



Grow Wild Concentration Proposal within the Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems Major (SAFS).

The Grow Wild concentration gives a student the opportunity to design an area of study focused on their own interests. The concentration will be made up of 17 credits from the SAFS checklist and/or the Draft Minor checklist. The credits need to be connected through a common theme chosen by the student and relevant to the SAFS major.

The Grow Wild Concentration approval process requires that the student submits a checklist and a narrative (see below for more detail) to the SAFS instructional team in the first semester of a student's Junior year.

- A complete checklist showing courses completed and incomplete courses labelled with the semester and year intending to complete. If transfer credits are used, the transfer substitutions need to be submitted to the Registrar's Office before submission of the checklist. Approved waiver/substitution request forms should be submitted with the checklist
- A 1-page narrative explaining how the 17 credits chosen connects to a common theme within the area of SAFS.

The Grow Wild proposal can be submitted to any of the faculty members on the SAFS instructional team. A written recommendation will be sent to the student and Dean of Academics by the SAFS instructional team together with the submitted proposal and checklist. Final approval is granted by the Dean of Academics.

The Grow Wild option is only available to students pursuing the Fall 2018 and Fall 2019 Sustainable Agriculture Degree Checklist and students pursuing the Fall 2020 Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems Checklist.