## Introduction to Environmental Science 120 Course Outline - 2023

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## **COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

The objective of this course is for students to develop the knowledge base and skills for investigating and analyzing environmental issues and for communicating their knowledge and analysis to others.

## **DISTRIBUTION OF TOPICS:**

- Unit 1: An Overview of Environmental Science (25 hours)
  - The Issues
  - Population Growth and Resource Limitations
  - Researching Current Environmental Issues
- Unit 2: Sustainable Development (30 hours)
  - Ecology
  - Environmental Awareness
  - Sustainable Ecosystems and Communities
- Unit 3: Investigating Environmental Issues (35 hours)
  - CLASS THEME: Fisheries...Miramichi Watershed
  - INDIVIDUAL THEME: One of the following...
    Agriculture, Forests, Fresh Water, Energy Resources, Climate Change or Water/Air Pollution

SUMMATIVE ASSESSMENT 70% FINAL EVALUATION 30%