

Bachelor of Science in Engineering (B.S.E.)

2024 – 2025 Catalog Year

Mechanical Engineering

MTH 201 Start, 5 Year Plan

Secondary Admission Required

			1st Year			
Fall			Winter		Spring/Summer	
*MTH 201: Calculus 1		4	*MTH 202: Calculus 2	4	5, 5, 5	
*WRT 150: Strategies in Writing		4	*CHM 115: Chemistry 1	4		
or WRT 120 and WRT 130			,			
*EGR 100: Intro to EGR		1	*EGR 113: Intro to CAD/CAM	1		
*EGR 111: Intro to EGR Graphics		1	*EGR 108: Appl Program for EGR 2	2		
*EGR 104: Appl Program for EGR 1		2	General Education Course	3		
General Education Course		3	General Education Course	3		
General Education Course	Total	15	To	tal 14		
			2nd Year			
Fall			Winter		Spring/Summer	
*MTH 203: Calculus 3		4	*MTH 302: Linear Algebra/Differential Eq	a 4		
*EGR 185: First-Year EGR Design		2	*EGR 209: Mechanics and Machines	4		
*PHY 230: Physics 1				2		
General Education Course		5	*EGR 226: Microcontroller Program	3		
General Education Course		3	*EGR 227: Microcontroller Program Lab	1		
			General Education Course	3		
	Total	14		tal 15		
			3rd Year			
Fall			Winter		Spring/Summer	
*PHY 234 or 231 Physics 2		4-5	*EGR 312: Dynamics	3	EGR 290: Engineering Co-op 1	3
*EGR 214: Circuit Analysis 1		3	*STA 220: Statistical Modeling for EGR	2		
*EGR 215: Circuit Analysis 1 Lab		1	*EGR 220: EGR Measure & Data	1		
*EGR 309: Machine Design 1		4	General Education Course	3		
*EGR 310: Machine Design 1 Lab *EGR 289: EGR Professionalism		1	General Education Course	3		
FEGR 209. EGR Professionalism	Total 1	- 4-15	To	tal 12	Total	3
	Total I	7 13	4 th Year ~ Admission Required		Total	
Fall			Winter		Spring/Summer	
EGR 250: Materials Science & EGR		3	EGR 390: Engineering Co-op 2	3	EGR 329: Intro to FEA	3
EGR 251: Materials Science & EGR L	₋ab	1	General Education Course	3	EGR 365: Fluid Mechanics	4
EGR 346: Mechatronics & Control		4			EGR 409: Machine Design 2	4
EGR 360: Thermodynamics		4			ECO 210 or 211: Economics	3
	Total	12	То	tal 6	Total	14
			5 th Year ~ Admission Required			
Fall			Winter		Spring/Summer	
EGR 490: Engineering Co-op 3		3	EGR 485: Senior EGR Project 1	1	EGR 486: Senior EGR Project 2	2
			EGR 468: Heat Transfer	4	Mechanical Engineering Elective	3-4
			Mechanical Engineering Elective	3-4	Mechanical Engineering Elective	3-4
		-	General Education Course	3	General Education Course	3
	Total	3	Tot	tal 11 -12	Total 1	1 -13

- This is a suggested curriculum guide that might not be applicable to every student
- Foundation courses are required for secondary admission and are designated by an asterisk (*) on this guide
- Student must have a minimum of 120 credits to graduate, with 58 of the 120 credits being from a senior level institution and the final 30 of the 120 credits completed at GVSU

Mechanical Engineering Foundation Requirements						
MTH 201	MTH 202	MTH 203	MTH 302			
WRT 150 or WRT 130	CHM 115	PHY 230	PHY 234 or PHY 231			
EGR 100	EGR 111	EGR 112 (or EGR 104+ EGR 108)	EGR 113			
EGR 185	EGR 289	EGR 220 + STA 220	EGR 214+215			
EGR 226+227	EGR 209	EGR 309 + 310	EGR 312			

General Education Requirements				
WRT 150: Strategies in Writing (grade of "C" or higher required) or WRT 120 and WRT 130 (grade of "C" or higher required in both)	Life Sciences (consider BIO 105)			
Physical Sciences (CHM 115)	Philosophy and Literature			
Arts	Mathematical Sciences (MTH 201)			
2 Social Behavioral Sciences (one must be ECO 210 or 211)	Global Perspectives			
Historical Analysis (consider HSC 202)	U.S. Diversity			
2 Issues Courses (prerequisite: must have 55+ credits)	2 Supplemental Writing Skills Courses (prerequisite: WRT 130 or WRT 150)			

Secondary Admission Requirements:

Detailed application and admission requirements available at https://www.gvsu.edu/engineering/secondary-admission-to-engineering-majors-44.htm

- ✓ A GPA of 2.7 or above in Engineering Foundation courses. Foundation courses are designated by an asterisk (*) on this guide.
- ✓ Completion of each course in the Engineering Foundation with a grade of C (2.0) or above, with no more than one repeat.
- ✓ Completion of preparation for placement in the cooperative engineering education course, EGR 289.

Major Notes:

- 1) It is recommended that anyone on a 5-year EGR plan complete the EGR 104+108 stretch option in place of EGR 112. Please speak with an advisor if you have questions about which option is best for you.
- 2) Consider taking a course that fulfills both the U.S. Diversity category and one non-ECO Social and Behavioral Science course.
- 3) Consider taking a course that fulfills both the Global Perspectives category and one Issues course.
- 4) An ethics course is required in the engineering program. It is recommended to take **ONE** of the following:
 - a. EGR 302 (Engineering Decision-Making in Society), BIO 328, BIO 338, COM 438, MGT 340, MGT 438, MKT 375, PHI 325 or PLS 338 in the Issues category
 - b. PHI 102 in the Philosophy and Literature category
 - c. For Honors College students, the ethics requirement is fulfilled by completion of the Honors Curriculum
- 5) ECO 210 or 211 is required for the engineering major AND fulfills one Social and Behavioral Sciences course.
- 6) Two Supplemental Writing Skills (SWS) courses are required for graduation. These can be fulfilled via other general education categories. For example, EGR 302 will fulfill ONE SWS requirement, one Issues requirement AND the engineering ethics requirement.

Recommendations:

It is strongly encouraged that students do not begin or break curriculum thread by taking courses at other institutions.

For example: Taking MTH 201 equivalent elsewhere, then return to Grand Valley and continuing in the math thread with MTH 202.