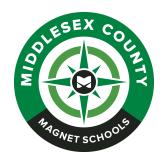
# AP Environmental Science Syllabus



#### Woodbridge Academy Middlesex Magnet School

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## COURSE DESCRIPTION

The AP Environmental Science course outlined in this framework reflects learning that analyzes environmental concepts and processes to achieve understanding in order to propose and justify solutions to environmental problems. The course teaches students how to apply science to the solutions of important social problems. It also provides opportunities to practice applying scientific methods to practical, real-life problems.

The AP Environmental Science course provides students with the scientific principles, concepts, and methodologies required to understand the interrelationships of the natural world. The course helps students identify and analyze natural and human-induced environmental problems. It enables them to learn how to assess the risks associated with these problems and evaluate alternative solutions for resolving and preventing them. To accomplish this goal, the AP Environmental Science Course and Exam Description defines concepts, skills, and understandings required by representative colleges and universities for granting college credit and placement.

#### **TEXTBOOK**

Environmental Science for AP Fourth Edition. Friedland and Relyea, 2025



## REQUIRED SUPPLIES

- Laptop computer
- Notebook, with separators for organizing handouts or separate folders
- Blue or black pen, or pencil

#### **GRADING**

Classwork 20%, Labs 30%, Tests/Quizzes 50%.

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## CLASSROOM EXPECTATIONS

- We are to be prepared each day, respect each other, and to actively participate.
- Be rested and ready to learn.
- Follow all safety rules, as described in the science safety procedures, which will be reviewed with students before each lab activity.
- All rules set forth in the Student Handbook will be enforced.

# ABSENCE & MAKEUP WORK:

If you are absent, you are still responsible to make-up the work you missed. It is the students' responsibility to contact me after an absence to receive direction for make-up assignments. Any missed work must be completed within a reasonable timeframe.

# LATE WORK POLICY:

All assignments are reduced one letter grade for everyday it is late. After two weeks the grade is a zero.

#### COURSE OVERVIEW

Topics			
Chapter 1	Your Career in Health Care		
Chapter 2	Developing Professionalism and Learning for your career		
Chapter 3	Health Care Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow		
Chapter 4	Ethical and Legal Responsibilities		
Chapter 5	Medical Terminology		
Chapter 6	Medical Math		
Chapter 7	Organization of the Human Body		
Chapter 8	Structure and Function of the Human Body		
Chapter 9	Growth & Development		
Chapter 10	Body Mechanisms		
Chapter 11	Infection Control		
Chapter 12	Environmental Safety		

**PARTICIPATION:** 

This course will have regular discussions and group assignments.

Student participation is required for the course. If a student refuses to participate in the group assignment or discussion they will receive a

reduced class participation grade.

**ACADEMIC HONESTY** 

Academic dishonesty will not be tolerated.

Students are expected to do their own work.

Refer to the student handbook for more information concerning academic honesty and use of technology and AI use in the class and use in student work.

**ELECTRONIC DEVICE** 

No electronic devices are allowed in the classroom except for student

laptops. If an electronic device is out during class it will be confiscated and

sent to the office in which the parent will be notified to pick it up.

**POLICY** 

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I have read and understood the course policies and expectations.				
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student signature		date		
parent/guardian signature		date		
parent email				
parent phone number				
Which form of communication is preferred (circle one):	Email	Phone		