

2021–22 Nutrition and Food Science— Food Industry 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
ENGL 1010 (Comm)	3		ENGL 1020 (Comm)	3	
CHEM 1010/1011 or CHEM 1110/1111 (Nat Sci)	4		Nat Sci	4	BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031 rec.
Soc/Beh Sci	3	SOC 1010 rec.	NFS 2220	3	Must earn C of higher
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
HSC 1010	1		Soc/Beh Sci	3	Other than SOC
SUBTOTAL	14		SUBTOTAL	16	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		NFS 3260	3	
Minor/Elective	3		Minor/Elective	3	Must earn C or higher
NFS 3200/3201	3	Offered fall only; must earn B or higher	ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
MATH 1010 (Math)	3	recommended	HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		Major elective	3	See list
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	15	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
NFS 4100	3		NFS 4240/4241	3	Offered spring only
CDFS 3320	3		NFS 3100	3	
Major elective	3	See list	Major elective	3	See list
NFS 4570	3		Optional minor/elective	3	
NFS 4260	3		NFS 4555	3	Junior standing
SUBTOTAL	15	2.00 GPA required for graduation	SUBTOTAL	15	Submit UD and Intent to Graduate forms
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
HSC 4000	1		Optional minor/elective	3	
NFS 4810	3		Optional minor/elective	3	
AGBS 4830	3	Prereq: BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031	Major elective	3	See list
Major elective	3	See list	Optional minor/elective	3	
Optional minor/elective	3		Elective	3	
Elective	2				
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	15	
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

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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	
CHEM 1010/1011 or CHEM 1110/1111 (Nat Sci)	4		Nat Sci	4	BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031 rec.
Soc/Beh Sci	3	SOC 1010 rec.	NFS 2220	3	Must earn C of higher
Hum/FA (Rubric 1)	3		Hum/FA (Rubric 2)	3	
HSC 1010	1				
SUBTOTAL	14		SUBTOTAL	13	
FRESHMAN SUMMER					
COMM 2200 (Comm)	3		Soc/Beh Sci	3	Other than SOC
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3	
SOPHOMORE FALL			SOPHOMORE SPRING		
Optional minor/elective	3		NFS 3260	3	
NFS 3200/3201	3	Offered fall only; must earn B or higher	ENGL 2020, ENGL 2030, or HUM 2610 (Hum/FA)	3	
MATH 1010 (Math)	3	recommended	HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3	
HIST 2010, 2020, 2030, 2040, or 2050	3		Major elective	3	See list
SUBTOTAL	12		SUBTOTAL	12	
SOPHOMORE SUMMER					
Optional minor/elective	3		Optional minor/elective	3	
SUBTOTAL	3		SUBTOTAL	3	
JUNIOR FALL			JUNIOR SPRING		
NFS 4100	3		NFS 4240/4241	3	Offered spring only
CDFS 3320	3		NFS 3100	3	
Major elective	3	See list	Major elective	3	See list
NFS 4570	3		NFS 4555	3	Junior standing
NFS 4260	3				
SUBTOTAL	15	2.00 GPA required for graduation	SUBTOTAL	12	Submit UD and Intent to Graduate forms
SENIOR FALL			SENIOR SPRING		
HSC 4000	1		Optional minor/elective	3	
NFS 4810	3		Optional minor/elective	3	
AGBS 4830	3	Prereq: BIOL 1030/1031 or PSCI 1030/1031	Major elective	3	See list
Major elective	3	See list	Elective	3	
Elective	2		Elective	3	
Major elective	3				
SUBTOTAL	15		SUBTOTAL	15	
TOTAL HOURS IN PROGRAM: 120					

Notes:

- 120 semester hours with at least a 2.00 grade point average; 12 of the last 18 hours must be taken at MTSU—not transferred
- 42 upper-division hours (3000-4000 level courses) with at least a 2.00 grade point average

- 30 upper-division hours must be taken at MTSU—not transferred
- 60 senior college hours (taken at a four-year college)
Any course substitution(s) must be approved on an MTSU Course Substitution form with appropriate advisor, department chair, and college dean signatures **before** being submitted to the graduation analyst.