



ADVISING WORKSHEET
BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE
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ACADEMIC FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS – SEE PAGE 4 FOR SPECIFIC COURSES

Academic Foundations Category	Course #	Credits	Grade	Semester	Equivalent
Category I: Global Academic Skills (12 credits) A. Mathematics (3 credits) B. English (6 credits) C. Information Literacy (3 credits)					
	ENGL 150				
Category II: Natural Sciences (7 credits) 2 lectures (6 credits) & 1 lab (1 credit) (1 life science & 1 physical science & 1 lab)					
Category III: Social Sciences (6 credits) Courses must be from separate prefixes					
Category IV: History & Cultural Diversity (6 credits) A. History (3 credits) B. Cultural Diversity (3 credits)					
Category V: Arts & Humanities (6 credits) A. Arts (3 credits) B. Humanities (3 credits)					

A minimum grade of "C-" required in all Academic Foundation courses.

Reviewed:

ACADEMIC FOUNDATIONS REQUIREMENTS

CATEGORY I: GLOBAL ACADEMIC SKILLS			12 credits
Subcategory A - Mathematics			3 credits
MATH	106	College Algebra	3
MATH	107	Precalculus	5
MATH	112	Calculus I	4
MATH	121	Finite Mathematics	4
MATH	122	College Mathematics for Technology	3
MATH	141	Contemporary Mathematics	3
MATH	202	Fundamentals of Mathematics II	3
STAT	141	Introduction to Statistics	3
STAT	241	Statistical Methods	4
Subcategory B - English			6 credits
ENGL	150	<i>College Composition</i>	3
ENGL	201	Business Communication	3
ENGL	226	Research Writing	3
ENGL	140	Business Writing	3
ENGL	145	Technical Communication	3
Subcategory C - Information Literacy			3 credits
COMT	130	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
LS	125	Research in the Information Age	3
MIS	150	Information Access and Organization	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 or SCIN 101, 102, 103 & 104</i>			
Subcategory A – Life Sciences			
BIOL	101	Survey of Biology	3
BIOL	115	Survey of Biology Lab	1
BIOL	178	Principles of Biology	3
BIOL	188	Principles of Biology Lab	1
Subcategory B – Physical Sciences			
CHEM	104	Fund of General Chemistry	3
CHEM	105	Fund of General Chem Lab	1
CHEM	115	General Chemistry I	3
CHEM	118	General Chemistry I Lab	1
EASC	100	Lithosphere and Hydrosphere	3
EASC	101	Lithosphere and Hydrosphere Lab	1
GEOG	100	Physical Geography Lab	1
GEOG	101	Physical Geography	3
PHYS	101	Earth, Air, Fire and Water	3
PHYS	102	Earth, Air, Fire and Water Lab	1
PHYS	110	College Physics I	3
PHYS	111	College Physics I Lab	1
PHYS	201	Introduction to Astronomy	3
PHYS	203	Introduction to Astronomy Lab	1
PSSC	101	Physical World Around Us	3
PSSC	102	Physical World Around Us Lab	1
Subcategories A and B – Integrated Sciences			
SCIN	101, 102, 103 & 104	Integrated Sciences	3, ½, 3, ½

CATEGORY III: SOCIAL SCIENCES			6 credits
<i>Two courses from separate prefixes</i>			
BUS	101	Introduction to Business	3
COMT	109	Human Relations	3
COMT	110	Interpersonal Communication	3
ECON	200	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON	201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
EDF	100	Education and Democracy	3
GEOG	102	World Geography	3
HHP	101	Health Sciences	3
POLS	101/200	Intro to Gov't/Intro to Comparative Gov't	3
POLS	212	United States Government	3
PSYC	101	General Psychology	3
PSYC	271	Human Relations	3
SOCL	101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCL	212	Physical Anthropology & Archeology	3
SOCL	221	Social Problems	3

CATEGORY IV: HISTORY & CULTURAL DIVERSITY			6 credits
Subcategory A - History			3 credits
HIST	104	The West and the World to 1648	3
HIST	105	The West and the World since 1648	3
HIST	106	Honors: History of Western Civ to 1500	3
HIST	107	Honors: History of Western Civ since 1500	3
HIST	204	United States History to 1877	3
HIST	205	United States History Since 1877	3
POLS	221	International Relations	3
Subcategory B - Cultural Diversity			3 credits
ART	131	Global Visual Culture	3
COMT	160	Introduction to Intercultural Communication	3
ENGL	260	World Foundations of Literature	3
GEOG	120	Environment and Culture	3
HHP	270	Global Health Issues	3
NAMS	181	Introduction to Native American Studies	3
NAMS	211	Social Issues of the Native American	3
PHIL	105	The Religious Quest	3
REHA	201	Introduction to Diversity	3
SOCL	211	Cultural Anthropology	3
A&SC/SOCL	250	Women, Culture and Society	3
SPAN	150	The Hispanic Tradition	3

CATEGORY V: ARTS & HUMANITIES			6 credits
Subcategory A - Arts			3 credits
ART	110	Art Studio Essentials for the Non-Art Major	3
ART	142	Introduction to Pottery	3
ART	161	Introduction to Drawing	3
COMT	150	Introduction to Theatre and Performance	3
COMT	155	Global Cinema	3
COMT	250	Introduction to Acting	3
ENGL	204	Fundamentals of Creative Writing	3
ENGL	280	Fiction into Film	3
MUSC	100	Music Appreciation	3
MUSC	150	Musics of the World	3
DSGN	248	Computer Presentation and Animation	3
Subcategory B - Humanities			3 credits
ART	132	Art History Survey	3
ENGL	160	Reading and Responding to Literature	3
ENGL/PHIL	240	The Bible as Literature	3
HON	181	The Ancient and Medieval Worlds	3
HON	182	The Renaissance and Modern Worlds	3
HON	281	Humanistic Thought of the U.S. to 1877	3
HON	282	Humanistic Thought of the U.S. since 1877	3
PHIL	115	Ethics	3
PHIL	117	Philosophies of Life	3

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ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS:

- ___ **Completion of an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree from a regionally accredited college or university.**
The BAS requires completion of a minimum of 60 credits beyond the AAS degree. A maximum of 60 credits will be accepted from the AAS degree towards the 120-credit requirement. Course work must include completion of specified Academic Foundation courses and other upper division coursework that relates to and is supportive of the AAS degree.

- ___ **Earn at least 120 credits with a cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or better.**

- ___ **Satisfy the Academic Foundation requirements of Montana State University Billings. (See page 1 of this worksheet.)**

- ___ **Earn a minimum of 30 credits at Montana State University Billings.**

- ___ **Complete at least 30 upper division credits, of which at least 21 must be earned from Montana State University Billings. (Upper division courses are labeled “u”).**

- ___ **Complete a thematic concentration of 30 credits including at least 15 credits from one discipline. This concentration shall be prepared in collaboration with a faculty advisor and approved by the Academic Dean responsible for the majority of the courses in the Thematic Concentration.**

- ___ **A grade of “C” or higher is mandatory in all courses in the thematic concentration.**

- ___ **Complete the Thematic Concentration Form in collaboration with your Faculty Advisor. (See attached form.)**

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Categories	Credits	Earned
Academic Foundations	37	_____
Thematic Concentration	30	_____
Electives (may vary)	53	_____
Total	120	_____

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