# Crowder Community College

Crowder Associate of Arts in General Studies to MSU Bachelor of Science in Merchandising and Fashion Product Development - Merchandising Option

The following is a guide to graduation with completion of Crowder's Associate of Arts in General Studies and MSU's Bachelor of Science in Merchandising and Fashion Product Development. The degree may be completed on campus only. This is a comprehensive major meaning it does not require completion of a minor. Courses are sequenced to provide guidance and to help ensure that prerequisite requirements are met. Catalog Year: 2022-2023. Date Modified: 8.8.22.

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### Crowder Year 1 Semester 1

Institutional Requirement

* Crowder Course ID/Title: COLL 101 Navigating College
* Credit Hours: 1
* MSU Equivalent: GEN 000
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Mathematical Sciences – 3 credit hours

* Crowder Course ID/Title: MATH 125, MATH 130, MATH 135 or any MTH course with a Core 42 approved prerequisite
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Written Communications - 6 credit hours

* Crowder Course ID/Title: ENGL 101 English Composition
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: ENG 110
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose one: ART 101, ART 106▲, ASL 101, ASL 102, FREN 101, ENGL 109,   
  ENGL 222, ENGL 225, ENGL 230, ENGL 235, ENGL 240, ENGL 245, HIST 101, HIST 102, MUSC 101, MUSC 106\*▲, MUSC 107\*▲, MUSC 195\*▲, MUSC 196\*▲, MUSC 206\*▲, MUSC 207\*▲, MUSC 295\*▲, MUSC 296\*▲, PHIL 101,   
  PHIL 121, PHIL 201, PHIL 202, SPAN 101, SPAN 101, SPAN 102, TA 205
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Any course numbered 100 and above – your choice
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Any course numbered 100 and above – your choice
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 1 Total = 16 credit hours

### Crowder Year 1 Semester 2

Written Communications - 6 credit hours

* Crowder Course ID/Title: ENGL 102 Advanced English Composition
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: ENG 210
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Oral Communications – 3 credit hours

* Crowder Course ID/Title: COMM 104 Fundamentals of Speech
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: COM 115
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Social/Behavioral Sciences - 9 credit hours – Civics Requirement

* Crowder Course ID/Title: PSYC 101 General Psychology
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: PSY 121
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: Yes

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: ACCT 201 Principles of Accounting
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: ACC 201
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: Yes

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Any course numbered 100 and above – your choice
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 2 Total = 15 credit hours

### Crowder Year 2 Semester 3

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose one: ART 101, ART 106▲, ASL 101, ASL 102, FREN 101, ENGL 109,   
  ENGL 222, ENGL 225, ENGL 230, ENGL 235, ENGL 240, ENGL 245, HIST 101, HIST 102, MUSC 101, MUSC 106\*▲, MUSC 107\*▲, MUSC 195\*▲, MUSC 196\*▲, MUSC 206\*▲, MUSC 207\*▲, MUSC 295\*▲, MUSC 296\*▲, PHIL 101, PHIL 121, PHIL 201, PHIL 202, SPAN 101, SPAN 101, SPAN 102, TA 205
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Natural Sciences – Lab Requirement – 7 credit hours - (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose one: BIOL 101, BIOL 110, BIOL 120 BIOL 152, BIOL 252, CHEM 101, CHEM 104, CHEM 111, GEOL 210, PHYS 101 PHYS 105, PHYS 190
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Social/Behavioral Sciences - 9 credit hours – (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: ECON 201 Principles of Macroeconomics
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: ECO 155
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: Yes

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Any course numbered 100 and above – your choice
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Approved Elective

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Any course numbered 100 and above – your choice
* Credit Hours: 2
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: No
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 3 Total = 14 credit hours

### Crowder Year 2 Semester 4

Social/Behavioral Sciences - 9 credit hours – Civics Requirement

* Crowder Course ID/Title: HST 106, HST 107, PLSC 103
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Natural Sciences - Lab Requirement7 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose one: BIOL 101, BIOL 120, BIOL 152, BIOL 252, BEOL 210
* Credit Hours: 4
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Core Elective - 5 hours required for Core 42

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose MOTR coded course(s) of your choice with the assistance of an advisor.
* Credit Hours: 5
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Humanities and Fine Arts - 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)

* Crowder Course ID/Title: Choose one: ART 101, ART 106▲, ASL 101, ASL 102, FREN 101, ENGL 109,   
  ENGL 222, ENGL 225, ENGL 230, ENGL 235, ENGL 240, ENGL 245, HIST 101, HIST 102, MUSC 101, MUSC 106\*▲, MUSC 107\*▲, MUSC 195\*▲, MUSC 196\*▲, MUSC 206\*▲, MUSC 207\*▲, MUSC 295\*▲, MUSC 296\*▲, PHIL 101, PHIL 121, PHIL 201, PHIL 202, SPAN 101, SPAN 101, SPAN 102, TA 205
* Credit Hours: 3
* MSU Equivalent: Varies
* Meets Core 42: Yes
* MSU Major Requirement: No

Semester 4 Total = 15  
Total Hours at OTC = 60  
Total Hours Applied Toward MSU Major Requirements: 9 Hours

\* One credit hour course

▲May choose only one, falls under MOTR code 'PERF’

# Missouri State University

MSU Bachelor of Science in Merchandising and Fashion Product Development - Merchandising Option after Crowder Associate of Arts in General Studies

Date Modified: 8.8.22  
MSU Transfer Advisor: Business Advisement Center, [BusinessAdvisement@MissouriState.edu](mailto:BusinessAdvisement@MissouriState.edu), 417-836-5386

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Catalog Year: 2022-23

### MSU Year 3 Semester 1

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MKT 350 Principles of Marketing
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MGT 340 Principles of Management
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 202 Textiles
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 202 Fashion Technology
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 101 Fashion Fundamentals
* Credit hours: 1

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 306 Industry Formulas and Calculations
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 1 Total: 16 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 3 Semester 2

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 460 Merchandise Buying and Assortment Planning
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 301 Product Development
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 201 Fashion History
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MKT 351 Consumer Market Behavior
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MKT 365 Introduction to Logistics
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 2 Total: 15 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 4 Semester 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 303 Product Quality and Global Sourcing
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 307 Advanced Fashion Technology
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MKT 354 Principles of Advertising
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 305 Portfolio
* Credit hours: 3

General Elective\*\*

* MSU Course ID/Title: Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals.
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 3 Total: 13 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 4 Semester 4

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 304 Forecasting and Branding
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 362 Visual Merchandising and Promotion
* Credit hours: 3

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 560 Business Analysis
* Credit hours: 3

General Elective\*\*

* MSU Course ID/Title: Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals.
* Credit hours: 2

Semester 4 Total: 12 Credit Hours

### MSU Year 5 Summer

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 403 🔾▲ Professional Development
* Credit hours: 1

Major Requirement

* MSU Course ID/Title: MFD 401🔾 Internship in Merchandising
* Credit hours: 3

Semester 4 Total: 4 Credit Hours  
Total Hours at MSU: 60  
Total Hours Overall: 120

\*\* Electives provide the opportunity to customize your degree program. Some elective credits may or may not be needed to bring total credit hours to a minimum of 120 credit hours and upper division hours (300+) to 40.

🔾 Will be offered on demand

▲Will be offered online. The prerequisite, MFD 401, will be waived since they will be taken concurrently.

This information is provided as a guide only.

* Crowder students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their Crowder education to discuss the most appropriate Crowder coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
* Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
* Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., Crowder).