

## Declaring a Major in CNR (For CNR Students)

- Undeclared students must declare a major by the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> semester. Failure to declare a major by junior standing will result in their registration being blocked, and they will not be able to enroll in any courses until they are declared.
- Current U.C. Berkeley students who entered as **freshmen** are expected to be able to graduate in a total of 8 semesters (summers excluded). Exceptions are rarely granted. Students should be progressing in major requirements each semester.
- All major requirement courses must be taken for a **letter grade**.
- Both halves of Reading and Composition (R1A & R1B) **must** be completed by the end of the **4<sup>th</sup> semester**.
- **Transfer students** are declared into a major upon admission. Students wishing to change majors and/or colleges must meet with the major advisor for specific guidelines. Such requests are rarely granted as students must meet all lower division requirements and be on track to graduate in a total of 4 semesters at UC Berkeley. Students cannot apply to transfer or change major during their first semester.

### Minimum Requirements Needed to Declare, by Major

- Indicates the **minimum** requirements needed to declare. Students with higher standing level/units are expected to be on track.  
 ► Indicates **strongly preferred** if completed and could be requested if applying to declare in the 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> semester.  
 \* Indicates major with an application deadline. See deadlines on reverse.

	R1A	R1B	Math 16A or 1A	Math 16B or 1B	Stats (selection program specific)	Econ EEPC1/ EconC3 or Econ 1 or 2	ESPM Social Science Core	ESPM Env Science Core	Breadth Physical Science	Breadth Biology	Other
<b>Conservation &amp; Resource Studies*</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Or Stats		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Or Calculus		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bio 1A, 1B or 11	ESPM 90
<b>Environmental Economics &amp; Policy</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
<b>Forestry &amp; Natural Resources*</b> (Forestry & Natural Sciences Concentration)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	► EPS 50, Geog 1 or 40	► Bio 1B	Also required: Chem 1A Preferred: ESPM 72
<b>Forestry &amp; Natural Resources*</b> (Human Dimensions of Natural Resources Concentration)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Or Math 32		►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	► Bio 1B or 11	Also preferred: ESPM 72
<b>Society &amp; Environment*</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Or Stats		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Or Calculus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	►	►	►	►	

	R1A	R1B	Math 16A or 1A	Math 16B or 1B	Chem 1A	Chem 3A/3AL	Chem 3B/3BL	Bio 1A/1AL	Bio 1B	Physics 8A	Other
<b>Environmental Sciences</b> (Biological Science Emphasis)	☑	▶	☑	☑	☑	☑		▶	▶		ES 10 (or ESPM C10)
<b>Environmental Sciences</b> (Physical Science Emphasis)	☑	▶	☑ Math 1A	☑ Math 1B	☑	☑		▶ Or Bio 11	▶ Or Bio 11	▶ Physics 7A	ES 10 (or ESPM C10)
<b>Environmental Sciences</b> (Social Science Emphasis)	☑	▶	☑	☑	☑	☑ Or Chem 1B		▶ Or Bio 11	▶ Or Bio 11		ES 10 (or ESPM C10)
<b>Genetics &amp; Plant Biology</b>	☑	▶	☑	☑	☑	☑	▶	▶	▶		
<b>Microbial Biology</b>	☑	▶	☑	☑	☑	☑	▶	▶	▶		
<b>Molecular Environmental Biology*</b>	☑	▶	☑	☑	☑	☑	▶	▶	▶		Also preferred: ESPM Env Science Core & ESPM Social Science Core
<b>Molecular Toxicology</b>	☑	▶	☑		☑	☑	▶	▶			NST 11 (offered spring semester only)
<b>Nutritional Science</b> (Dietetics)	☑	▶	☑		☑	☑	▶	▶			NST 10 (offered every semester)
<b>Nutritional Science</b> (Physiology & Metabolism)	☑	▶	☑		☑	☑	▶	▶			NST 10 (offered every semester)

- ✓ Students should refer to major snapshots for a complete list of major requirements and meet with the major advisor about declaring the major.
- ✓ To declare, you must complete the "Change of College, Major, or Curriculum" petition, print a copy of your unofficial transcripts, and meet with the appropriate major advisor.

**\*ESPM majors (FNR, S&E, MEB): Fall application deadline is October 1<sup>st</sup>; Spring application deadline is March 1<sup>st</sup>.**

**\*CRS: All application materials are due at the end of ESPM 90 (Friday of the 8<sup>th</sup> week of every semester).**