

ACADEMIC CREDIT FROM WARREN WILSON COLLEGE

ELIGIBILITY:

Any North Carolina Outward Bound School (NCOBS) student who is a high school graduate or equivalent may register to receive twelve (12) semester credit hours for completion of their NCOBS course from Warren Wilson College (WWC).

ELIGIBLE COURSES:

Outdoor Leader Course—50-day course

International Leadership Semester—72-day course

REGISTRATION:

Warren Wilson College requires the following items listed below from students who would like to receive college credit. The full payment is due the same time as the Warren Wilson College Registration Application form:

1. Enroll in an eligible course with NCOBS.
2. Complete the Warren Wilson College Registration Application and return to the address on the application.
3. Make your check payable to Warren Wilson College. Payment must be labeled “For college credit” with student’s name and NCOBS course number. Please see your welcome packet from NCOBS for the course number.

You must sign up for NCOBS college credit BEFORE your course has begun. You will not be registered with Warren Wilson College and will not receive letter grades unless the paperwork and fee has been submitted prior to the course start.

PAYMENT:

Cost is \$1440.00 (12 semester credits x \$120.00 per credit). Credits cannot be bought individually. You must purchase all 12 semester credits.

Send payment to: Dr. Ed Raiola
Outdoor Leadership Studies Department
Warren Wilson College – 6332
P.O. Box 9000
Asheville, NC 28815-9000

CREDIT HOURS:

Warren Wilson College uses the semester system. You will receive 12 credit hours for completion of the NCOBS course. Warren Wilson College/NCOBS credit works just like any other college credit. If the student does not complete their NCOBS course or a section of the WWC program requirements, no credit will be awarded.

TYPE OF CREDIT:

Credit earned comes from the Outdoor Leadership Studies, Physical Education departments. It is all at the undergraduate level.

Outdoor Leader Course— 50-day course

PED 108 Orienteering	1 cr.
PED 126 Backpacking	1 cr..
PED 125 Rock Climbing	1 cr
ODL 220 Wilderness First Responder	1 cr.
ODL 298 Group Process	4 cr
ODL 310 Leadership for Adventure Education	4 cr.

International Semester— 72-day course

PED 109 Canoeing/Kayaking	1 cr.
PED 126 Backpacking	1 cr.
PED 125 Rock Climbing	1 cr.
PED 128 Orienteering	1 cr.
ODL 210 Backcountry Skills and Techniques	2 cr.
ODL 298 Special Topics in Outdoor Education	2 cr.
ODL 315 Group Process	4 cr.

GRADES/EVALUATION: *Students must provide the following to the Chair of Outdoor Leadership Studies Department no later than two weeks after the course ends:

- A completed Personal Leadership Mission Statement which contains three basic elements. The first is what you want to be- what character strengths you want to have, and qualities you want to develop. The second is what you want to do- accomplishments and contributions you want to make. The third is what you want to have in terms of possessions, money, etc.
- A written self-assessment aimed at Kurt Hahn's core values of self-reliance, fitness, craftsmanship, and compassion. (10-20 pages)
- Instructor evaluations of your participation on course.

Students receiving credit will be assigned a final letter grade from the Warren Wilson College Outdoor Leadership Studies department chair. NCOBS will provide students with written evaluations by their course instructors at the end of the course. **Each student is responsible for informing his Student Services Representative that he/she is seeking academic credit. It is the student's responsibility to inform the instructors that the student will require a written evaluation at course end to obtain college credit. It is the student's responsibility to collaborate with their instructors to obtain the instructor evaluations before departing at course end. NCOBS DOES NOT** retain a copy of these evaluations and will, therefore, be **UNABLE** to provide a replacement copy.

WARREN WILSON COLLEGE “REPORT CARD”:

At the completion of the academic semester Warren Wilson College will send each of their registered students a “report card”. Your grades won't be available for transfer to your school until the completion of the academic semester at Warren Wilson College. Expect three to six weeks after the completion of your course to receive your grades.

COLLEGE CREDIT REFUNDS:

In the event that you should decide to cancel your participation or are forced to withdraw from your course, no credit will be awarded and you will **not** receive a refund.

WARREN WILSON COLLEGE CREDIT INFORMATION:

Warren Wilson College Department of Outdoor Leadership Studies is one of the few accredited programs of its type in the United States. Credit is pre-arranged through the department for the NCOBS-eligible courses.

Warren Wilson College and NCOBS are separate entities and no agency or employee relationship exists between them. Warren Wilson College's responsibility is limited to a prior review of course content and instructor qualifications to insure appropriate academic relevance and competence, and the college exercises no responsibility or authority over the conduct of the instructors or other employees or agents of NCOBS. Warren Wilson College serves NCOBS as a credit-granting body only. It is not possible to receive financial aid or other benefits through the college.

For more information, call Dr. Ed Raiola at: 828-771-3007
828-299-4841 -fax
eraiola@warren-wilson.edu

NCOBS / WARREN WILSON COLLEGE REGISTRATION FOR APPLICATION:

*Please type or print in ink all of the information requested and mail it to: Outdoor Leadership Studies Department
 Warren Wilson College
 P.O. Box 9000
 Asheville, NC 28815-9000

Full Legal Name: _____

Social Security Number: _____/_____/_____ Home Phone: () _____

Current mailing address: _____ Sex: Male _____ Female _____

Date/City/State of Birth: _____/_____/_____

Applying to attend: _____ Outdoor Leader Course

_____ International Semester

For the Outdoor Leader Course:

Dept.	Crs.#	Section	Course Title	Credit Hrs.
ODL	315	NCOBS	Group Process	4 credit
ODL	310	NCOBS	Leadership for Adventure Educ.	4 credit
ODL	220	NCOBS	Wilderness First Responder	1 cr.
PED	128	NCOBS	Orienteering	1 cr.
PED	125	NCOBS	Rock Climbing	1 cr.
PED	126	NCOBS	Backpacking	1 cr.

For the International Semester:

Dept.	Crs.#	Section	Course Title	Credit Hrs.
ODL	315	NCOBS	Group Process	4 credit
ODL	290	NCOBS	Special Topics in ODL	2 credit
ODL	210	NCOBS	Backcountry Skills and Techniques	2 cr.
PED	128	NCOBS	Orienteering	1 cr.
PED	125	NCOBS	Rock Climbing	1 cr.
PED	126	NCOBS	Backpacking	1 cr.
PED	109	NCOBS	Canoeing	1 cr.

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Agreement:

I agree to conform to the rules and regulations of Warren Wilson College. I understand I am bound to the policies of the host college (e.g. schedule for grade reporting or withdrawal) should any change to this registration occur.

Applicant's signature: _____ Date: _____