

A.S. Social Science

ADVANCE Program Milestones

1. Students must take SDV 100 or SDV 101 in the first semester at NOVA.
2. Students must begin Developmental coursework in the first semester in ADVANCE at NOVA.
3. Students must take first college-level MTH course and ENG 111 in the semester immediately following the completion of any MTT or ENF courses (excluding summer).
4. In the first 30 credits, students must:
 - a. Complete ENG 111 and ENG 112 with a C or better.
 - b. Complete the first college-level MTH course with a C or better.
5. Students must complete at least six degree-applicable credits with a C or better each fall and spring semester.
6. Students must maintain a 2.5 cumulative GPA.
7. Students must apply for NOVA graduation and complete their Associate's degree.

	NOVA DEGREE REQUIREMENT	Credits	Courses	MASON TRANSFER EQUIVALENT	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
1	SDV Course	1	SDV 100 College Success Skills OR SDV 101 Orientation to Business	UNIV 100	Elective
2	CST Course	3	CST 100 Principles of Public Speaking OR CST 110 Introduction to Communication	COMM 100 COMM 101	Oral Comm
3	ENG 111	3	ENG 111 College Composition I	ENGH 101	Written Comm
4	HIS Course	3	HIS 101 History of Western Civilization I OR HIS 102 History of Western Civilization II OR HIS 112 History of World Civilization II	HIST 101 HIST 102 HIST 125	Western Civ
5	MTH 154 or higher	5	MTH 167 Pre-Calculus with Trigonometry	MATH 105	Elective
6	ITE 115	3	ITE 115 Introduction to Computer Applications and Concepts	IT 103	Info Tech
7	ENG 112	3	ENG 112 College Composition II	ENGH XXX	Elective
8	MTH 245 or higher	4	MTH 263 Calculus I	MATH 113	Quantitative
9	Science Course #1	4	BIO 101 General Biology I OR CHM 101 General Chemistry I OR ENV 121 General Environmental Science I OR GOL 105 Physical Geology OR PHY 101 Introduction to Physics I	BIOL 103 CHEM 103 EVPP 110 GEOL 101 PHYS 103	Nat Science
10	Humanities/Fine Arts #1	3	ART 100 Art Appreciation OR ART 101 History and Appreciation of Art I OR ART 102 History and Appreciation of Art II OR CST 130 Introduction to Theatre OR CST 151 Film Appreciation I OR MUS 121 Music Appreciation I	ARTH 101 ARTH 200 ARTH 201 THR 101 ENGH L372 MUSI 101	Arts
11	Social/Behavioral Science #1	3	ECO 201 Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 104	Major
12	PSY 200 or SOC 200	3	PSY 200 Principles of Psychology OR SOC 200 Principles of Sociology	PSYC 100 SOCI 101	Soc/Behav
13	Social/Behavioral Science #2	3	ECO 202 Principles of Microeconomics	ECON 103	Major
14	Social/Behavioral Science #3	3	GEO 220 World Regional Geography OR HIS 111 History of World Civilization I OR PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Politics OR PLS 241 International Relations I OR PSY 219 Cross-Cultural Psychology	GGS 101 HIST L387 GOVT 133 GOVT 132 PSYC L379	Global

15	Humanities/Fine Arts #2	3	ENG 236 Introduction to the Short Story OR ENG 241 Survey of American Literature I OR ENG 242 Survey of American Literature II OR ENG 251 Survey of World Literature I OR ENG 252 Survey of World Literature II OR ENG 253 Survey of African-American Literature I	ENGH 202	Literature
16	Science Course #2	4	BIO 102 General Biology II OR CHM 102 General Chemistry II OR ENV 122 General Environmental Science II OR GOL 106 Historical Geology OR PHY 102 Introduction to Physics II	BIOL 106/107 CHEM 104 EVPP 111 GEOL 102 PHYS 104	Nat Science
17	Social/Behavioral Science #4	3	GEO 210 People and the Land: An Introduction to Cultural Geography OR HIS 121 United States History I OR HIS 122 United States History II OR PSY 216 Social Psychology OR SSC 115 Introduction to Global Affairs OR SOC 268 Social Problems	GGS 103 HIST 121 HIST 122 PSYC 231 GLOA 101 SOCI L352	Elective
18	General Education Elective #1	4	MTH 264 Calculus II	MATH 114	Major
19	General Education Elective #2	3	MTH 245 Statistics I	STAT 250	Major
20	Transfer Elective	3	PHI 111 Logic OR REL 100 Introduction to the Study of Religion OR REL 231 Religions of the World I OR REL 232 Religions of the World II OR SOC 211 Principles of Anthropology I OR SOC 212 Principles of Anthropology II	PHIL 173 RELI 100 RELI 212 RELI 211 ANTH 114 ANTH 120	Elective

A. S. SOCIAL SCIENCE DEGREE

TOTAL 64

For academic policies and procedures, please see NOVA catalog - <http://www.nvcc.edu/catalog/index.html>

B.S. Economics

Concentrations: Managerial Economics; Philosophy, Politics, and Economics.

NOTE: Students selecting the Philosophy, Politics, and Economics concentration must meet with a Mason Advisor or Success Coach to create a graduation plan.

	MASON DEGREE REQUIREMENT	Credits	Course	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
21	Major Core Courses	3	ECON 306 Intermediate Microeconomics	Major
22	Major Core Courses	3	ECON 309 Economic Problems and Public Policies	Major
23	Major Core Courses	3	ECON 311 Intermediate Macroeconomics	Major
24	Major Core Courses	3	STAT 350 Introductory Statistics II	Major
25	Major Core Courses	3	ACCT 203 Survey of Accounting OR STAT 362 Computer Statistical Packages	Major
26	Major Core Courses	3	ECON 345 Introduction to Econometrics	Major
27	Gen Ed: Written Communication (UL)	3	ENGH 302 Advanced Composition	Written Comm
28	Electives in Major	3	Any 300-400 level Economics (ECON) coursework (excludes ECON 385)	Major
29	Electives in Major	3	Any 300-400 level Economics (ECON) coursework (excludes ECON 385)	Major
30	Electives in Major	3	Any 300-400 level Economics (ECON) coursework (excludes ECON 385)	Major
31	Electives in Major	3	Any 300-400 level Economics (ECON) coursework (excludes ECON 385)	Major
32	Electives in Major	3	Any 300-400 level Economics (ECON) coursework (excludes ECON 385)	Major
33	Electives in Major	3	ECON 355 The Political Economy of Nonprofit Institutions OR ECON 365 Topics in Economic History OR ECON 395 Effective Writing in Economics ECON 435 Economics of Energy OR ECON 470 Economics of Regulation OR ECON 485 Smithian Political Economy I	Writing Intensive
34	Electives in Major	3	Any 400 level Economics (ECON) coursework	Major

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36	General Electives	3	General Education elective (See Advisor)	Major
37	General Electives	3	General Elective (See: Advisor) (Upper Level)	Major
39	General Electives	3	General Elective (See: Advisor)	Major
40	General Electives	2	General Elective (See: Advisor)	Major

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TOTAL				

Denotes a course that must be taken at George Mason University. Please see your Success Coach to enroll.

*For approved Social/Behavioral Science or Transfer Elective courses, please visit - <http://www.nvcc.edu/catalog/index.html>

General Note: Students pursuing this degree must complete a minimum of 59 credits of required coursework with a minimum GPA of 2.00. Students completing a concentration will complete additional credits.

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Students seeking a bachelor's degree must apply at least 45 credits of upper-level courses (numbered 300 or above) toward graduation requirements.