

## Arvada West High School Concurrent Enrollment Courses

Course	Description	Credits
WQM 100	Introduction to Water Quality Management	3
Fall Enrollment	High School Instructor: Chris Madsen	
	Introduces the water and wastewater treatment field and acquaints the prospective technicians with the applied science concepts that are used to operate, maintain and monitor water quality. Topics include hydrological cycle, water sources, hydraulics, ecosystems, pollution, water chemistry, water calculations, microbiological aspects of water and water quality control.	
	Prerequisites: N/A	
	Plan of Study: This course is part of the Water Quality Management Associate of Applied Science Degree at Red Rocks Community College and may transfer to other colleges. <a href="https://www.rrcc.edu/catalogs/18-19/water-quality-management-aas-degree.htm">https://www.rrcc.edu/catalogs/18-19/water-quality-management-aas-degree.htm</a>	
WQM 119	Basic Water Quality Analysis	4
Spring Enrollment	High School Instructor: Chris Madsen	
	Relates the results of laboratory control tests to the chemistry of water and wastewater treatment. Students will gain the skills and techniques to operate within a laboratory. Topics include laboratory equipment and instrumentation identification, written reports and laboratory tests. Laboratory testing includes hardness, alkalinity, dissolved oxygen, fluoride, jar testing, inorganic chemicals, pH and disinfectant residuals.	
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WQM 216	Biological and Bacteriological Water Quality Analysis	4
Spring Enrollment	High School Instructor: Chris Madsen	
	Studies microorganisms associated with all phases and concerns of water and wastewater treatment including bacteria, protozoa and algae. Topics include: microorganisms used in treatment, as indicators and the pathogens; regulations, health hazards and laboratory safety. Laboratory work involves media preparation, coliform testing, standard plate count, BOD, and biomonitoring.	
	Prerequisites: WQM 119	
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WQM 187	Special Topics: Water Industry Professional Exploration	1
Spring Enrollment (Pending	High School Instructor: Chris Madsen	
,	Prerequisites: WQM 216	
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