

NCTC ASSOCIATE OF ARTS (AA) GENERAL STUDIES DEGREE SUGGESTED PATHWAY FOR MATH MAJORS (2022-2023)

The following is a recommended sequence of courses for students intending on majoring in a **Math field** at a Texas public university. The Associate of Arts (AA) General Studies degree is designed to transfer into a bachelor's degree at a four-year public university in the state of Texas. The transfer university is the final authority on determining if all the courses within the NCTC Associate of Arts degree are transferable and applicable for an intended major, so students should consult with an advisor at the university level regarding all coursework to be completed at NCTC.

Students placing at college preparatory levels will have additional courses to complete before taking eligible college-level courses in this sequence, and some courses may have pre-requisites; please check the course descriptions in the NCTC catalog. The number of courses taken each semester can also be adjusted as several core classes are offered during Summer and Mini-mesters; this sequence only maps out Fall and Spring semesters. **Depending on how many credit hours you have already attempted, all courses on this pathway may not be eligible for Financial Aid through NCTC**.

| FIRST SEMESTER | | CREDIT HOURS |
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| ENGL 1301 | Composition I | 3 |
| EDUC 1300 | Learning Frameworks | 3 |
| HIST 1301 | U.S. History I (up to 1865) | 3 |
| MATH Core | MATH 2413-Calculus I** | 4 |
| Elective | COSC 1436-Programming Fundamentals I* | <u>4</u> |
| | | 17 |
| SECOND SEMESTER | | |
| ENGL 2311 or 1302 | Technical Writing or Composition II | 3 |
| HIST 1302 or 2301 | U.S. History II (1865 to present) or Texas History | 3 |
| ARTS Core | MUSI 1306 or other Creative Arts core | 3 |
| 2 nd MATH | MATH 2414-Calculus II | 4 |
| 1 st LAB SCIENCE Core | PHYS 2425-Univ. Physics I**, CHEM 1411-Gen. Chem. I, BIOL 1406-Bio. for Science Majors I, | <u>4</u> |
| | GEOL 1401-Earth Sciences I, or ASTR 1403-Stars and Galaxies* | |
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| THIRD SEMESTER | | |
| GOVT 2305 | American National Government | 3 |
| SOCIAL/BEHAV Core | ECON 2301-Macroeconomics or other Social Science core | 3 |
| Elective | MATH 2415-Calculus III* | 4 |
| 2 nd LAB SCIENCE Core | PHYS 2426-Univ. Physics II, CHEM 1412-Gen. Chem. II, BIOL 1407-Bio. for Science Majors II, GEOL 1402-Earth Sciences II, or ASTR 1404-Solar System* | <u>4</u> |
| | | 14 |
| FOURTH SEMESTER | | |
| GOVT 2306 | Texas Government | 3 |
| LANG/PHIL/CULTURE Core | PHIL 2306-Intro. to Ethics or other Lang/Phil/Culture core | 3 |
| SPCH 1311, 1315, or 1321 | Intro. to Communication, Public Speaking, or Business and Professional Speech | 3 |
| Elective | MATH 2320-Differential Equations or MATH 2318-Linear Algebra* | <u>3</u> |
| | | 12 |
| | Total Credit Hours (apply for Graduation!) | 60* |

*Consult with your intended transfer university AND an advisor to determine which NCTC courses would satisfy both elective and core requirements for your major, and also how many credit hours beyond the 60 hours required for an AA or AS degree are transferable.

**MATH 1314 is a prerequisite to CHEM 1411, and MATH 1314 along with either MATH 1316 or 2412 are prerequisites to MATH 2413 and PHYS1401 or 2425. Some Math prerequisites may be satisfied by earning required scores on CLEP, AP, IB, ACT, or SAT. Until you have completed the Math prerequisites for this pathway you will be under an AA-Pre-STEM pathway major.

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MIDWESTERN STATE (MSU): <u>https://msutexas.edu/academics/undergraduate-majors-and-programs.php</u> TEXAS WOMAN'S (TWU): <u>https://catalog.twu.edu/undergraduate/degrees-offered-twu/</u> UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS (UNT): <u>https://registrar.unt.edu/ug-course-sequencing-and-transfer-guides</u>

TEXAS ON COURSE: <u>https://texasoncourse.org/</u> TEXAS COMMON COURSE NUMBERING SYSTEM (TCCNS): <u>www.tccns.org</u> WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS MAJOR: <u>https://whatcanidowiththismajor.com/major/</u> NORTH TEXAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE CONSORTIUM PATHWAYS: <u>http://ntxccc.org/content/transfer</u>