# MONTCLAIR STATE UNIVERSITY

This recommended degree plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years and 120 credits. This plan is a recommendation and MUST be used in consultation with their academic advisor. *Important note: Students must be aware this plan assumes no pre-college coursework is required. If pre-college coursework is needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which do not appear on the plan.* 

#### **First Year**

Fall Semester	Credits	✓	Spring Semester	Credits	~
Total credits:			Total credits:		

### Second Year

Fall Semester	Credits	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	Spring Semester	Credits	~
Total credits:			Total credits:		

#### **Third Year**

Fall Semester	Credits	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	Spring Semester	Credits	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>
Total credits:			Total credits:		

#### **Fourth Year**

Fall Semester	Credits	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>	Spring Semester	Credits	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>
Total credits:			Total credits:		

## SEEDS Curriculum Guide

SEEDS Curriculum	Credits	Recommended	Notes
Requirements		Courses*	
Foundations	18-21		<ul> <li>Students are required to take ONE 3- credit course from EACH of the learning outcomes listed in the Foundations area. Total of 15- 18 credits.</li> <li>Students should be encouraged to fill Foundations requirements during their first year. Exceptions to this recommendation include Effective Writing 2 and World Languages II (When appropriate). Effective Writing II can be satisfied by a SEEDS approved Major course when available</li> </ul>
Effective Writing	3		
Effective Writing II	3		Can be completed by taking a SEEDS certified course in student's Major
Interactive Communication	3		
Quantitative Reasoning	3		
Political and Civic Life	3		
World Languages	3-6		Students who start learning a language at the beginner level will take 6 credits. Students who take a placement test may be allowed to take just one course (3 credits) at the Intermediate level.
Explorations.	12		Students are required to take FOUR 3- credit courses from the six learning outcomes listed in the Explorations area. Total of 12 credits. Students can take an <u>unlimited</u> number of courses that satisfy both SEEDS and Major/Minor requirements.
Analyzing Cultures and Society			
Historical Thinking			
Creative Expression			
Scientific Reasoning			
Ethical Inquiry			
Literary and Artistic Analysis			
Total	30-33		

\* Each major/program is encouraged to make recommendations about how their students can fill specific requirements in the SEEDS curriculum.