ENVS 1  Introduction to Environmental Science
Units: 4.0  Hours: 3.0 Lecture and 3.0 Laboratory
An introduction to the scientific principles and problem solving techniques used to evaluate the effects of human activities on different ecosystems. Topics will include the sustainability and stewardship of various ecosystems, environmental hazards such as air and water pollution, waste disposal, pesticides and herbicides, the impact of commercial and industrial activities, as well as population and urbanization. Basic chemistry, physics, and geology will be used throughout the course to explain and expand on these topics. The concepts will be reinforced with an integrated service learning laboratory program. This course was previously listed as ES 1.

FRENCH
FRNH 1A  Elementary French
Units: 5.0  Hours: 5.0 Lecture
French 1A is a multi-skilled beginning level class with emphasis on understanding and speaking French. Students are introduced to the cultures and customs of various French-speaking countries.

FRNH 1B  Elementary French
Units: 5.0  Hours: 5.0 Lecture
Continuation of French 1A with further development of the four skills of understanding, speaking, reading, and writing. Continued emphasis on culture. PREREQUISITE: French 1A, or equivalent.

GEOGRAPHY
GEOG 1  Physical Geography
Units: 3.0  Hours: 2.0 Lecture and 3.0 Laboratory
An introductory study of the basic physical elements of geography including climate, land forms, soils, water, and natural vegetation. The laboratory will include the tools and methods of geographers. (C-ID: GEOG 115) ADVISORY: Eligible for English 250 and English 260.

GEOG 2  Cultural Geography
Units: 3.0  Hours: 3.0 Lecture
This course is a study of diverse human populations, their cultural origins, diffusion and contemporary spatial expressions. Topics include: historical geography; geographical techniques & methodology, demography; languages & religions, urbanization and landscape modification; political units and nationalism; and economic systems and development. Emphasis is given to interrelationships between human activities and the biophysical environment. This course has the option of a letter grade or pass/no pass. ADVISORY: Skills commensurate with successful completion of English 250 and English 260 or equivalent.

GEOLOGY
GEOL 1  Introduction to Geology
Units: 4.0  Hours: 3.0 Lecture and 3.0 Laboratory
A study of the earth and the physical properties which modify the earth; minerals, rocks, geologic structures and processes. ADVISORY: Eligible for English 250 and English 260.