



ADVISING WORKSHEET

TRANSFER INSTITUTION(S):

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE/ASSOCIATE OF ARTS
PROGRAM OF STUDY IN PRE-NURSING
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Students interested in transferring to MSU Bozeman’s BSN program are advised to follow this program of study for a General AA/AS degree. By following this specific program of study students will complete prerequisite courses needed for Bozeman’s BSN program and also complete a General AA/AS degree from MSU Billings.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – SEE ATTACHED PAGE FOR SPECIFIC COURSES

| General Education Category | Course # | Credits | Grade | Semester | Equivalent |
|--|-----------------------------|---------|-------|----------|------------|
| Category I. Global Academic Skills (9 credits) A. Mathematics (3 credits) B. English (3 credits) C. Communication & Information Literacy (3 credits) | *STAT 216 | 4 | | | |
| | *WRIT 101 | 3 | | | |
| | *COMX 111 or 115 | 3 | | | |
| Category II: Natural Sciences (7 credits) 2 lectures (6 credits) & 1 lab (1 credit) (1 life science & 1 physical science & 1 lab) | BIOB 101 | 3 | | | |
| | *CHMY 121 | 3 | | | |
| | *CHMY 122 | 1 | | | |
| Category III: Social Sciences and History (6 credits) Courses must be from separate prefixes A. Social Sciences (3 credits) B. History (3 credits) | *PSYX 100 | 3 | | | |
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| Category IV: Cultural Diversity (3 credits) A. Cultural Diversity (3 credits) | | | | | |
| Category V: Arts and Humanities (6 credits) A. Arts (3 credits) B. Humanities (3 credits) | | | | | |
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A minimum grade of “C” is required in General Education courses with the * next to it. A minimum grade of “C-“ is required in all other General Education courses.

Note: Certain degrees may require a minimum grade of “C” in General Education courses.

Reviewed:

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

| CATEGORY I: GLOBAL ACADEMIC SKILLS | | | 9 credits |
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| Subcategory A - Mathematics | | | 3 credits |
| STAT | 216 | Introduction to Statistics | 4 |
| Subcategory B - English | | | 3 credits |
| WRIT | 101 | College Writing I | 3 |
| Subcategory C- Communication & Information Literacy | | | 3 credits |
| COMX | 111 | Introduction to Public Speaking | 3 |
| COMX | 115 | Introduction to Interpersonal Communication | 3 |
| CATEGORY II: NATURAL SCIENCES | | | 6 cr. lecture & 1 cr. lab |
| <i>Students are required to take one course from each subcategory and at least one corresponding lab</i> | | | |
| Subcategory A – Life Sciences | | | |
| BIOB | 101 | Discover Biology | 3 |
| Subcategory B – Physical Sciences | | | |
| CHMY | 121 | Introduction to General Chemistry | 3 |
| CHMY | 122 | Introduction to General Chemistry Lab | 1 |
| CATEGORY III: SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HISTORY | | | 6 credits |
| <i>Students are required to take one course from each subcategory</i> | | | |
| Subcategory A – Social Sciences | | | 3 credits |
| ANTY | 217 | Physical Anthropology & Archeology | 3 |
| BGEN | 105 | Introduction to Business | 3 |
| COMX | 106 | Communicating in a Dynamic Workplace | 3 |
| PSYX | 231 | Human Relations | 3 |
| ECNS | 201 | Principles of Microeconomics | 3 |
| ECNS | 202 | Principles of Macroeconomics | 3 |
| EDU | 105 | Education and Democracy | 3 |
| GPHY | 141 | Geography of World Regions | 3 |
| HTH | 110 | Personal Health and Wellness | 3 |
| PSCI | 220 | Introduction to Comparative Government | 3 |
| PSCI | 210 | Introduction to American Government | 3 |
| PSYX | 100 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 |
| PSYX | 231 | Human Relations | 3 |
| SOCI | 101 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 |
| SOCI | 201 | Social Problems | 3 |
| Subcategory B - History | | | 3 credits |
| HSTA | 101 | American History I | 3 |
| HSTA | 102 | American History II | 3 |
| HSTR | 101 | Western Civilization I | 3 |
| HSTR | 102 | Western Civilization II | 3 |
| HSTR | 103 | Honors Western Civilization I | 3 |
| HSTR | 104 | Honors Western Civilization II | 3 |
| PSCI | 230 | Introduction to International Relations | 3 |

| CATEGORY IV: CULTURAL DIVERSITY | | | 3 credits |
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| ANTY | 220 | Culture and Society | 3 |
| ARTH | 160 | Global Visual Culture | 3 |
| COMX | 212 | Introduction to Intercultural Communication | 3 |
| GPHY | 121 | Human Geography | 3 |
| HTH | 270 | Global Health Issues | 3 |
| LIT | 230 | World Literature Survey | 3 |
| NASX | 105 | Introduction to Native American Studies | 3 |
| NASX | 205 | Native Americans in Contemporary Society | 3 |
| PHL | 271 | Indian Philosophies and Religions | 3 |
| PHL | 272 | Chinese Philosophies and Religions | 3 |
| REHA | 201 | Introduction to Diversity | 3 |
| RLST | 170 | The Religious Quest | 3 |
| A&SC/SOCI | 274 | Women, Culture, and Society | 3 |
| SPNS | 150 | The Hispanic Tradition | 3 |

| CATEGORY V: ARTS & HUMANITIES | | | 6 credits |
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| Subcategory A – Fine Arts | | | 3 credits |
| ARTZ | 101 | Art Fundamentals | 3 |
| ARTZ | 105 | Visual Language-Drawing | 3 |
| ARTZ | 131 | Ceramics for Non-majors | 3 |
| CRWR | 240 | Intro Creative Writing Workshop | 3 |
| FILM | 160 | Introduction to World Cinema | 3 |
| LIT | 270 | Film & Literature | 3 |
| MART | 260 | Computer Presentation and Animation | 3 |
| MUSI | 101 | Enjoyment of Music | 3 |
| MUSI | 114 | Band: MSUB Symphonic | 1 |
| MUSI | 131 | Jazz Ensemble I: MSUB | 1 |
| MUSI | 147 | Choral Ensemble: University Chorus | 1 |
| PHOT | 154 | Exploring Digital Photography | 3 |
| THTR | 101 | Introduction to Theatre | 3 |
| THTR | 120 | Introduction to Acting I | 3 |
| Subcategory B - Humanities | | | 3 credits |
| ARTH | 150 | Introduction to Art History | 3 |
| HONR | 111 | Perspectives and Understanding | 3 |
| LIT | 110 | Introduction to Literature | 3 |
| LIT | 240 | The Bible as Literature | 3 |
| PHL | 110 | Introduction to Ethics | 3 |
| PHL | 111 | Philosophies of Life | 3 |

Please note Pre-Nursing requires specific courses for General Education requirements, as listed above. This list does not reflect all approved General Education courses.

| Course | | Credits | Grade | Semester | Equivalent |
|---|--|---------|-------|----------|------------|
| <i>SOCI 101</i> | <i>Introduction to Sociology</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>CHMY 123</i> | <i>Introduction to Organic and Biochemistry</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>BIOH 301</i> | <i>Human Anatomy & Physiology I</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>BIOH 302</i> | <i>Human Anatomy & Physiology I Lab</i> | 1 | | | |
| <i>BIOH 311</i> | <i>Human Anatomy & Physiology II</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>BIOH 312</i> | <i>Human Anatomy & Physiology II Lab</i> | 1 | | | |
| <i>BIOM 250</i> | <i>Microbiology for Health Sciences</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>NUTR 221</i> | <i>Basic Human Nutrition</i> | 3 | | | |
| <i>PSYX 230</i> | <i>Developmental Psychology: Development Over the Lifespan</i> | 3 | | | |
| Electives (minimum of 5 credits) | | | | | |
| Recommended Electives: | | | | | |
| A&SC 111 | First Year Seminar | 2 | | | |
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Important notes for those planning to apply to MSU Bozeman’s BSN Program:

Advising is available for students in their Pre-Nursing Program. However, students are solely responsible for meeting requirements and determining the classes that they will need for graduation.

Through arrangement with the College of Nursing at Montana State University Bozeman, Montana State University Billings offers approved pre-requisite courses for nursing students. The MSU Bozeman Nursing program is divided into lower division and upper division course work. Upon successful completion of the required lower division course work, nursing students begin their upper division courses (junior and senior) at Bozeman or an MSU Bozeman upper division campus site in Billings, Great Falls, Missoula or Kalispell.

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The courses that have been *italicized* and **bolded** are included in the calculated GPA for upper division placement. The minimum GPA required in these **courses** is **3.0 in order to apply for upper division placement**. However, placement is competitive so students should strive for the best grades possible.

At least 3 of the 5 required natural science courses below must be completed with a grade of C or better at the time you are applying for Upper Division. Note all five courses need to be completed with a grade of C or better. These courses are: BIOH 301/302, BIOH 311/312, BIOM 250, CHMY 121/122, and CHMY 123.

Repeat Rule: All required prerequisite courses (the courses that are *italicized* and **bolded**) must be completed with a grade of C or better (C- grades are not acceptable) and no more than two (2) of the required prerequisite courses may be repeated one (1) time to earn a grade of C or better.

Background Check Information: Please know that you will be required to have a background check completed by the time you apply for Upper Division Placement.

ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE/ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Academic Requirements:

Earn a minimum of 60 semester credits with a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 or better.

Satisfy the General Education requirements of Montana State University Billings.

A minimum of 20 semester credits with 40 grade points must be earned at Montana State University Billings.

| Categories | Credits | Earned | Remaining |
|--------------------------------|---------|--------|-----------|
| General Education Requirements | 32 | _____ | _____ |
| Pre-Nursing Courses | 23 | _____ | _____ |
| Electives (may vary) | 5 | _____ | _____ |
| Total | 60 | _____ | _____ |

Notes: