2022–23 Animation 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

FRESHMAN FALL			FRESHMAN SPRING		
Course	**Hours**	**Milestones/Notes**	**Course**	**Hours**	**Milestones/Notes**
EMC 1010	1	Candidacy course	ANIM 1350	3	Candidacy course
ART 1620	3	Candidacy course	ANIM 2040	4	Candidacy course
ANIM 1090	4	Candidacy course	CSCI 1150	3	
EMC/JOUR/RIM 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	May count as Soc/Beh Sci requirement	MATH (Math)	3	
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	
SUBTOTAL	**14**		**SUBTOTAL**	**16**	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ANIM 2300	4	Candidacy course	ANIM 3000	3	
ANIM 2350	4	Candidacy course	ANIM 3310	3	Prereq: All candidacy courses
VFP 2020	3		ANIM 3320	3	
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		COMM 2200 (Comm)	3	
			ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**15**	

NOTE: Majors should apply for admission to candidacy the semester after they have completed 36 hours of coursework and are taking ANIM 3310.

JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
EMC 3001	1		ANIM 4040	3	
ANIM 3330	3	Prereq: ANIM 3310; candidacy	ANIM 4310	3	
ANIM 3340	3		ANIM 4350	3	
ANIM 3350	3		History/Theory course	3	
EMC 3650, EMC 4250, or PHOT 4190	3	EMC 3650 rec.	HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
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SUBTOTAL	**16**		**SUBTOTAL**	**15**	Submit Upper Division Form
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
ANIM 4400	4		ANIM 4410	4	Prereq: ANIM 4400
ANIM 4405	2		CME UD elective	3	
Soc/Beh Sci	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (rubric 2)	3	
Elective	3				
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**14**	
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

Animation 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**
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EMC/JOUR/RIM 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci)	3	May count as Soc/Beh Sci requirement	ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3				
SUBTOTAL	**14**		**SUBTOTAL**	**13**	

SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
ANIM 2300	4	Candidacy course	ANIM 3000	3	
ANIM 2350	4	Candidacy course	ANIM 3310	3	Prereq: All candidacy courses
VFP 2020	3		ANIM 3320	3	
Nat Sci (Rubric 1)	4		ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**12**	

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SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
MATH (Math)	3		COMM 2200 (Comm)	3	
SUBTOTAL	**3**		**SUBTOTAL**	**3**	

JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
EMC 3001	1		ANIM 4040	3	
ANIM 3330	3	Prereq: ANIM 3310; candidacy	ANIM 4310	3	
ANIM 3340	3		ANIM 4350	3	
ANIM 3350	3		History/Theory course	3	
EMC 3650, EMC 4250, or PHOT 4190	3	EMC 3650 rec.			
SUBTOTAL	**13**		**SUBTOTAL**	**12**	Submit Upper Division Form

JUNIOR SUMMER					
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
SUBTOTAL	**3**		**SUBTOTAL**	**3**	

SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
ANIM 4400	4		ANIM 4410	4	Prereq: ANIM 4400
ANIM 4405	2		CME UD elective	3	
Soc/Beh Sci	3		Nat Sci (Rubric 2)	4	
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (rubric 2)	3	
Elective	3				
SUBTOTAL	**15**		**SUBTOTAL**	**14**	

TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120