

RECREATION AND PARK ADMINISTRATION, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.S.) AND MASTER OF SCIENCE (M.S.) COMBINATION 3+2 PROGRAM WITH A CONCENTRATION IN RECREATION MANAGEMENT AND EVENT PLANNING

Students accepted to a Combination 3 + 2 Program are typically able to complete their bachelor's degree and master's degree within 5 calendar years by completing nine hours of graduate coursework which applies to their undergraduate degree requirements. Only undergraduate students with proven academic ability will be considered for the program.

Admission Requirements

Students seeking to enroll in a Combination 3 + 2 Program must satisfy all of the following conditions:

- 1) Junior or Senior in class standing
- 2) Undergraduate GPA of 3.0 or above
- 3) Maintain an overall undergraduate and graduate GPA of at least 3.0 to continue in the Combination 3 + 2 option
- 4) Approval from the department and Graduate School

To apply students may visit the Graduate School's website.

*Please note, enrollment in a Combination 3 + 2 undergraduate program does not equate to acceptance to the master's degree program. Students must submit an admissions application to begin the master's degree program.

Program Requirements

CIP Code: 31.0301

Students in the Combination 3+2 Program must complete the listed Recreation And Park Administration B.S. program requirements along with the same requirements for the Recreation And Park Administration M.S. Program. Nine (9) credit hours of 800-level graduate coursework; REC 801, REC 825, and REC 840 are applicable to the undergraduate degree.

Major

Code	Title	Hours
University Graduation Requirements		
General Education (http://catalogs.eku.edu/undergraduate/general-academic-information/general-education-requirements/)		36
<i>Foundations of Learning</i>		
GSD 101	Foundations of Learning	3
Upper division courses (42 hrs. distributed throughout Major/Supporting/Gen Ed/Free Electives categories)		
Major Requirements		

Core Courses

REC 101	Recreation and Tourism Careers	1
REC 102	Introduction to Recreation Leadership	3
REC 163	Fieldwork I	1
REC 200	Leisure Diversity and Culture	3
REC 263	Fieldwork II	2
REC 280	Programming Special Events	3
REC 311	Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation	3
REC 350	Supervision of Recreation Personnel	3
REC 406	Planning, Design , and Maintenance of Recreation Facilities	3
REC 450	Senior Seminar	3
REC 801	Park, Rec & Tour Resrch Methds	3
REC 825	Phil of Recreation and Leisure	3
REC 840	Admin Proc & Pract	3

Concentrations

Students must select one of the following Concentrations:

Outdoor Recreation and Natural Resources Management	
Recreation Management and Event Planning	28
Recreation Therapy	
Tourism and Resort Recreation	

Free Electives

Outdoor Recreation and Natural Resources Management	
Recreation Management and Event Planning	21
Recreation Therapy	
Tourism and Resort Recreation	

Total Hours **122**

Concentration

Code	Title	Hours
Concentration Courses		
REC 190	Challenge Course Introduction	1
REC 225	Recreation Hobbies	3
REC 290	Adventure Programming	3
REC 463	Internship	12
REC 480	Resort Recreation Management	3
REC 530	Park Management	3
REC 516	Recreation and Park Interpretive Services	3
or REC 590	Special Topics:___	
Total Hours		28

M.S. Recreation and Park Administration Major Requirements

See M.S. Recreation and Park Administration (<http://catalogs.eku.edu/graduate/health-sciences/parks-rec-exercise-sport-science/recreation-park-administration-ms/>) page.