

## 2014 - 2015 Old Dominion University Catalog

### Bachelor of Science in Geography

*This is a sample four year curriculum with a suggested ordering of courses. Students have the flexibility of re-ordering as needed.*

*\*Indicates not automatically waived with transferrable associates degree, C or better required for transfer*

#### YEAR 1 - FRESHMAN (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 110C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 111*	Human Creativity	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
STAT 130M	MTH 146, 157, 240, 241 or 242*	Human Behavior	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
Language & Culture I (May be waived, see catalog for details)	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>	Language & Culture II (May be waived, see catalog for details)	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
Oral Communication	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>	Interpreting the Past	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
GEOG 100S	GEO 210*	GEOG 101S	GEO 200*

#### YEAR 2 - SOPHOMORE (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (16 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (14 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
ENGL 211C (Grade of C or better required)	ENG 112 or 210*	Literature	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
The Nature of Science I <i>OEAS 106N, 107N, 111N or 112N is recommended.</i>	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>	The Nature of Science II	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
Philosophy and Ethics	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>	Impact of Technology <i>Can be met with GEOG 306T</i>	<a href="#">Transfer Guide</a>
3-credit elective course		3-credit elective course	
3-credit elective course		1-credit elective course	

#### YEAR 3 - JUNIOR (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
<u>Major Coursework:</u>		<u>Major Coursework:</u>	
GEOG 300		GEOG 308 (C- or better required) Satisfies Information Literacy and Research	
GEOG Emphasis Area Course*		GEOG 300-400 elective (General Program)	
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<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:**</u>		<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:**</u>	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		300-/400-level course in minor subject	

#### YEAR 4 - SENIOR (30 CREDITS)

FALL SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:	SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)	VCCS Equivalency:
<u>Major Coursework:</u>		<u>Major Coursework:</u>	
GEOG 400W, 422W, 454W or 480W (Grade of C or better required)		GEOG 418 <i>May substitute with GEOG 402 and 404</i>	
GEOG 400-level elective (General Program)		GEOG Emphasis Area Course*	
GEOG Emphasis Area Course*		GEOG 400-level elective (General Program)	
GEOG Emphasis Area Course*		GEOG 400-level elective (General Program)	
<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:**</u>		<u>Upper Division Gen. Ed. Coursework:**</u>	
300-/400-level course in minor subject		300-/400-level course in minor subject	

**NOTE:** All students must complete and submit to the department a capstone paper in the junior or senior year.

**\*Students may choose one of the following emphasis areas:** Urban, Environment and Resources, or Geographic Information Systems. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option. Physical Geography emphasis may substitute the following ocean, earth and atmospheric science courses for up to 12 hours of Geography credit: OEAS 306, 310, 344W, 412, 443 or 448.

**\*\*Upper Division General Education may be satisfied by several options. Consult your catalog and advisor for your best option.**

Requirements for graduation include a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 overall and in the major, a grade of C or better in all courses required for the major, including prerequisite courses, 120 credit hours, which must include both a minimum of 30 credit hours overall and 12 credit hours in upper-level courses in the major program from Old Dominion University, completion of ENGL 110C, ENGL 211C or 221C or 231C, and a writing intensive (W) course in the major with a grade of C or better, and completion of Senior Assessment.