3 Student Services

UW-Green Bay offers a variety of environmen-

tally related academic programs.

Major or minor programs: Environmental Science Environmental Policy and Planning Geoscience Biology Environmental Engineering Technology Graduate programs: Environmental Policy and Planning Sustainable Management Certificate program: Environmental Sustainability and Business

4 Studio Arts

In woodshop, painting classes, and sculpture making classes, all scrap materials are saved and reused when possible.



5 Shorewood Golf Course

Through stormwater run-off management, reclaimed water is used for the golf course ponds. Wind and solar pond aerators are used and very little fertilizer is applied to the greens.

14 Arboretum

A massive 290-acre natural area surrounding campus where Wisconsin native plants and wildlife are preserved and restored through the efforts of the Biodiversity Center and UW-Green Bay students and staff. The Arboretum includes a more than six-mile-long hiking trail, numerous ponds, and observation points.

15 Kress Events Center

The floor for the Kress Center fitness area is made out of recycled rubber tires. Other sustainable materials were used during the building process including low VOC paint, locally sourced hardwood floors, and other recycled content. Solar panels on the roof are used to heat the pool, and LED lights are used throughout the building to conserve energy.

Campus Wide Sustainability

UW-Green Bay offers annual sustainability related events on campus. Visit the UW-Green Bay Student Events page to find out more.

There are multiple environmentally focused student organizations on campus. Some of which are PEAC, SLO Food Alliance, Round River Alliance, and the Campus Kitchen.

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Promoting environmental sustainability as part of our campus mission since 1965.



Created by the Environmental Management Business Institute (EMBI) and the UW-Green Bay Sustainability Committee.

The Purpose of the Green Tour

To provide an opportunity to explore the many aspects of the campus that showcase the University of Wisconsin Green Bay's commitment to sustainability.



1 Phoenix Park

A protected area of land in the middle of campus where students are able to spend time outside and take part in outdoor recreational activities. A fire pit, volleyball courts, and bag toss boards are available for student to use and offer enjoyable ways to socialize.

2 University Union

The building is designed to conserve heat through the use of double doors, natural lighting, and window blinds. The coffee shop in the Union Common Grounds Coffeehouse serves locally sourced coffee and offers a discount to customers who bring in reusable mugs.

6 Campus Garden

The student run garden, managed by the SLO Food Alliance, provides an opportunity for students to engage in sustainable food practices.

7 Mary Ann Cofrin (MAC) Hall

The building design includes a solar wall, photovoltaic windows, and standing seam metal roof to help increase heat exchange throughout the building using sustainable methods. It serves as the headquarters for the UW-Green Bay Biodiversity Center and houses the Lenfesty Courtyard, Richter Muesum of Natural History, and UW-Green Bay Herbarium.

8 Cofrin Library

Recycling bins for ink and toner cartridges can be found on nearly every floor of the library and in other buildings as well. Plastic film is collected around campus and compacted into bails to be recycled. This process is managed by the student organization PEAC and the bailing occurs in the tunnels beneath the library.

9 Wood Hall

Sixteen hydration stations are spread out around campus to allow for convenient access to drinking water and encourage the use of reusable water bottles. You will notice an environmentally informative poster next to each station.

10 Viking House

Donated by Owen and Elspeth Christianson, the building serves as a reminder of the traditional Viking lifestyle which included sustainable cooking techniques and almost no waste.

11 Instructional Services

The Instructional Services department is located completely underground within the campus tunnels, and the green roof above it serves as a location for growing native plants.

12 Environmental Sciences

Environmental Sciences holds the NAS Seminar Series, an informational program supported by the Department of Natural and Applied Science, and the Environmental Management and Business Institute (EMBI) office.

13 Laboratory Sciences

Inside Laboratory Sciences is the UW-Green Bay Greenhouse which is utilized for campus research and the Annual Heirloom Vegetable Plant Sale. The science department has a spider database which includes data on spider species found in the Midwestern United States and was established by the Biodiversity Center. Any confidential papers from this department are sent to paper shredding company for shredding and recycling.