



**Pre-MC Nursing Option**  
**General Studies Associate of Arts Degree**  
**(611B-STEM)**  
**ACADEMIC MAP**

Below is a recommendation for courses and course sequencing based on full-time status. **Always consult a program advisor or counselor and review specific requirements for your transfer institution.**  
 For information contact: [generalstudies@montgomerycollege.edu](mailto:generalstudies@montgomerycollege.edu).

Requirements/Recommended courses		0-13 Credits
<b>ENGL 101/011</b>		<b>3</b>
<b>MATF</b>	MATH 117	<b>3</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>NSLD</b>	BIOL 150	<b>4</b>
<b>GEIR 1</b>	COMM 108	<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>13</b>

Staying on track at 0-13 Credits
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Complete ENGL 101/011
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Complete Math Foundation
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Earn "C" or better in BIOL 150
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Review Nursing Program Requirements
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prepare for TEAS Tests
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Attend MC Nursing program Information session

Requirements/Recommended courses		14-28 Credits
<b>ENGF</b>	ENGL 102	<b>3</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>BSSD</b>	PSYC 100 or SOCY 100	<b>3</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>NSLD</b>	BIOL 150, if not previously complete, required for MC Nursing Program, or BIOL 212, required for MC Nursing Program	<b>4</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>STEM</b>	BIOL 210 (Required for MC Nursing Program)	<b>4</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>14</b>

Staying on track at 14-28 Credits
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Update Academic Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Earn "C" or better in BIOL 210
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Earn "C" or better in BIOL 212
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Complete TEAS test before applying for Nursing program
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Meet with counselor or advisor
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Apply for MC Nursing program (Applications Accepted twice a year)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research other nursing programs external to MC and transfer opportunities in Nursing

Requirements/Recommended courses		29-39 Credits
<b>STEM 2</b>	BIOL 213 (Required for MC Nursing Program)	<b>3</b>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>BSSD</b>	PSYC 100 or SOCY 100	<b>3</b>
<b>HUMD</b>	Any HUMD	<b>3</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>9</b>

Staying on track 29-39 Credits
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Update Academic Plan
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Earn "C" or better in BIOL 213
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Apply to MC Nursing program, if not already applied

\*\* Students who are not completing the MC Nursing program should work with a program advisor or counselor to plan out their courses or select another major. Students planning to apply to nursing BSN program without completing the MC program, should follow the General Studies STEM Nursing transfer pathway recommendations. CHEM 131 is recommended for students intending to transfer in nursing.

**GENERAL EDUCATION ABBREVIATIONS KEY**

**ENGF** – English Foundation  
**MATF** – Math Foundation  
**ARTD** – Arts Distribution

**HUMD** – Humanities Distribution  
**BSSD** – Behavioral Social Sciences Distribution  
**NSLD** – Natural Sciences with Lab

**NSND** – Natural Sciences without Lab  
**GEIR** – Gen Ed Institutional Requirement

For more information on General Education, please visit: [montgomerycollege.edu/academics/general-education-program](http://montgomerycollege.edu/academics/general-education-program)

## WHO TO CONTACT

If you have a question and would like to speak with an advisor, you may schedule an appointment with the counseling office or reach out to one of our Instructional Faculty Advisors.

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## CONSIDERATIONS

**• In order to complete this degree, students must:**

1. Complete of a minimum of 60 Credit hours including:
  - General Education Requirements- 31 Credit hours
  - Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Core courses- at least 15 credit hours, with a minimum of 3 credit hours at 200 level
  - Electives- Up to 11 Credit hours as needed to complete 60 Credit hours
2. Complete a minimum of 15 Credits at 200 level., with at least 3 credit hours at the 200 level from the Core
3. Have a GPA of 2.0

**ENGL 101/011, if needed for ENGL 102/ENGL 103, or select a general elective.**

**\*\* Behavioral and Social Science Distribution (BSSD) courses must come from different disciplines.**

**Students must complete one Global or Cultural Perspectives designated course as part of their General Education Program.**

**‡ Students should attempt ENGL and MATH foundation requirements within completion of the first 24 credits of college level work or at the completion of any prerequisite or required non- credit coursework.**

**‡‡ Any credit hours beyond the minimum in General Education (31 Credit hours) or Core courses are counted toward elective credit hours.**

**† Two general education institutional requirement (GEIR) courses required from the following general education courses: COMM, HLTH , or one ARTD or HUMD. Students may only take one course from ARTD or HUMD to fulfill General Education Institutional Requirements.**

**†† Consult a counselor/advisor for NSND/Science course selection. Students potentially interested in science, health or engineer transfer programs should consider a 4 credit lab science course.**

*Please Note: Exact semester credit counts may vary based on specific course selections.*

*Students transferring to a specific four year institution, please check the Transfer Agreements site for articulated pathways that identify required coursework.*

\*  These courses are required for pre-MC nursing option.

**Notation from the other side:**

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\*\* Prerequisite for MATH 217; if MATH 117 is taken to fulfill MATH Foundation, MATH 181 or MATH 150 or MATH 165 and MATH 181 should be taken as electives to complete MATH 217.

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