



**MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY-BILLINGS
HUMAN RESOURCES-BUSINESS ARTICULATED EMPHASIS
ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE**

ADVISING WORKSHEET GENERAL BULLETIN 2008-2009

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ACADEMIC FOUNDATIONS REQUIREMENTS

Academic Foundations Category	Course #	Credits	Grade	Semester	Equivalent
Category I: Global Academic Skills A. Mathematics (1 course) B. English (2 courses)	MATH 121				
	ENGL 150				
Category II: Natural Sciences (2 courses/1 lab) (1 life science/1 physical science/1 lab)					
Category III: Social Sciences (2 courses) Courses must be from separate prefixes	ECON 200 or 201				
Category IV: History and Cultural Diversity A. History (1 course) B. Cultural Diversity (1 course)					
Category V: Arts and Humanities A. Arts (1 course) B. Humanities (1 course)					

A minimum grade of "C-" required in all Academic Foundations courses. *Note: Certain degrees may require a minimum grade of "C" in Academic Foundations courses.*

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	Introduction to Government/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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Preparatory Courses

Required Courses

CMP or MIS	105 225	Introduction to Computers and Applications Introduction to Productivity Application Software	3			
ACCT	233	Principles of Accounting I	3			
CTBU	103	Payroll Accounting	3			
ECON	200 or 201	Principles of Microeconomics Principles of Macroeconomics	3			
HR	180	Employment Law and Practices	3			
HR	250	Employment and Compensation Strategies	3			
HR or HR	281 282	Risk Management, Safety and Security Organizational Training and Development	3			
HR	296	Cooperative Education/Internship*	2-9*			

* Students are required to complete 2 credits, but may earn up to 9 credits through as electives.

Electives

Categories	Credits	Earned
Academic Foundations	37	_____
Required Courses	23	_____
Total	60	_____

Suggested Plan of Study

First Semester	Credits	Second Semester	Credits
ACCT 233	3	CTBU 103	3
CMP 105	3	HR 250	3
HR 180	2	Academic Foundations	7
Academic Foundations	3	TOTAL	13
TOTAL	12		

Third Semester	Credits	Fourth Semester	Credits
ECON 200 or 201	3	HR 296	2
HR 281 or 282	3	Academic Foundations	15
Academic Foundations	12	TOTAL	17
TOTAL	18		

*Students planning to pursue a bachelor's degree in business are strongly encouraged to take both ECON 200 and 201 in order to meet the required prerequisites for upper division business courses.

*ENGL 301 Business Communications is a required course for a bachelor's degree in business. Although it is not required for the AS in Human Resources, a student may wish to take the class to fill one of the General Education writing requirements.

60 credits are necessary in order to graduate with an associate degree. A three-credit elective may be required if a student chooses not to take both ECON 200 and 201.

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