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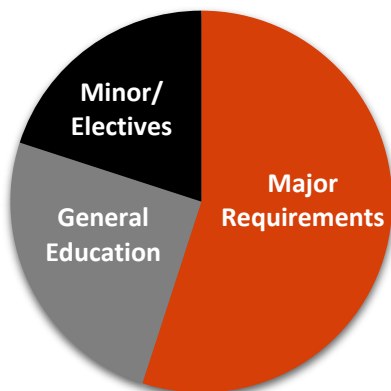
Portland Community College

Sustainability Double Degree

Sustainability impacts all aspects of global business, politics, economics, and society, creating a need for leaders who have the skills and knowledge to address issues such as climate change, reliance on traditional energy sources, water issues, and the demand for socially and environmentally responsible products and services.

The B.S. in Sustainability is only available as a double degree. Current OSU students can complete the B.S. in addition to their primary degree program. The degree is designed to complement all OSU degree programs. For example, a student can major in Environmental Economics and Policy and then add the Sustainability double degree to receive a B.S. in both areas of study.

Your Bachelor's Degree BS in the College of Agricultural Sciences



- A minimum of 212 credits are required for graduation with a primary degree and a double degree; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 transfer credits may be applied toward a bachelor's degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 can be accepted.
- Some courses can count towards your major and General Education. Check with your advisor.
- More info available at <https://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/agricultural-sciences/sustainability-bs-hbs/>

Courses for this Major (Offered at Portland Community College)

This list is not comprehensive. Speak with an OSU advisor for more information.

Priority courses to complete before transferring are distinguished by ^P

Sustainability Core Requirement	[CC] Equivalent Course	OSU Courses	Notes
Orientation to Sustainability	--	SUS 200	Available online at OSU
Sustainability Assessment	--	SUS 304	Available online at OSU
Sustainable Communities	--	SUS 350	Available online at OSU
Intro to Environ Sci and Sustainability	--	SUS 102	Available online at OSU
Social Dimension of Sustainability: choose one	--	SUS 331, SUS 420, SOC 381, SOC 480, SOC 481	All available online at OSU

Economic Dimension of Sustainability: choose one	--	AEC 250, AEC 351, AEC 352	All available online at OSU
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Important Notes & Resources

Important Notes for the College and Major:

- See the Sustainability Double Degree website at agsci.oregonstate.edu/sustainabilitydd
- See program requirements by searching "Sustainability" at admissions.oregonstate.edu/find-your-major
- Other similar majors to explore: [Natural Resources](#), [Fisheries, Wildlife, and Conservation Sciences](#), and [Environmental Sciences](#)
- Sustainability students complete a Practicum, which may be fulfilled by an internship, research, a study abroad program, a service-learning trip, or a sustainability credential exam. See the Sustainability advisor for more information about options and pre-requisites.
- Classes for your primary major and some Core Education are priority courses to complete before transferring to OSU.
- Students can transfer and begin Sustainability coursework any term but should ask the best time to transfer based on their primary major and its requirements.
- It is important to speak with your Sustainability advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

Resources and OSU Information:

- Students do not have to complete a transfer degree in order to transfer to OSU.
- If you've completed the Oregon AAOT or ASOT, all lower division Core Ed requirements are considered complete.
- If you've completed to CTM (Core Transfer Map) or an MTM (Major Transfer Map), all lower division Core Ed requirements are considered complete except Difference, Power and Oppression Foundations.
- Preparing to apply to OSU? See admissions info: transfer.oregonstate.edu/applying-oregon-state-university
- Want to take classes at both OSU and an Oregon community college? Check out the Degree Partnership Program: partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students
- Visit OSU for a campus tour and meet with an advisor; schedule your visit at visitosu.oregonstate.edu
- Find more transfer student resources at transfer.oregonstate.edu.

Core Education Requirements

- Please note, Core Education ("Core Ed"), include the general education requirements for students admitted to OSU Summer 2025 and onward. Students admitted Spring 2025 and earlier should refer to the Baccalaureate Core and/or their advisor for guidance.
- For full listing of courses that fulfill Core Education requirements, please refer to <https://transfer.oregonstate.edu/oregon-and-hawaii-course-articulations> and search for the Oregon CC you are attending.

FOUNDATIONAL CORE	Writing Foundations	
	Arts and Humanities: General	
	Arts and Humanities: Global	
	Quantitative Literacy and Analysis	
	Communication, Media and Society	
	Social Science	
	Scientific Inquiry and Analysis (2 courses)	SUS 102: Introduction to Environmental Science and Sustainability SUS 103: Introduction to Climate Change
SIGNATURE CORE	Difference, Power and Oppression Foundations	
	Transitions	
	Difference, Power and Oppression Advanced	SUS 331: Sustainability, Justice, and Engagement
	Seeking Solutions	SUS 350: Sustainable Communities
	Writing Elevation	
Writing Intensive Curriculum		

Advising Contacts

It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. **See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan.** Also, consider visiting OSU to take a campus tour and meet with an advisor. See visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus to schedule your personalized visit.

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