

For detailed program information, please refer to the Watershed Science Technician website

<http://www.lanecc.edu/science/watershed-science-technician>

Academic Year 2016-17

Application timeline

Registration for Fall term courses in the Watershed Science Technician (WST) program is restricted to students who have received department consent from the Science Division. Students who have completed the application packet and been accepted into the WST program will receive clearance for all Watershed courses. Students will be accepted for Fall, Winter, and Spring Terms with applications being accepted August 1st through May 31st each year. **Students will be accepted until the program is filled.**

Please check with the Science Division Office to see if spaces are available.

To complete the application process for the Watershed Science Technician Program:

1. Apply to Lane and obtain a student L number <https://www.lanecc.edu/esfs/admissions>.
2. Obtain and use an email address as this will be our primary method of communication with you.
3. Complete an application packet, following the instructions and forms provided here.

Please note that participants in the Watershed Science Technician Program will experience a range of physical exertion including traversing steep hills and uneven terrain in varying weather conditions. Participants also may come in contact with plants that can cause contact dermatitis such as poison oak or insects that bite and/or sting such as mosquitos, bees or wasps.

Please direct questions and send your completed application along with supplemental information to Denise Elder, Science Division, Bldg. 16 Rm. 156 elderd@lanecc.edu or 541-463-5446.

To request this information in an alternate format (Braille, digital, audio or large print), please contact Disability Resources: 541-463-5150 (voice); 711 (relay); Building 1, 218; or accessibleresources@lanecc.edu.

**Watershed Science Technician
Program Application**

Two-Year Associate of Applied Science Degree

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Applicant # _____ Initials _____
Date _____
Time: _____

Student I.D. L _____

Last Name First Name Middle Initial

Mailing Address, Street

City State Zip Code

Email Cell / Home / Message Phone (circle one)

Prior Education: (check one)

_____ **NEW COLLEGE STUDENT**

_____ **STUDENT WITH PRIOR COLLEGE**

If you are a student with prior college, please list any courses here that could apply to the Watershed Science Technician degree requirements and attach unofficial transcripts.

Turn in the following documents with your completed Watershed Science Technician application packet:

1. a. New college students:

Proof of completion of MTH 020 and WR 115, both with a C- or better (or placement tests to next higher level in each). Students are directed to the class schedule to review the complete course descriptions for prerequisites.

b. Students with previous college:

Attach a copy of your unofficial transcripts showing courses and credits completed.

If you have not yet completed the equivalents of MTH 020 and WR 115, please follow the same steps as above for new college students.

2. Two letters of reference, one professional and one personal. Include signed originals in your application packet.

Professional letter from a past or current employer, highlighting your work ethic, position(s) held, and duties performed. Include business letterhead, signature, job title of the person writing the letter, and contact information (e-mail or phone number).

Personal letter from someone (preferably outside of your immediate family) who can speak to your character and/or career goals. Include signature, relationship to you, and contact information (e-mail or phone number).

Please answer the questions below thoughtfully, using complete sentences. Please attach your typed answers to your application packet. Maximum of 200 words per question.

	Office Use Only	
1. What motivated you to apply to the Watershed Science Technician program?	1 2 3 4 5	
2. What experience have you had so far in the Watershed and/or Natural Resources industry?	1 2 3 4 5	
3. Where do you see yourself professionally in five years after completing your AAS degree?	1 2 3 4 5	
4. Describe any of your circumstances that would impact your ability to participate fully and/or complete the program.	1 2 3 4 5	
	Total points	