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## BLOCK TRANSFER AGREEMENT

**From: Sault College**

**Forest Conservation Technician Program**

**To: University of Northern BC**

**BSc Natural Resources Management, Forest Ecology and Management (FEM)**

Block transfer credit summary: The following list of course equivalents will appear on the transfer credit summary for students who have successfully completed **the Sault Forest Conservation Technician Program** and declare their **major in UNBC's NRM Forest Ecology and Management (FEM)**

<b>UNBC Course applicable to FEM Program</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Sault College Equivalence<sup>1</sup></b>
NREM 100-3	Field Skills	Awarded for diploma completion
NREM 101-3	Introduction to Natural Resources and Conservation	Awarded for diploma completion
NRES 100-3	Communications in Natural Resources and Environmental Studies	CCM 115, CMM 210-3 (b), CCM 220 (b)
FSTY 201-3	Forest Plant Systems	NRT 101, NRT 133 (b)
FSTY 207-1	Terrestrial Ecological Classification	NRT 256 (b)
NREM 203-3	Resource Inventories and Management	NRT 150 (b)
GEOG 205-3 or GEOG 300-3	Cartography and Geomatics Geographic Information Systems	NRT 217 (b) NET 303 (b)
FSTY 317-1	Forest Disturbance Agents	NRT 243 (b)
NREM 333-3	Field Applications in Resource Management	Awarded for diploma completion

<b>Other credit</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Sault College Equivalence</b>
BIOL 1xx-3		NRT 109 - Ecology
BIOL 1xx-3		NRT 140 - Forest Plant Biology
FSTY 1xx-3		NRT 146 - Silviculture 1
FSTY 2xx-3		NRT 239 - Silviculture 2
FSTY 2xx-3		NRT 203 - Tree Marking and Scaling
FSTY 2xx-3		NRT 244 - Urban Forestry
FSTY 2xx-3		NRT 245 - Forest Harvesting and Products
COMM 2xx-3		NRT 226 - Natural Resources Entrepreneurship
ENVS 101-3 - Intro to Env Citizenship		GEN 100 - Global Citizenship
NREM 210-3 - Integrated Resource Management		NRT 235 - Sustainable Resource Management
GEOG 300-3 - GIS		NET303 - Geographic Information System
ENPL 401-3 - Environmental Law		NRT 240 - Natural Resources Law
GEOG 432-3 - Remote Sensing		NET 204 - Remote Sensing

**Transfer credit total: up to 65 credit hours**

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<sup>1</sup> Course equivalencies were determined based on the following criteria:

- a. Course(s) articulated in BC CAT or previous standard established in other block agreements from the same college
  - b. Approval from appropriate professor acknowledging course equivalency
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**The following core courses must be completed:**

BIOL 101-4	Introductory Biology I (= BIOL 103-3 and BIOL 123-1 as of Sept 2014)
BIOL 102-4	Introductory Biology II (= BIOL 104-3 and BIOL 124-1 as of Sept 2014)
CHEM 100-3	General Chemistry I
CHEM 101-3	General Chemistry II
CHEM 120-1	General Chemistry Lab I
CHEM 121-1	General Chemistry Lab II
COMM 100-3	Introduction to Canadian Business
ECON 100-3	Microeconomics
MATH 152-3	Calculus for Non-majors
BIOL 201-3	Ecology
COMM 230-3	Organizational Behavior
ENSC 201-3	Weather and Climate
FSTY 205-3	Introduction to Soil Science
FSTY 209-4	Forest Biology and Silvics
GEOG 210-3	Geomorphology
STAT 240-3	Basic Statistics

**Upper-Division Requirements:**

FSTY 305-4	Silviculture
FSTY 307-3	Disturbance Ecology and Forest Health
FSTY 310-3	Forest Economics
or NREM 306-3	Society, Policy and Administration
NREM 303-3	First Nations' Approaches to Resource Management
NREM 333-3	Field Applications in Resource Management
FSTY 408-3	Forest Practices and Management
NREM 400-4	Natural Resources Planning
NREM 411-3	Environmental and Professional Ethics
NRES 421-1	Professional Writing
and NRES 422-2	Undergraduate Report
or NRES 430-6	Undergraduate Thesis

**Minor requirements associated with Forest Ecology and Management major:**

Forest Ecology and Management students are required to complete a minor as part of their degree. The eligible minors will allow students to gain a solid foundation in numerous specialized areas of forest management. For a list of eligible minors, please refer to the Academic Calendar.

Beyond the specific minor requirements, students must complete elective credit hours as necessary to ensure completion of a minimum of 123 credit hours.