

2022–23 Interactive Media Academic Map

Department of Media Arts

Middle Tennessee State University • Murfreesboro



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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 |
| ENGL 1010 (Comm) | 3 | Candidacy course | IAM 2500 | 3 | Candidacy course |
| COMM 2200 (Comm) | 3 | | Minor course | 3 | |
| EMC/JOUR/RIM 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci) | 3 | Candidacy course; may count for Soc/Beh Sci requirement | ENGL 1020 (Comm) | 3 | Candidacy course |
| Hum/FA (Rubric 1) | 3 | | HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050 | 3 | |
| MATH (Math) | 3 | Candidacy course | Soc/Beh Sci | 3 | |
| EMC 1010 | 1 | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL | 16 | | SUBTOTAL | 15 | |
| SOPHOMORE FALL | | | SOPHOMORE SPRING | | |
| VFP 1060 | 3 | | IAM 3065 | 3 | Candidacy course |
| IAM 3060 | 3 | Candidacy course | Minor course | 3 | |
| VCOM 2950 | 3 | | ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA) | 3 | |
| Hum/FA (Rubric 2) | 3 | | Nat Sci (Rubric 2) | 4 | |
| Nat Sci (Rubric 1) | 4 | | Minor course/elective | 3 | See advisor |
| SUBTOTAL | 16 | | SUBTOTAL | 16 | |
| <i>Note: 2.50 GPA required for admission to candidacy.</i> | | | <i>Note: 2.50 GPA required for admission to candidacy.</i> | | |
| JUNIOR FALL | | | JUNIOR SPRING | | |
| IAM 3210 | 3 | | EMC 4250 or JOUR 4250 | 3 | |
| Minor course | 3 | | IAM 3610 | 3 | |
| HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050 | 3 | | IAM 3070 | 3 | |
| Minor course | 3 | | IAM 4450 | 3 | |
| IAM elective | 3 | | | | |
| EMC 3001 | 1 | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL | 16 | | SUBTOTAL | 12 | |
| SENIOR FALL | | | SENIOR SPRING | | |
| Minor course | 3 | | IAM 4460 | 3 | |
| EMC 4000 | 3 | | IAM elective | 3 | See advisor |
| IAM 4001 | 2 | | Elective | 3 | |
| MGMT 3610, MKT 3820, or ENTR 2900 | 3 | | Elective | 3 | |
| Elective | 3 | See advisor | Upper-division elective | 3 | |
| SUBTOTAL | 14 | | SUBTOTAL | 15 | |
| TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120 | | | | | |

Interactive Media 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 | Candidacy course | IAM 2500 | 3 | Candidacy course |
| COMM 2200 (Comm) | 3 | | Minor course | 3 | |
| EMC/JOUR/RIM 1020 (Soc/Beh Sci) | 3 | Candidacy course; may count for Soc/Beh Sci requirement | ENGL 1020 (Comm) | 3 | Candidacy course |
| MATH (Math) | 3 | Candidacy course | Soc/Beh Sci | 3 | |
| EMC 1010 | 1 | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL | 13 | | SUBTOTAL | 12 | |
| FRESHMAN SUMMER | | | | | |
| Hum/FA (Rubric 1) | 3 | | HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050 | 3 | |
| SUBTOTAL | 3 | | SUBTOTAL | 3 | |
| SOPHOMORE FALL | | | SOPHOMORE SPRING | | |
| VFP 1060 | 3 | | IAM 3065 | 3 | Candidacy course |
| IAM 3060 | 3 | Candidacy course | Minor course | 3 | |
| VCOM 2950 | 3 | | ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA) | 3 | |
| Nat Sci (Rubric 1) | 4 | | Nat Sci (Rubric 2) | 4 | |
| | | | Minor course/elective | 3 | See advisor |
| SUBTOTAL | 13 | | SUBTOTAL | 16 | |
| <i>Note: 2.50 GPA required for admission to candidacy.</i> | | | <i>Note: 2.50 GPA required for admission to candidacy.</i> | | |
| SOPHOMORE SUMMER | | | | | |
| Hum/FA (Rubric 2) | 3 | | Minor course | 3 | |
| SUBTOTAL | 3 | | SUBTOTAL | 3 | |
| JUNIOR FALL | | | JUNIOR SPRING | | |
| IAM 3210 | 3 | | EMC 4250 or JOUR 4250 | 3 | |
| Minor course | 3 | | IAM 3070 | 3 | |
| HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050 | 3 | | IAM 3610 | 3 | |
| IAM elective | 3 | | IAM 4450 | 3 | |
| EMC 3001 | 1 | | | | |
| SUBTOTAL | 13 | | SUBTOTAL | 12 | |
| SENIOR FALL | | | SENIOR SPRING | | |
| Minor course | 3 | | IAM 4460 | 3 | |
| EMC 4000 | 3 | | IAM elective | 3 | See advisor |
| IAM 4001 | 2 | | Elective | 3 | |
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