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FRESHMAN			SOPHOMORE			JUNIOR			SENIOR			
Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring	
Intro. to ME I ME 128[^] (1) <small>(1st qtr freshman year. Concur: ME 163)</small>	Intro to ME II ME 129[^] (1) <small>(ME 128, 2nd quarter)</small>	Intro to ME III ME 130[^] (1) <small>(ME 129, 3rd quarter)</small>	Philosophy of Design ME 234 (3) (Soph standing)			Design for Strength & Stiffness ME 328 (4) <small>(BMED 212 or ME 234; CE 207 or 208; MATE 210; ME 212. Coreq: CPE/CSC 101 or 231 or 234; ME 251. Recom: ENGL 149.)</small>			General Curriculum Senior Design Project I, II, and III			
Orientation to ME ME 163[^] (1) <small>(Concur: ME 128)</small>			Measurement & Engineering Data Analysis ME 236 (3) (Recom: CHEM 125, ENGL 149, & PHYS 132)			Thermodynamics I ME 302 (3) (ME 212 & PHYS 132)			Mechanical Systems Design ME 329 (4) (ME 328)			
	Sub. Manuf. I IME 145 (1) <small>(Concur: ME 129)</small>	Sub. Manuf. II IME 146 (1) <small>(IME 145; Concur: ME 130)</small>	Engineering Statics ME 211 (3) <small>(MATH 241+, PHYS 131 or 141)</small>	Engineering Dynamics ME 212 (3) <small>(MATH 241; ME 211 or ARCE 211)</small>	Thermodynamics II ME 303 (3) (ME 302)	Fluid Mechanics I ME 341 (3) (MATH 242 or 244; ME 212)			Thermodynamics II ME 303 (3) (ME 302)			
Manufacturing Processes: Materials Joining IME 142 (2)			Intro to Detailed Design ME 251 (2) <small>(ME 130 or 228. Recom: IME 143 for EE majors or IME 146 for ME majors.)</small>	MATE & Laboratory I MATE 210 (3) & MATE 215 (1) <small>(CHEM 111, 124, or 127)</small>			Fluid Mechanics II ME 347 (4) <small>(ME 236; ME 341; ME 302)</small>			Thermal System Design ME 448 (4) <small>(ME 303; ME 343; ME 347)</small>		
Manufacturing Processes Elective IME 141 (1) OR ITP 341 (4) OR ME 161 (2) *			Heat Transfer ME 343 (4) <small>(CPE/CSC 101 or CSC 231 or 234; MATE 360 or ME 236 & 302 & 341)</small>			Heat Transfer ME 343 (4) <small>(CPE/CSC 101 or CSC 231 or 234; MATE 360 or ME 236 & 302 & 341)</small>			General Curriculum Select one: Implementation of Mechanical Controls ME 418 (4) <small>(ME 322)</small> OR Advanced Control Systems ME 419 (4) <small>(ME 322, ME 236)</small>			
Calculus I MATH 141 (4) * [B4]	Calculus II MATH 142 (4) <small>(MATH 141 w/min C-)</small> [B4]	Calculus III MATH 143 (4) <small>(MATH 142 w/min C-)</small> [Add'l Area B]	Calculus IV MATH 241 (4) <small>(MATH 143)</small>	Linear Analysis I MATH 244 (4) <small>(MATH 143)</small>		Linear Analysis II MATH 344 (4) * [Upper-Division B]	Mechanical Vibrations ME 318 (4) <small>(ME 212, MATH 344. Recom: EE 201)</small>	Introduction to System Dynamics ME 322 (4) <small>(CPE/CSC 101, CSC 231 or 234; EE 201; EE 251; ME 318; ME 341)</small>	General Curriculum Technical Elective (3-4) ***	General Curriculum Technical Elective (4) ***		
	General Physics IA PHYS 141 (4) * [Add'l Area B]	General Physics II PHYS 132 (4) <small>(PHYS 131 or HNRS 131 or PHYS 141)</small>	General Physics III PHYS 133 (4) <small>(PHYS 131, 141, or HNRS 131; MATH 142. Recom: MATH 241)</small>	Mechanics of Materials I CE 204 (3)[†] <small>(ME 211)</small>	Mechanics of Materials II CE 207 (2)[†] <small>(CE 204)</small>	Electric Circuit Theory and Lab EE 201 (3) & EE 251 (1) <small>(MATH 244, PHYS 133)</small>	Electronics and Electronics Lab EE 321 (3) & EE 361 (1) <small>(EE 201, EE 251)</small>		General Curriculum Technical Elective (4) ***			
		Gen. Chem. For Phys Sci & Engineering I CHEM 124 (4) * [B1 & B3]	Gen. Chem. For Phys Sci & Engineering II CHEM 125 (4) <small>(CHEM 124)</small>	Select one: Programming for Engin. Stud. CSC 231 (2) <small>(MATH 142; PHYS 121, 131, or 141)</small> OR C & Unix CSC 234 (3) <small>(MATH 142)</small>			General Curriculum Intermediate Dynamics ME 326 (4) <small>(ME 212; CPE/CSC 101 or CSC 231 or 234; MATH 244+)</small>					
Expository Writing ENGL 133 or 134 (4)** [A2] <small>Can be taken anytime during Freshman Year</small>												
Oral Communication COMS 101 or 102 (4)** [A1] <small>Can be taken anytime during Freshman Year</small>												
		Reasoning, Argumentation, & Writing [A3] COMS 126, 145, ENGL 145, 147, ES 145, PHIL 126, or WGS 145 (4)** <small>(Completion of GE A2 with a C- or better) Can be taken anytime between Winter of Freshman and Winter of Sophomore Years.</small>										
						GE (4) **						
						GE (4) Rec: ECON 201 **						
						Graduation Writing Requirement GWR* <small>(Students can attempt to fulfill the requirement after 90 earned units; students should complete the requirement before senior year)</small>						
									GE (4) **	GE (4) **	GE (4) **	
									GE (4) ² Rec: STS Minor Courses	GE (4) **	GE (4) **	
13-16	18	18	17	17	15-16	18	16	15	17-18	14	18	
										TOTAL:	196-202	

Notes:

MOST GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES CAN BE TAKEN IN ANY ORDER AS LONG AS PREREQUISITES ARE MET

* Refer to current catalog for prerequisites.

** One course from each of the following GE areas must be completed: A1, A2, A3, B2, C1, C2, Lower-Division C Elective, Upper-Division C, D1, Area D Elective, E, F. Upper-Division C should be taken only after Junior standing is reached (90 units).

Refer to online catalog for GE course selection, United States Cultural Pluralism (USCP) and Graduation Writing Requirement (GWR).

USCP requirement can be satisfied by some (but not all) courses within GE categories: C1, Upper-Division C, D1, D2, Upper-Division D, or E.

*** Refer to current catalog for course selection. ME 470, ME 471, ME 570 and ME 571 are variable topics courses and may or may not count as ME electives. Please contact instructor for additional information. ME 400 and ME 500 are independent study classes and may be acceptable for technical elective credit. A course substitution form is required. Exceptions to this policy are possible through consultation with the department chair.

† Course can be taken previously or concurrently.

^ Transfer students and change of major students take ME 228, 263 & 264 in lieu of ME 128, 129, 130 and 163; and IME 143 in lieu of IME 145 and 146.

¹ ENGR 459, 460, and 461 (6 units) or ENGR 463, 464, and 465 (6) may substitute for ME 428, ME 429, and ME 430 (6).

² CE 208 may be taken in place of CE 204 and CE 207.

³The ME Department recommends the following courses that examine topics related to engineering, science, technology, and society: PHIL 322, PHIL 323, PHIL 327, PHIL 328, PHIL 339, PHIL 340, ISLA 303. Completion of these courses contribute to the Science, Technology, and Society Minor and meet GE requirements for upper division C.

UNLESS A CONCENTRATION IS DECLARED, THE DEFAULT WILL BE GENERAL CURRICULUM IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING.

Legend:

Course Title Course # (Units) (Prerequisite)	Major (80-82)
[GE Area]	Support (68-72)
	General Ed. (48)