South Dakota State University

Bachelor of Science
Major: Hospitality, Tourism, and Event Management
2025-2026 Sample 4-Year Plan
Total Degree Requirements: 120 credits

Student _____ **Student ID#** _____ **Student Phone #** _____

Advisor _____ **Minimum GPA** 2.00 **Minor/Career Interest(s)** _____

Students are not limited to this plan; it is meant to be used as a guide for planning purposes in consultation with your advisor. The sample schedule is one possible path to completing your degree within four years. For official program requirements, please refer to the Undergraduate Catalog.

FIRST YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EHS 119	EHS Seminar		2		
NUTR 141	Food Principles	Fall Only	3	F	
NUTR 141L	Food Principles Lab	Fall Only	1	F	
PSYC 101	General Psychology	SGR #3	3		
SGR #1	Written Communication	p. Placement	3		
SGR #4	Arts and Humanities		3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	SGR #3	3		
HMGT 171	Introduction to Hospitality, Tourism, and Event Industry	Spring Only	3	S	
SGR #2	Oral Communication		3		
SGR #5	Mathematics	p. Placement	3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

SECOND YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ACCT 210	Principles of Accounting I		3		
ECON 202	Principles of Macroeconomics	SGR #3	3		
HMGT 282	Customer Service	Fall Only	3	F	
SGR #3	Social Sciences	Select from the designated list of courses to fulfill civics requirement	3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ACCT 211	Principles of Accounting II	p. ACCT 210	3		
CA 230	Consumer Engagement	Spring Only	3	S	
HMGT 375	International Tourism	Spring Only – Odd Years	3	S-Odd	
SGR #1	Written Communication	p. ENGL 101 (SGR #1)	3		
SGR #4	Arts and Humanities		3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

Summer

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HMGT 295	Practicum	After Sophomore year, Summer Only	2	SU	
		Total Credit Hours	2		

Information Subject to Change. This is not a contract.

p. = Course Prerequisite
Semester: F = Fall, S = Spring, SU = Summer

THIRD YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HMGT 251	Foodservice Sanitation	Fall Only	1	F	
HMGT 355	Events and Facilities Administration	Fall Only	3	F	
FIN 310	Business Finance	p. ACCT 210 and ACCT 211	3		
HMGT 370	Lodging Management	Fall Only – Odd Years	3	F-Odd	
HMGT 472	Hospitality Facilities Management and Design	p. Junior, Fall Only	3	F-Odd	
		Total Credit Hours	13		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
EHS 319	Life, Love, and Money	Spring and Summer	2	S/SU	
HMGT 361	Hospitality Industry Law	Spring Only – Even Years	3	S-Even	
HMGT 455	Advanced Events and Facilities Administration	p. HMGT 355, Spring Only	3	S	
MGMT 360	Organization and Management		3		
Electives			3		
		Total Credit Hours	14		

Summer

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HMGT 495	Practicum	p. HMGT 295, Summer Only	3	SU	
		Total Credit Hours	3		

FOURTH YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HMGT 380	Foodservice Operations and Purchasing Management	Fall Only	3	F	
LDR 435	Organizational Leadership and Team Development	p. Junior	3		
Electives			9		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
CSC 325	Management Information System		3		
HMGT 381	Quantity Food Production and Service	p. NUTR 141/141L, HMGT 251, HMGT 380, Spring Only	1	S	
HMGT 381L	Quantity Food Production and Service Lab	p. NUTR 141/141L, HMGT 251, HMGT 380, Spring Only	3	S	
HMGT 482	Hospitality Marketing	Spring Only	3	S	
HRM 460	Human Resource Management	p. MGMT 360	3		
		Total Credit Hours	13		

COMMENTS/NOTES

Students from all academic majors can pursue graduation with Fishback Honors College distinction. View the Honors program requirements.

A grade of "C" or above is required in all HMGT and NUTR courses.