

AP Environmental Science

Explore and investigate the interrelationships of the natural world and analyze environmental problems, both natural and human-made. You'll take part in laboratory investigations and field work.

- Explaining environmental concepts and processes
- Analyzing a research study to identify a hypothesis
- Analyzing data, visual representations, and writings
- Applying quantitative methods in solving problems
- Proposing a solution for an environmental problem and supporting your idea with evidence



Unit 1: The Living World: Ecosystems
Unit 2: The Living World: Biodiversity
Unit 3: Populations
Unit 4: Earth Systems and Resources
Unit 5: Land and Water Use
Unit 6: Energy Resources and Consumption
Unit 7: Atmospheric Pollution
Unit 8: Aquatic and Terrestrial Pollution
Unit 9: Global Change

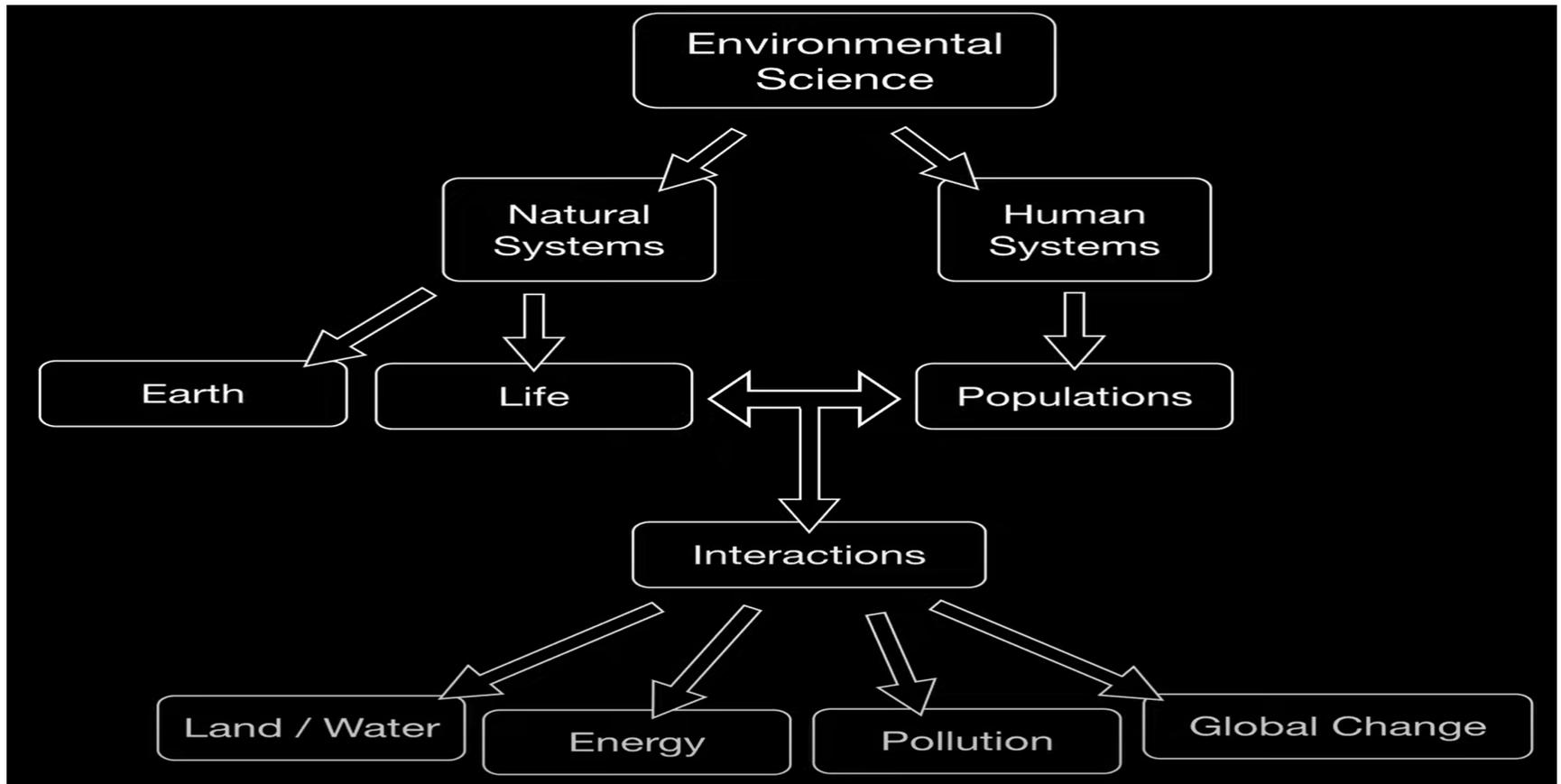
Depending on the college that you attend, a passing score on the APES exam can earn you introductory environmental science course credits. If you're planning to pursue a major related to the course, these credits can enable you to take more advanced courses earlier. If you're planning to pursue an unrelated major, these credits can fulfill various elective requirements.

“The job outlook is great. Not only is the environmental field projected to grow 8 percent annually, a large number of countries are set to boost demand as they behave in more environmentally friendly ways. You can work anywhere in the world. From jungles to beaches to farmland, the whole world needs environmental professionals, and you'll have the opportunity to work in every sort of context.”

-National Registry of Environmental Professionals

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