



Environmental and Sustainability Education (ESE) Microcredential

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ESE Microcredential

- ▶ Are you interested in teaching your students about environmental and sustainability education?
- ▶ Do you want to set yourself apart from other job applicants?
- ▶ Earn the ESE Microcredential and make your resume stand out!
- ▶ Environmental and Sustainability Education Microcredential (10 points)
 - ▶ Any education major can participate!



Middle school students planting trees to improve local watershed health

ESE Microcredential – 10 points

Points earned for the following activities:

1. Successful completion of ESE approved coursework at EWU

- ▶ 1 pt/credit
- ▶ EX: EDUC 440, EDUC 440, ENVS 100, and more options

2. ESE focused service learning (contact Dr. Baldwin for ideas of volunteer opportunities)

- ▶ 2pts/10 hours
- ▶ EX: Volunteer to help with Climate Science Saturday on June 19th to earn 2 points – contact Dr. Baldwin to volunteer.

3. ESE Lessons

- ▶ Write, teach and reflect on ESE focused lesson plan(s) in practicum or informal setting
- ▶ 1 pt/lesson

- ▶ Candidates must have points from a minimum of 2 of 3 categories.

Example Student

- ▶ Takes EDUC 440 – Environmental and Sustainability Education
 - ▶ 4 credits = 4 points
- ▶ Volunteers for Climate Science Saturday on June 19th
 - ▶ 10 hours = 2 points
- ▶ Volunteers at Turnbull National Wildlife Refuge
 - ▶ 10 hours = 2 points
- ▶ Writes, teaches and reflects on two (2) lessons in practicum
 - ▶ 2 lessons = 2 points
- ▶ 10 points

EDUC 490A – Natural Resources Capstone

- ▶ EDUC 490A – Natural Resources Capstone (5 credits)
 - ▶ Offered Summer 2021
 - ▶ Monday, June 14th – Friday, June 18th, 8am-5pm
 - ▶ All education majors welcome
 - ▶ Counts as a course for the ESE microcredential



Students learning about point and non-point sources of water pollution

Questions?

If you have any questions about the microcredential or EDUC 490A, please contact Dr. Kathryn Baldwin kbaldwin1@ewu.edu for further details and to receive updates on earning the microcredential.



ECE students exploring habitats



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