

# PART I. MINNESOTA TRANSFER CURRICULUM

The Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC) is the result of a collaborative effort by all of the two- and four-year public colleges and universities in Minnesota to help students transfer their work in lower-division general education. Each institution certifies the courses for the ten goal areas within the MnTC.

## To complete SMSU's Minnesota Transfer Curriculum:

- Students must complete a minimum of 42 credits.
- Some courses may fulfill two MnTC goal areas, but this does not reduce the 42 credit requirement.
- The MnTC must be completed with a minimum grade point average of 2.0.
- Science lecture and lab are considered to be one course.

**Tip:** Search the online schedule of classes (<https://eservices.minnstate.edu/registration/search/advanced.html?campusid=075>) using the "MN Transfer Curriculum Goal" tab to find currently offered courses designated MnTC Goals 1-10.

**Note:** Minnesota Transfer Curriculum courses with a grade of "D" are accepted for the LEP/MnTC only from MnSCU institutions.

## MnTC Goal 01: Communication

(3 courses, 10 credits)

Complete COMM 110 and ENG 151 (English for Multilingual Speakers may complete EMLS 150 and EMLS 151 as substitutes for ENG 151 and COMM 110) by the end of the first year at SMSU.

ENG 151 or EMLS 151 with grades of C or higher are pre-requisite for ENG 251, ENG 351 or PHIL 303.

Code	Title	Credits
COMM 110	Essentials of Public Presentations	3
EMLS 150	Advanced Listening and Speaking	4
EMLS 151	Advanced Writing and Reading	4
ENG 151	Academic Writing	4
ENG 251	Writing in Professions	3
ENG 351	Writing in Medical & Health Professions	3
PHIL 303	Ethical Issues in Professional Life	3

- EMLS 151 Advanced Writing and Reading (4 cr.) and EMLS 150 Advanced Listening and Speaking (4 cr.) only for students in the English for Multilingual Speakers Program (EMLS).
- ENG 351 Writing in Medical & Health Professions (3 cr.): Students with majors related to health or medicine are invited to take this course.

## MnTC Goal 02: Critical Thinking

Goal 2 is satisfied by the completion of the other 9 MnTC goal areas.

## MnTC Goal 03: Natural Sciences

(2 courses with labs, 8 credits)

Two courses with labs from different disciplines, chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
BIOL 100	Biology in the Modern World	3
BIOL 100L	Biology in Modern World Lab	1
BIOL 120	Conservation Biology	3
BIOL 120L	Conservation Biology Lab	1
BIOL 200	Introduction to Cellular Biology	3
BIOL 200L	Introduction to Cellular Biology Lab	1
BIOL 201	Introduction to Biodiversity & Evolution	3
CHEM 110	Our Chemical World	3
CHEM 110L	Our Chemical World Lab	1
CHEM 121	Basic Chemistry	3
CHEM 121L	Basic Chemistry Lab	1
CHEM 231	General Chemistry I	3
CHEM 231L	General Chemistry I Lab	1
ENVS 100	Earth Science	3
ENVS 100L	Earth Science Lab	1
ENVS 101	Physical Geology	3
ENVS 101L	Physical Geology Lab	1
ENVS 180	Environmental Science: Introduction	3
ENVS 180L	Environmental Science: Introduction Lab	1
PHYS 120	Introductory Physics	3
PHYS 120L	Introductory Physics Lab	1
PHYS 121	Introduction to Astronomy	3
PHYS 121L	Introduction to Astronomy Lab	1
PHYS 141	College Physics I	3
PHYS 141L	College Physics I Lab	1
PHYS 181	University Physics I	4
PHYS 181L	University Physics I Lab	1

## MnTC Goal 04: Mathematical/Logical Reasoning

(1 course, 3-5 credits)

One course chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
DATA 100	Introduction to Data Science	3
MATH 101	Great Ideas of Mathematics	3
MATH 110	College Algebra	3
MATH 115	Finite Mathematics	3
MATH 125	Trigonometry & Special Functions	3
MATH 135	Precalculus	5
MATH 150	Calculus I	5
MATH 151	Calculus II	4
MATH 200	Introduction to Statistics	3
PHIL 340	Logic	3

## MnTC Goal 05: History and the Social and Behavioral Sciences

(2 courses, 6 credits)

Two courses from different disciplines chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
ECON 110	The Real World of Economics	3
ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 300	Introduction to Cooperatives	3
GEOG 101	Introduction to Geography	3
HIST 210	Contemporary World History	3
HIST 242	Early Europe	3
HIST 243	Modern Europe	3
HIST 310	Environmental History	3
HIST 311	World in War & Crisis: 1895-1949	3
HIST 312	World in War and Crisis: 1949-Today	3
HIST 314	Modern Latin America	3
HIST 349	World War Two	3
JUAD 144	Introduction to Justice & Society	3
POL 200	International Relations	3
POL 220	American National Government	3
POL 221	State Government	3
POL 227	Courts and the Law	3
POL 252	Comparative Politics	3
PSYC 101	General Psychology	3
SOCI 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
SOCI 220	Social Problems	3

## MnTC Goal 06: The Humanities and Fine Arts

(2 courses, 6 credits)

Two courses from different disciplines chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
ART 100	Introduction to Visual Arts	3
ART 102	Foundations of Art & Design 2D	3
ART 103	Foundations of Art and Design 3D	3
ART 150	Art History I	3
ART 151	Art History II	3
ART 350	Contemporary Art History	3
ENG 107	Introduction to Creative Writing	3
HUMT 201	Origins of Western Civilization	3
HUMT 202	European Middle Ages & Renaissance	3
HUMT 203	Thought and Culture in the Modern Era	3
HUMT 240	The Christian Heritage	3
HUMT 250	Dare to Know	3
LIT 100	Literature: Human Diversity	3
LIT 120	Introduction to Literature	3
LIT 150	Literature: Global Perspective	3
LIT 170	Literature: People & Environment	3
LIT 200	Literature: Rural/Regional Experience	3
LIT 261	Novel	3
LIT 262	Short Story	3
LIT 263	Poetry	3

LIT 264	World Drama	3
LIT 265	Literature and Film	3
LIT 266	Fiction	3
MUS 100	Introduction to Music	3
MUS 101	Survey of World Music	3
MUS 102	American Music	3
MUS 104	Popular Music	3
MUS 381	Music History: Medieval through Baroque	3
MUS 382	Music History: Classic-20th Century	3
PHIL 100	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHIL 101	Critical Thinking	3
PHIL 201	Aesthetics	3
PHIL 230	Philosophy of Religion	3
PHIL 250	Philosophy Through Film	3
THTR 100	Theatre Appreciation	3
THTR 220	Film & Television Appreciation	3

## MnTC Goal 07: Human Diversity

(1 course, 3 credits)

One course chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
COMM 228	Exploring Diversity Through Family Storytelling	3
COMM 230	Interpersonal and Cross-Cultural Communication	3
HIST 221	Early America: History of the U.S. from the Colonial Era to the Civil War	3
HIST 222	Modern America: History of the U.S. from 1865 to the Present	3
HIST 359	African-American History: 1500 to the Present	3
HUMT 230	World Religions	3
INDS 101	Introduction to Indigenous Nations and Dakota Studies	3
JUAD 300	Women and Justice	3
JUAD 315	Effects of Poverty and Race on American Justice	3
LIT 100	Literature: Human Diversity	3
LIT 335	African American Literature	3
LIT 340	Sexuality and Gender in Literature	3
LIT 355	Native American Literature	3
LIT 375	Womens Literature	3
PHIL 310	The Philosophy of Sex and Gender	3
PSYC 360	Cross-Cultural Psychology	3
SOCI 211	Marriage and the Family	3
SOCI 212	Human Relations	3
SOCI 270	Gender Issues	3
SOCI 324	Sociology of Sexualities	3
SOCI 331	Racial & Ethnic Relations	3
SPAN 101	Beginning Spanish I	3
SPAN 102	Beginning Spanish II	3
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	3
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	3
THTR 440	Theatre History II	3

## MnTC Goal 08: Global Perspective

(1 course, 3-4 credits)

One course chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
ART 350	Contemporary Art History	3
COMM 228	Exploring Diversity Through Family Storytelling	3
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
GLBL 180	Introduction to Global Food and Culture	3
GLBL 299	Global Studies Seminar	3
GLBL 399	Global Studies Seminar	3
GLBL 499	Global Studies Seminar	3
HIST 210	Contemporary World History	3
HIST 242	Early Europe	3
HIST 243	Modern Europe	3
HIST 311	World in War & Crisis: 1895-1949	3
HIST 312	World in War and Crisis: 1949-Today	3
HIST 314	Modern Latin America	3
HIST 349	World War Two	3
HIST 351	Origins of Islamic Civilization	3
HIST 385	War and Peace in the Middle East	3
HUMT 230	World Religions	3
LIT 150	Literature: Global Perspective	3
LIT 264	World Drama	3
MUS 101	Survey of World Music	3
PHIL 240	Philosophy East and West	3
POL 200	International Relations	3
POL 217	Global Politics	3
POL 252	Comparative Politics	3
SOCI 270	Gender Issues	3
SPAN 101	Beginning Spanish I	3
SPAN 102	Beginning Spanish II	3
SPAN 201	Intermediate Spanish I	3
SPAN 202	Intermediate Spanish II	3
THTR 435	Theatre History I	3
THTR 440	Theatre History II	3

## MnTC Goal 09: Ethical and Civic Responsibility

(1 course, 3 credits)

One course chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
ECON 300	Introduction to Cooperatives	3
HIST 221	Early America: History of the U.S. from the Colonial Era to the Civil War	3
HIST 222	Modern America: History of the U.S. from 1865 to the Present	3
HIST 359	African-American History: 1500 to the Present	3
JUAD 144	Introduction to Justice & Society	3
PHIL 103	Ethics	3
PHIL 105	Ethical Issues in Business	3

PHIL 107	Environmental Ethics	3
PHIL 322	Medical and Bioethics	3
PHIL 330	History of Philosophy: Ethics	3
PHIL 331	History of Philosophy: Social & Political Philosophy	3
POL 217	Global Politics	3
POL 220	American National Government	3
POL 221	State Government	3
POL 324	Local Politics	3
SOCI 220	Social Problems	3

## MnTC Goal 10: People and the Environment

(1 course, 3 credits)

One course chosen from the following list:

Code	Title	Credits
BIOL 120	Conservation Biology	3
BIOL 120L	Conservation Biology Lab	1
CHEM 110	Our Chemical World	3
ENVS 100	Earth Science	3
ENVS 100L	Earth Science Lab	1
ENVS 180	Environmental Science: Introduction	3
ENVS 180L	Environmental Science: Introduction Lab	1
GEOG 101	Introduction to Geography	3
HIST 310	Environmental History	3
LIT 170	Literature: People & Environment	3
PHIL 107	Environmental Ethics	3