South Dakota State University

Bachelor of Science
Major: Sport Management
2025-2026 Sample 4-Year Plan
Total Degree Requirements: 120 credits

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

Advisor _____ **Minimum GPA** 2.0 **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		
RECR 140	Introduction to Sport and Recreation Management	Fall Only	3	F	
SGR #2	Oral Communication		3		
SGR #4	Arts and Humanities		3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3		
		Total Credit Hours	14		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HLTH 220	Social Determinants of Health		3		
MATH 114	College Algebra	SGR #5	3		
RECR 260	Fundamentals of Sport and Recreation Leadership	Spring Only	3	S	
SGR #1	Written Communication	p. Placement	3		
SGR #3	Social Sciences	Select from the designated list of courses to fulfill civics requirement	3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

SECOND YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ECON 201	Principles of Microeconomics	SGR #3	3		
HDFS 210	Lifespan Development	SGR #3	3		
SGR #1	Written Communication	p. ENGL 101 (SGR #1)	3		
SGR #4	Arts and Humanities		3		
SGR #6	Natural Sciences		3		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
CMST 201 or CMST 215 or CMST 434	Interpersonal Communication, or Public Speaking or Small Group Communication		3		
ENGL 379	Technical Communication	p. ENGL 201	3		
RECR 315	Psychosocial Aspects of Sport and Recreation Management	Spring Only	3	S	
Electives			6		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

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

THIRD YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
ACCT 210	Principles of Accounting I		3		
CSC 325	Management Information Systems		3		
HMGT 355	Events and Facilities Administration	Fall Only	3	F	
RECR 486	Sport Law	Fall Only	3	F	
Electives			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		
BLAW 350	Legal Environment of Business		3		
EHS 319	Life, Love and Money	Spring/Summer Only	2	S/Su	
MGMT 360	Organization and Management		3		
RECR 311	Ethics in Sport and Recreation Management	Spring Only	3	S	
		Total Credit Hours	14		

Summer

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
RECR 494	Internship (Summer)	Senior Standing	3		
		Total Credit Hours	3		

FOURTH YEAR

Fall

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
FIN 310	Business Finance	p. ACCT 210 and ACCT 211	3		
RECR 410	Current Issues in Recreation and Sport	Senior Standing or Consent, Fall Only	3	F	
RECR 415	Sport and Recreation Facility Management	Fall Only	3	F	
RECR 440	Sport and Recreation Administration	Fall Only	3	F	
Electives			2		
		Total Credit Hours	14		

Spring

Prefix + Number	Course Title	Prerequisites/Comments	Credits	Semester	Grade
HRM 460	Human Resource Management	p. MGMT 360	3		
RECR 411	Sports Marketing	Spring Only	3	S	
Electives			9		
		Total Credit Hours	15		

COMMENTS/NOTES

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

A student in the major must have a 2.4 cumulative GPA to be recommended for the required internship experience. A grade of "C" or better is required in all RECR courses.

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