

## Choosing the right course for you:

I describe myself as:

Relevant degree but no or little experience. I want to get into ecology.
Career changer with relevant degree but little experience. I want to get into ecology.
Extensive experience in conservation or surveying but no relevant degree. Want to get into ecology.
No experience and no relevant degree – interested in ecology.
Already an ecologist

Choose courses based on the colour of your category above. **Any courses with \* are a priority** – do those first!

You do not need to do Certificate in Ecological Consultancy AND 6-step career kick-starter.

Course name	Taught/ online/ both	Advanced Introductory General	Colour codes indicated above				
Certificate in Ecological Consultancy	Both	Introductory	*	*	*		
6-step career kick-starter – Becoming an Ecologist	Online	Introductory	*	*	*		
Badger Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Badgers and Developments	Taught	Advanced					
Bats: Architectural Terms for Bat Workers	Online	Advanced					
Bats: Health and Safety Awareness for Bat Workers	Online	Advanced					
Bats: Introduction to Bats	Online	Introductory					
Bats: Surveying Buildings for Bats	Online	Introductory					
Bats: Activity Surveys	Online	Introductory					
Bats: Legislation for Bat Workers	Online	Advanced					
Bats and Trees	Both	Introductory					
Bat Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Bats Revise and Assess (Level 1 Licence)	Taught	Advanced					
Bats and Developments	Taught	Advanced					
Beaver Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Beginners Botany	Both	Introductory	*	*			
Bird Survey Techniques	Taught	Introductory					
Dormouse Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Dormice and Developments	Taught	Advanced					
Getting to know the planning system	Taught	Intro/Adv					
Grass ID	Both	Introductory					
Great Crested Newt Ecology and Surveying	Taught	Introductory					
Great Crested Newts and Developments	Taught	Advanced					
Habitat Management	Online	General					
Habitat Restoration	Online	General					
Introduction to Ecology	Online	Introductory			*	*	

Invasive Species	Online	Introductory					
Mammal ID	Online	General					
Otter Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Phase 1 Habitat Mapping	Both	Introductory	*	*	*		
Preliminary Ecological Appraisal	Taught	Introductory					
Reptile and Amphibian ID and Surveying	Online	General					
Reptile Ecology and Surveying	Both	Introductory					
Surveying for Protected Species	Both	Introductory	*	*	*		
Water Vole Ecology and Surveying	Taught	Introductory					
Woodland Management for Biodiversity	Online	General					
FREE webinars	Online	Introductory	*	*	*	*	
Read 'How to become an ecological consultant' by Sue Searle	Online	Introductory	*	*	*	*	