

CLIMATE AND ARCTIC SUSTAINABILITY B.A.

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Minimum Requirements for Climate and Arctic Sustainability B.A.: 120 credits

CONCENTRATIONS: ARCTIC HISTORY AND POLITICS (P. 2), ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (P. 2) AND NATIVE STUDIES (P. 2)

Students must earn a C- grade or better in each course.

Code	Title	Credits
General University Requirements		
Complete the general university requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#gurbachelorsdegreestext)		
General Education Requirements		
Complete the general education requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#generaleducationrequirementstext)		35-40
As part of the general education requirements, complete the following:		
ATM F101X	Weather and Climate of Alaska	
or BIOL F104X	Natural History of Alaska	
or CHEM F111X	Introduction to Environmental Chemistry of the Arctic	
B.A. Degree Requirements		
Complete the B.A. degree requirements. (https://catalog.uaf.edu/bachelors/#bachelorofartstext)		37
Climate and Arctic Sustainability Program Requirements		
Complete the following:		
ACNS F201	The Circumpolar North: An Introductory Overview	3
ACNS F484	Perspectives on the North ¹	3
ANS F242X	Indigenous Cultures of Alaska	3
or ANTH F242	Native Cultures of Alaska	
or ACNS F449	Northern and Environmental Literature	
or ENGL F449	Northern and Environmental Literature	
HIST F483	20th-century Circumpolar History	3
or PS F452	International Relations of the North	
or PS F469	Arctic Politics and Governance	
Category Requirements		
Students must complete an additional 3 credits from each of the following categories. Students are limited to 3 credits per department except for Arctic and Northern Studies.		9
Social Sciences - 3 credits		
Humanities - 3 credits		
Natural Sciences - 3 credits		
Concentration		
Complete one of the following:		15-19
Arctic History and Politics		
Environmental Studies		

Native Studies	
Electives	
General Electives	3-12
Total Credits	120

¹ Fulfills the baccalaureate capstone requirement.

Special Notes:

- Students must take at least 39 upper-division credits in the B.A. degree.
- Students are not permitted to use one course to satisfy more than one major requirement.
- Students may petition the program director to substitute other courses towards the degree.
- Students are encouraged to minor in Alaska Native Languages, if interested.

Categories

SOCIAL SCIENCES

Code	Title	Credits
ACNS F429	Geography of the Arctic and Circumpolar North	3
ANS/PS F325	Alaska Native and Comparative Tribal Self-Government	3
ANS/PS F425	Federal Indian Law and Alaska Natives	3
HIST F461	History of Alaska	3
HIST F483	20th-century Circumpolar History	3
HSEM F461	Human Security in Alaska	3
JUST F340	Rural Justice in Alaska	3
PS F452	International Relations of the North	3
PS F469	Arctic Politics and Governance	3
RD F470	The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Pre-1971 to Present	3

HUMANITIES

Code	Title	Credits
ACNS/ART F425	Visual Images of the North	3
ACNS/ENGL F449	Northern and Environmental Literature	3
ANS F329	Indigenous Alaska Native Language and Culture Revitalization	3
ANS/ENGL F349	Narrative Art of Alaska Native Peoples (in English translation)	3
ANS/ANTH/ART F365	Alaska Native Art History	3
ANS/ART F368	Alaska Native Art Studio II	3
ANS/RD F401	Cultural Knowledge of Native Elders	3
ANS/ART F468	Alaska Native Art Studio III	3
ENGL F341	Contemporary Alaska Native Literature	3
HIST F481	Polar Exploration and Its Literature	3

NATURAL SCIENCES

Code	Title	Credits
ATM F101X	Weather and Climate of Alaska	4
BIOL F104X	Natural History of Alaska	4

CHEM F111X	Introduction to Environmental Chemistry of the Arctic	4
EBOT F100	Introduction to Ethnobotany	3
EBOT F230	Ethnobotanical Chemistry	3
ENVI F101X	Introduction to Environmental Science	4
ENVI F220	Introduction to Sustainable Energy	3
FISH F110	Fish and Fisheries in a Changing World	3
FISH F261	Introduction to Fisheries Utilization	3
FISH F288	Fish and Fisheries of Alaska	3

Concentrations

ARCTIC HISTORY AND POLITICS

Code	Title	Credits
Arctic History and Politics Concentration Requirements		
Complete five of the following:		15
ACNS F429	Geography of the Arctic and Circumpolar North	
ANS F310	Alaska Native and Comparative Indigenous Land Settlements	
ANS/PS F325	Alaska Native and Comparative Tribal Self-Government	
ANS/PS F425	Federal Indian Law and Alaska Natives	
HIST F404	Modern Scandinavia	
HIST F461	History of Alaska	
HIST F463	Imperial Russia, 1700-1917	
HIST F464	Soviet and Post-Soviet Russia	
HIST F481	Polar Exploration and Its Literature	
HIST F483	20th-century Circumpolar History	
PS F450	Comparative Indigenous Rights and Policies	
PS F452	International Relations of the North	
PS F460	Government and Politics of Canada	
PS F462	Alaska Government and Politics	
PS F468	Government and Politics of Russia	
PS F469	Arctic Politics and Governance	
RD F470	The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Pre-1971 to Present	

Total Credits 15

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

Code	Title	Credits
Environmental Studies Concentration Requirements		
Complete five of the following:		15-19
ACNS/ENGL F449	Northern and Environmental Literature	
ATM F101X	Weather and Climate of Alaska	
BIOL F104X	Natural History of Alaska	
CHEM F104X	Introduction to Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry	
EBOT F100	Introduction to Ethnobotany	
EBOT F230	Ethnobotanical Chemistry	
ENVI F101X	Introduction to Environmental Science	
ENVI F220	Introduction to Sustainable Energy	
FISH F110	Fish and Fisheries in a Changing World	

FISH F261	Introduction to Fisheries Utilization
FISH F288	Fish and Fisheries of Alaska
HIST F411	Environmental History
NRM F101	Natural Resources Conservation and Policy
PS F455	Political Economy of the Global Environment
PS F458	Comparative Environmental Politics
RD F255	Rural Alaska Land Issues
RD F265	Perspectives on Subsistence in Alaska

Total Credits 15-19

NATIVE STUDIES

Code	Title	Credits
Native Studies Concentration Requirements		
Complete five of the following:		15
ANS F310	Alaska Native and Comparative Indigenous Land Settlements	
ANS/PS F325	Alaska Native and Comparative Tribal Self-Government	
ANS F329	Indigenous Alaska Native Language and Culture Revitalization	
ANS/ENGL F349	Narrative Art of Alaska Native Peoples (in English translation)	
ANS F350	Cross-cultural Communication: Alaska Perspectives	
ANS/ANTH/ART F365	Alaska Native Art History	
ANS/ART F368	Alaska Native Art Studio II	
ANS/RD F401	Cultural Knowledge of Native Elders	
ANS/PS F425	Federal Indian Law and Alaska Natives	
ANS/ART F468	Alaska Native Art Studio III	
BA F391	Alaska Native Corporations: A Historical and Contemporaneous Perspective	
ENGL F341	Contemporary Alaska Native Literature	
HSEM F461	Human Security in Alaska	
JUST F340	Rural Justice in Alaska	
PS F450	Comparative Indigenous Rights and Policies	
RD F470	The Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act: Pre-1971 to Present	

Total Credits 15