

FOCUS AREA: COMPUTER SCIENCE

This focus area is intended for students who plan to major in Computer Science at a 4 year college or university, after completion of their associate's degree at St. Louis Community College. Your official degree that you will be pursuing at St. Louis Community College within this focus area is the Associate in Science - General STEM Transfer Studies (<https://catalog.stlcc.edu/programs/general-stem-transfer-studies-associate-science/#programrequirements>).

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First Year				
Fall				
ENG 101 or 102 or 103	College Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100) or College Composition II (MOTR ENGL 200) or Report Writing (MOTR ENGL 110)	3	Placement score or ENG 030 or ENG 070 with a grade of "C" or better or recommendation of department and Reading Proficiency or concurrent enrollment in RDG 079	
MTH 210	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5	MTH 185 or (MTH 160 or MTH 160S and MTH 170) with grades of "C" or better or satisfactory score on placement test and Reading Proficiency	
IS 167	C++ Programming I	4	Reading Proficiency	
Elective		4		Students should review the academic requirements of their preferred 4-year transfer institution to select courses
	Credit Hours	16		
Spring				
Elective		4		MTH 220 is recommended.
Elective		4		IS 267 is recommended.
Elective		4		Students should review the academic requirements of their preferred 4-year transfer institution to select courses.
	Credit Hours	12		
Second Year				
Fall				
Elective		5		MTH 230 or MTH 212 are recommended.
Elective		5		Students should review the academic requirements of their preferred 4-year transfer institution to select courses.
XXX xxx	MOTR Natural Science with Lab (http://catalog.stlcc.edu/general-education/)	4		BIO 111, BIO 140, CHM 105, PHY 111, and PHY 122 are recommended.
Elective		4		Students should review the academic requirements of their preferred 4-year transfer institution to select courses.
	Credit Hours	18		
Spring				
XXX xxx	MOTR Natural Science with Lab (http://catalog.stlcc.edu/general-education/)	3		

Elective		4		Students should review the academic requirements of their preferred 4-year transfer institution to select courses.
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XXX xxx	Social & Behavioral Sciences: Civics Requirement (http://catalog.stlcc.edu/general-education/)			
MCE 100	Missouri Civics Examination	0		
Credit Hours		11		
Total Credit Hours		57		

*Click on the hyperlinked course number to view additional information about the course.

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This academic plan is a recommended sequence for this pathway. It serves as a **general guideline** to help you build a course schedule each term that supports your timely completion. The College has made every effort to ensure its accuracy. However, **the map is not a substitute for academic advisement—contact your advisor if you have any questions about your degree requirements.**

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ENG 101	College Composition I (MOTR ENGL 100)	3	Placement score or ENG 030 or ENG 070 with a grade of "C" or better or recommendation of department and Reading Proficiency or concurrent enrollment in RDG 079	This fulfills the written communications requirement.
COM 101 or 103 or 107 or 201	Oral Communication I (MOTR COMM 100) or Small Group Communication (MOTR COMM 125) or Public Speaking (MOTR COMM 110) or Interpersonal Communication (MOTR COMM 120)	3	Concurrent enrollment in ENG 070 or Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
MTH 210	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5	MTH 185 or (MTH 160 or MTH 160S and MTH 170) with grades of "C" or better or satisfactory score on placement test and Reading Proficiency	This fulfills the mathematics requirement.
MOTR Foreign Language		4		This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
Credit Hours		15		

Spring				
ENG 102	College Composition II (MOTR ENGL 200)	3	ENG 101 with a minimum grade of "C" and Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
XXX xxx	Social and Behavioral Science MOTR Elective (http://catalog.stlcc.edu/general-education/)	3		This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
MTH 220	Analytic Geometry and Calculus II	5	MTH 210 with a grade of "C" or better and Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
MOTR Foreign Language		4		This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
	Credit Hours	15		
Summer				
MCE 100	Missouri Civics Examination	0		
HST 101 or 102 or 137 or 138 or PSC 101	United States History to 1865 (MOTR HIST 101) or United States History from 1865 to the Present (MOTR HIST 102) or African American History through Reconstruction (MOTR HIST 101AA) or African American History from Reconstruction to the Present (MOTR HIST 102AA) or Introduction to American Politics (MOTR POSC 101)	3	Reading Proficiency or concurrent enrollment in RDG 079	This fulfills the civics requirement.
	Credit Hours	3		
Second Year				
Fall				
XXX xxx	MOTR Natural Science Elective	4-5		Science courses must be from two different disciplines. See recommended courses listed below.
IS 167	C++ Programming I	4	Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
PHL 103 or ENG 231	World Religions (MOTR RELG 100) or World Literature (MOTR LITR 200)	3	Reading Proficiency or concurrent enrollment in RDG 079	This fulfills part of the elective requirement and satisfies UMSL's cultural diversity requirement.
MTH 215	Linear Algebra	3	MTH 210 with a grade of "C" or better and Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement. Foreign Language courses are required for all Bachelor of Arts degrees at UMSL. If a student intends to major in the Bachelor of Science in Biology, other options could be any MOTR Humanities or COM 107. Check with an advisor for the best option.
	Credit Hours	14-15		
Spring				
XXX xxx	MOTR Natural Science Elective	4-5		Science courses must be from two different disciplines. See recommended courses listed below.
IS 267	C++ Programming II	4	IS 167 with a minimum grade of "C" and Reading Proficiency	This fulfills part of the elective requirement.

XXX xxx	MOTR Social and Behavioral Science Elective (http://catalog.stlcc.edu/general-education/)	3		This fulfills part of the elective requirement.
Elective		3		See Advisor for recommendation.
	Credit Hours	14-15		
	Total Credit Hours	61-63		

Natural Science Elective

Code	Title	Credit Hours
MOTR BIOL Discipline		
BIO 110	General Zoology (MOTR BIOL 100LZ)	4
BIO 111	Introductory Biology I (MOTR BIOL 100L)	4
BIO 124	General Botany I (MOTR BIOL 100LB)	4
BIO 140	Principles of Biology I (MOTR BIOL 150L)	5

MOTR CHEM Discipline		
CHM 105	General Chemistry I (MOTR CHEM 150L)	5
MOTR PHYS Discipline		
PHY 111	College Physics I (MOTR PHYS 150L)	4
PHY 122	Engineering Physics I (MOTR PHYS 200L)	5
PSI 125	Introduction to Atmospheric Science (MOTR PHYS 110LAS)	4

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