Physics Bachelor of Science Major/Pre-Professional Secondary Education Minor Suggested Academic Plan

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Year 1	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
Students must	WRTC 103 (C1W)	3	MATH 236 (BS Quantitative Reasoning)	4	*Take VCLA	
complete all Madison	MATH 235 (C3QR)	4	PHYS 150/250	3	*Take ALEKS/Praxis Core Math	
Foundations courses	PHYS 140/240 (BS Scientific Literacy)	3	PHYS 150L/250L	1	*Complete CPR/First Aid/AED	
by end of first year.	PHYS 140L/240L	1	C1CT or C1HC	3		
	C1HC or C1CT	3	CHEM 131 (C3PP)	3		
Attend a Teacher	PHYS 105 (fall only)	1	CHEM 131L (C3L)	1		
Education meeting in						
Nov/Dec.	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	
Year 2	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
	MATH 237	4	C5WD	3	*Be admitted to TE by 3/1 of year 2.	
	PHYS 270 (fall only)	3	PHYS 260 (spring only)	3		
	PHYS 270L (fall only)	1	BIO 140 (C3NS)	3		
	CHEM 132	3	BIO 140L	1		
	CHEM 132L	1	PSYC 160 (C5SD)	3		
	EDUC 200	3	MSSE 101	1		
			PHYS 247	1		
	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	
Year 3	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
Enrollment in MSSE	EDUC 310	3	MSSE 370	3		
370 and MSSE 371	PHYS 391 (fall only)	0	MSSE 371	1		
requires admission to	PHYS 380 (fall only)	3	PHYS 392 (spring only)	1		
the Teacher Education	C2HQC	3	PHYS 350 (spring only)	3		
Program and must be	MATH 238 (pre-req to PHYS 340 & 350)	4	C2L	3		
completed no later	PHYS Elective (270 or higher)	3	GEOL 110	3		
than spring of junior			GEOL 110L	1		
year.	Total Credits	16	Total Credits	15	Total Credits	
Year 4	Fall	Cr.	Spring	Cr.	Summer - GRAD	Cr.
MSSE 370, MSSE 371,	MSSE 414 (fall only)	3	PHYS 492 (spring only)	1	EDUC 540	3
and EDUC 310, must	MSSE 415	3	C2VPA	3	EXED 512	3
be completed before	LED 440	3	C4AE	4	MSSE 607	3
enrolling in MSSE 414,	PHYS 491 (fall only)	0	PHYS Elective (270 or higher)	3	MSSE 625	3
MSSE 415, and LED	PHYS 340 (fall only)	3	Elective	3		
440. Apply to The	C4GE	3	*Apply to graduate undergrad.		*Passing score on Praxis SA required by	
Graduate School in fall	*Attend Student Teaching meeting.		*Attempt Praxis SA by 3/1.		August 15.	
of senior year.						

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Year 5	Fall - GRAD	Cr.	Spring - GRAD	Cr.	Summer	Cr.
	MSSE 544 (fall only)	3	MSSE 650	3	*Apply for Teaching License	
	MSSE 549 (fall only)	3	MSSE 675 #1 (student teaching)	3		
	EXED 520	3	MSSE 675 #2 (student teaching)	3		
	MSSE 630 (fall only)	3				
	*Apply to graduate Graduate School		*graduate from Graduate School			
	Total Credits	12	Total Credits	9	Total Credits	

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