complete the level 5 in IEP
- Contact uwbintl@uw.edu after taking the IEP Placement test

High School Option

- 4 years of HS English (3.0+ in each) *and*
- SAT Evidence-Based Reading + Writing (560+) OR SAT CR (500+)

NOTE: scores valid for 5 years

Find out how courses from your Washington Community College will transfer to the UW Bothell:

Transfer Equivalency Guide:
admit.washington.edu/apply/transfer/equivalency-guide/

MyPlan:
myplan.uw.edu/transferplanner

EDUCATIONAL PLAN

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NOTES:

MEET AN ADMISSIONS ADVISOR!

> TRANSFER INFORMATION SESSION

To reserve your spot today, please visit our website:
uwb.edu/admissions/visit

> ADVISING APPOINTMENT

Meet with your Admissions Advisor to discuss the application process, prerequisites required for your major, and how to prepare to be a competitive candidate!

> CAMPUS TOUR

Tours are led by current students who can answer any questions you may have about becoming a future Husky.

CONTACT US:

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