APPLYING to the BA IN URBAN PLANNING AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT MAJOR

APPLICATION CONTENT
Students applying to the Urban Planning major must submit a narrative statement of purpose and, optionally, additional supporting materials, as an attachment to the Huxley College application form.

1. HUXLEY COLLEGE APPLICATION FORM
   (See https://huxley.wwu.edu/applying-huxley)

2. NARRATIVE STATEMENT (8 ½” x 11”) (REQUIRED)
A written statement of purpose, not to exceed 3 pages, discussing:
   a) Your educational goals and your expectations of the urban planning major;
   b) Your vision of yourself as a practicing urban planner – i.e. what you hope to accomplish in your working career; AND
   c) Past and current activities, employment, or experiences that led you to choose Western’s urban planning major, and how you believe those experiences will help you to succeed in a planning career.

3. ADDITIONAL ATTACHMENTS OF EVIDENCE (8 ½” x 11” format) (OPTIONAL)
To strengthen your application, we invite you to attach additional supporting materials (maximum 10 pages), such as:
   a) Your best writing example: an academic or research paper;
   b) Examples of your graphic design, mapping, or drawing skills;
   c) A list of inspiring readings, relevant to the degree program;
   d) Any other creative projects or activities that show evidence of your interests relating to the field of urban planning and sustainable development.

For further information, questions, or application forms, please visit the Huxley website at http://www.wwu.edu/huxley
## RECOMMENDED SEQUENCE OF CLASSES FOR
THE URBAN PLANNING MAJOR – Phase II
URBAN PLANNING and SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT
HUXLEY COLLEGE OF THE ENVIRONMENT

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**Plus the following (in any quarter available):**

**Huxley Common Core Science Requirements**
- Esci 302, 310, 325, or 392
- Esci 321, 330, 333, 361, or 464

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**Plus the following (in any quarter available):**

- **Huxley Common Core Science Requirements** (see above)
- **Electives and Specializations:**
  Select general electives (requires adviser approval) or specialized elective:
  1. Geographic information systems
  2. Sustainable design
  3. Community resilience
  4. Food security
  5. Environmental policy
  6. Energy and climate policy

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