Earth Science Bachelor of Arts Major/Pre-Professional Secondary Education Minor Suggested Academic Plan

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Year 1	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
Students must	C1HC or C1CT	3	CHEM 131 (C3PP)	3	*Take VCLA	
complete all Madison	C5WD	3	CHEM 131L	1	*Take ALEKS/Praxis Core Math	
Foundations courses	MATH 205 (C3QR)	3	WRTC 103 (C1W)	3	*Complete CPR/First Aid/AED	
by end of first year.	Structural Geology Course (C3NS)	3	C1HC or C1CT	3		
	GEOL 110L (C3L)	1	C2VPA	3		
	GEOL 167 (fall only)	3	GEOL 230	4		
	*Attend TE meeting in November.					
	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	17	Total Credits	
Year 2	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
	Foreign Language 101	4	Foreign Language 102	4		
	EDUC 200	3	GEOL 320	3		
	GEOL 211 (C3NS) or GEOL 401 (fall only)	3	GEOL 377 (spring only)	3		
	BIO 140	3	GEOL 291	1		
	BIO 140L	1	Math #2 (recom. MATH 220)	3		
	С2НQС	3	PSYC 160 (C5SD)	3		
			*Be admitted to TE by 3/1			
	Total Credits	17	Total Credits	17	Total Credits	
Year 3	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
Enrollment in MSSE	GEOL 307 (fall only) or ASTR 220	3	MSSE 370	3		
370 and MSSE 371	GEOL 367 (fall only)	4	MSSE 371	1		
requires admission to	PHYS 140	3	Foreign Language 232 (BA Language)	3		
the Teacher Education	PHYS 140L	1	EDUC 310	3		
Program and must be	Foreign Language 231	3	C4GE	3		
completed no later	MSSE 101	1	Philosophy (BA Req.)	3		
than spring of junior						
year.	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	
Year 4	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer - GRAD	Cr.
MSSE 370, MSSE 371,	MSSE 414 (fall only)	3	GEOL 491	2	EDUC 540	3
and EDUC 310, must	MSSE 415	3	GEOL 477 (spring only)	4	EXED 512	3
be completed before	LED 440	3	C4AE	4	MSSE 607	3
enrolling in MSSE 414,	GEOL 387 (fall only)	4	Cognate Elect. (see catalog for options)	4	MSSE 625	3
MSSE 415, and LED	C2L	3				
440.	*Attend Student Teaching meeting.		*Apply to graduate undergrad.		*Passing score on Praxis SA required by	
			*Attempt Praxis SA by 3/1.		August 15.	-
	*Apply to Graduate School		*Attempt Praxis SA DV 3/1.		August 15.	

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Year 5	Fall - GRAD	Cr.	Spring - GRAD	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
	MSSE 544 (fall only)	3	MSSE 650	3	*Apply for Teaching License	
	MSSE 549 (fall only)	3	MSSE 675 #1 (student teaching)	3		
	EXED 520	3	MSSE 675 #2 (student teaching)	3		
	MSSE 630 (fall only)	3				
	*Apply to graduate Graduate School		*graduate Graduate School			
	Total Credits	12	Total Credits	9	Total Credits	