

## DUMF 2024 research methods for Environmental Scientists

Reading list with suggested and essential text for the course. There are also a number of online resources to use.

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View Online



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<https://getoutside.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/guides/beginners-guides-map-reading/>.

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<http://jncc.defra.gov.uk/page-2468>.

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Phase one habitat pencils,  
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R: The R Project for Statistical Computing, <https://www.r-project.org/>.

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Harris, R., Jarvis, C.: Statistics in geography and environmental science. Prentice Hall, Harlow (2011).

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Introductory Statistics - Chapter 1: Introduction,  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YHXadaW\\_Iso](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YHXadaW_Iso), (2008).

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Introductory Statistics - Chapter 2: Presenting data,  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qKPhTBlSyIY&feature=related>, (14)AD.

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NIhU9HB1NwM&fe>, (14)AD.

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