2017–18 Plant and Soil Science–Agricultural Education Certification Academic Map

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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) 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

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FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING				
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes		
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3			
BIOL 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4		ANSC 1410	3			
ABAS 1000	1		AGED 2230	3			
PLSO 1610	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3			
MATH (Math)	3–4		Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3			
SUBTOTAL	14–15		SUBTOTAL	15			
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING				
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		YOED 2500	3	Must be admitted to teacher education; requires 2.75 CUM GPA, 45 hours earned		
ABAS 2210	3		PLSO 3600	3			
ANSC 3440	3		HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3			
PSCI 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3			
HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3		Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3			
			AGED 4230	3			
SUBTOTAL	16		SUBTOTAL	18			
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING				
YOED 3000	3		YOED 3300	3			
PLSO elective	3	See advisor	COMM 2200 (Comm)	3			
PLSO elective	3	See advisor	PLSO elective	3	See advisor		
AGBS 3130	3		PLSO 3340	3			
PLSO elective	3	See advisor	PLSO elective	3	See advisor		
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	15			
SENIOR	FALL		SENIOR S	PRING			
YOED 4030	9		YOED 4400	12			
ABAS 4250	3						
AGED 4220	3						
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	12			
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120							

Plant and Soil Science-Agricultural Education Certification Suggested Fall/Spring/Summer Four-Year Schedule

Refer to www.mtsu.edu/financial-aid/scholarships for information regarding use of the Lottery Scholarship for the summer term.

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING					
Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes	Course	Hours	Milestones/Notes			
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3				
BIOL 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4		ANSC 1410	3				
Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 1)	3		AGED 2230	3				
ABAS 1000	1		Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3				
PLSO 1610	3							
SUBTOTAL	14		SUBTOTAL	12				
SOPHOMORE SUMMER								
MATH (Math)	3–4		Soc/Beh Sci (Rubric 2)	3				
SUBTOTAL	3–4		SUBTOTAL	3				
SOPHOMOR		SOPHOMORE SPRING						
ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3		YOED 2500	3	Must be admitted to teacher education; requires 2.75 CUM GPA, 45 hours earned			
ABAS 2210	3		HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3				
ANSC 3440	3		PLSO 3600	3				
PSCI 1030/1031 (Nat Sci)	4		AGED 4230	3				
SUBTOTAL	13		SUBTOTAL	12				
JUNIOR SUMMER								
HIST 2010, HIST 2020, or HIST 2030	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3				
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3				
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING					
YOED 3000	3		YOED 3300	3				
PLSO elective	3	See advisor	PLSO elective	3	See advisor			
ABAS 4250	3		PLSO 3340	3				
AGBS 3130	3		PLSO elective	3	See advisor			
PLSO elective	3	See advisor						
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	12				
SENIOR SUMMER								
PLSO elective	3	See advisor	COMM 2200 (Comm)	3				
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3				
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING					
YOED 4030	9		YOED 4400	12				
AGED 4220	3							
SUBTOTAL	12		SUBTOTAL	12				
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120								