

Computer Science with MS in Applied Mathematics 4+1

Recommended Five-Year Plan (Fall 2022)

The recommended five-year plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within five years. These plans are the recommended sequences of courses. Students must meet with their Major Advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree. This plan assumes that no developmental courses are required. If developmental courses are needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which are not listed in the plan.

NOTE: This recommended Five-Year Plan is applicable to students admitted into the major during the 2022-2023 academic year. To enroll, visit https://www.ramapo.edu/dmc/4plus1/

Changes to the traditional four-year plan are noted in light red.

First Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	~	
CMPS 147-Computer Science I	4		CMPS 148-Computer Science II	4		
Gen Ed: MATH 110-Precalculus	4		MATH 121-Calculus I	4		
Gen Ed: INTD 101-First Year Seminar	4		CMPS 220-Assembly Language	4		
			Programming			
Gen Ed: CRWT 102 - Critical Reading	4		Gen Ed: AIID 201- Studies in the	4		
and Writing II			Arts & Humanities			
			Career Pathways: PATH TS1 –	Degree		
			Career Pathways Module 1	Rqmt.		
Total:	16		Total:	16		

Second Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	>	Spring Semester	HRS	\checkmark	
CMPS 231-Data Structures	4		CMPS 311-Operating Systems WI	4		
MATH 237-Discrete Structures or	4		CMPS Elective	4		
MATH 205 Mathematical Structures						
WI						
Gen Ed: SOSC 110-Social Science	4		Gen Ed: Global Awareness	4		
Inquiry						
Gen Ed: Historical Perspectives	4		Gen Ed: Scientific Reasoning	4		
Career Pathways: PATH TS2 – Career	Degree		Career Pathways: PATH TS3 –	Degree		
Pathways Module 2	Rqmt.		Career Pathways Module 3	Rqmt.		
Total:	16		Total:	16		

Third Year						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	1	
CMPS 361-Software Design	4		CMPS Elective	4		
CMPS Elective	4		CMPS Elective	4		
MATH 262: Linear Algebra	4		MATH 370: Applied Statistics	4		
Gen Ed: Culture & Creativity, Systems	4		Gen Ed: Culture & Creativity,	4		
Sustainability & Society, or Values &			Systems Sustainability & Society, or			
Ethics			Values & Ethics (Must be outside of			
			TAS)			
Elective *	2		Elective*	1		

Total: 18 Tot	: 17
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Fourth Year					
Fall Semester	HRS	✓	Spring Semester	HRS	✓
CMPS 366-Organization of	4		CMPS Elective	4	
Programming Languages					
CMPS Elective	4		CMPS 450: Senior Project WI	4	
CMPS Elective	4		DATA 620 – Ethics in Data and	3	
			Computing (MSAM) **		
MATH 562 - Applied Linear Algebra	3		MATH 654 – Applied Probability	3	
(MSAM)**			(MSAM)		
			OR MSAM Category 1 Elective **		
Total:	15		Total:	14	

Fifth Year - MSAM						
Fall Semester	HRS	1	Spring Semester	HRS	<	
MATH 680 – Advanced	3		MSAM Category 1 Elective or	3		
Mathematical Modeling			MATH 654 – Applied Probability			
			(MSAM)			
MSAM Category 1 Elective	3		MATH 750 - THESIS	3		
MSAM Category 2 Elective	3		MSAM Category 2 Elective	3		
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Total:	12		Total:	9		

Total Credits Required for undergraduate degree: 128 credits** **GPA Required for BS in Computer Science:** 2.0 **GPA Required for 4+1 Pathway:** 3.0 **WI: Writing Intensive-3 required in the major**

*Three additional credits are required in the 3rd year because graduate courses are only 3 credits, instead of the usual 4 credits for undergraduate courses. Thus, a student must take an additional 3 credits to meet the 128-credit undergraduate graduation requirement.

Total Graduate Credits Required: 30 credits** GPA Required for MSAM: 3.0

**The 9 credits of graduate coursework taken in the fourth-year will double count towards both the undergraduate degree requirement of 128 credits as well as the required 30 graduate credits.