

# Mass Communication–Electronic Media Communication (Animation) Academic Map

## Department of Electronic Media Communication

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An academic map is a suggested four-year schedule of courses based on degree requirements in the undergraduate catalog. This sample schedule serves as a general guideline to help build a full schedule each term. Milestones, courses, and special requirements necessary for timely progress to complete a major are designated to keep you on track to graduate in four years. **Missing milestones could delay your program.**

**This map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about scheduling or about your degree requirements.** Also see the current undergraduate catalog ([catalog.mtsu.edu](http://catalog.mtsu.edu)) for a complete list of requirements and electives. *Note: Requirements are continually under revision, and there is no guarantee they will not be changed or revoked; contact the department and/or program area for current information.*

**You may choose to attend a summer term to reduce your load during fall or spring terms but still stay on track to graduate in four years (see back). NOTE: Learning Support courses will alter the sequences on this map.**

## Suggested Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ART 1610	3	Candidacy course	ART 1620	3	Candidacy course
Elective*	3		EMC 1300	3	
EMC 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	Candidacy course	COMM 2200 (Comm)	3	
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3	Candidacy course	CSCI 1150 or CSCI 1160	3	CSCI 1150 rec.
MATH (Math)	3	Candidacy course	ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	Candidacy course
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
EMC 3300	3		EMC 3320	3	
EMC 1050	3		ART 1640	3	
EMC 3120	3		EMC 3130	3	
EMC 3020, EMC 3060, or JOUR 2710	3	Candidacy course; EMC 3020 rec.	Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4	
ART 1630	3		Elective*	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	
<b>NOTE: Majors should apply for admission to candidacy at the end of the semester in which they will have completed 45 hours of coursework.</b>					
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
EMC 3310	3		EMC 3040	3	
ART elective	3		EMC 4300	3	Prereq: EMC 3310
EMC 3650, EMC 4250, or PHOT 4190	3	EMC 3650 rec.	Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3	
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		ART elective	3	
Elective*	3		HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	Submit Upper Division Form
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
EMC 4040	3	Prereq: EMC 3040	EMC 4410	3	
EMC 4310	3	Prereq: EMC 4300	HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3	
EMC 4400	3	Prereq: EMC 4300	Soc/Beh Sci	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3		Elective*	3	
Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4		Elective*	1	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
<b>NOTE: Up to 9 additional elective hours may be taken in the College of Mass Communication but no more than 48 hours in the college will apply toward graduation.</b>					
<b>TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120</b>					

# Suggested Summer/Fall/Spring Four-Year Schedule

Refer to [www.mtsu.edu/scholarships/](http://www.mtsu.edu/scholarships/) for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

FRESHMAN SUMMER					
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3	Candidacy course	COMM 2200 (Comm)	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
ART 1610	3	Candidacy course	ART 1620	3	Candidacy course
ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	Candidacy course	EMC 3120	3	
EMC 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	Candidacy course	CSCI 1150 or CSCI 1160	3	CSCI 1150 rec.
MATH (Math)	3	Candidacy course	EMC 1300	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		Elective*	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
EMC 3300	3		EMC 3320	3	
EMC 1050	3		ART 1640	3	
ART 1630	3		EMC 3130	3	
EMC 3020, EMC 3060, or JOUR 2710	3	Candidacy course; EMC 3020 rec.	Elective*	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	
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JUNIOR SUMMER					
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>3</b>	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
EMC 3310	3		EMC 3040	3	
ART elective	3		EMC 4300	3	Prereq: EMC 3310
EMC 3650, EMC 4250, or PHOT 4190	3	EMC 3650 rec.	ART elective	3	
Elective*	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	Submit Upper Division Form
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
EMC 4040	3	Prereq: EMC 3040	EMC 4410	3	
EMC 4310	3	Prereq: EMC 4300	HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3	
EMC 4400	3	Prereq: EMC 4300	Elective*	3	
Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3		Elective*	1	
Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4		Soc/Beh Sci	3	
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>		<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	
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