



**University of New Mexico Taos**  
**Associate of Science in Pre-Science**

This program is designed for any student interested in an advance degree that requires a set sequence of math and science courses. It has flexibility and options for changing one's mind without jeopardizing one's future. This program offers students a variety of degree pathways that lead to a Bachelor of Science degree at many four-year institutions. Along with an appropriate sequence of math and science courses, this two-year program offers a variety of courses for fulfillment of the core curriculum. It also offers Topics courses and Internships to assist students in pursuing personal interests and developing a professional portfolio. **Students must see an advisor or Department Coordinator to plan sequence of courses and to be made aware of any changes in degree requirements. UNM-Taos reserves the right to make necessary changes as needed. Students should consult with an advisor prior to enrollment.**

**\*\*Courses that meet Pre Science Areas of Focus requirements cannot count toward general education core requirements.**

<b>Area 1: Communication</b>	<b>6 credit hours</b>
<b>Required:</b> English (ENGL) 1120 Composition II and Choose one (1) course from the UNM General Education Program in Communication (Area 1).	
<b>Area 2: Mathematics and Statistics</b>	<b>3 credit hours</b>
Choose one course at the appropriate level as determined by placement from the UNM General Education Program in Mathematics and Statistics (Area 2).	
<b>Area 3: Physical and Natural Sciences</b>	<b>4 credit hours</b>
Choose one (1) course from the UNM General Education Program in Physical and Natural Sciences (Area 3). Course must include a one credit lab.	
<b>Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences</b>	<b>3 credit hours</b>
Choose one (1) course from the UNM General Education Program in Social and Behavioral Sciences (Area 4).	
<b>Area 5: Humanities</b>	<b>3 credit hours</b>
Choose one (1) course from the UNM General Education Program in Humanities (Area 5).	
<b>Area 6: Second Language</b>	<b>3 credit hours</b>
One (1) course chosen from any lower division non-English language offering of the Department of Linguistics (Including Sign Language), Spanish and Portuguese, Foreign Languages and Literatures, and foreign languages in other departments and programs.	

<b>Area 7: Arts and Design</b>	<b>3 credit hours</b>
Choose one (1) course from the UNM General Education Program in Fine Arts (Area 7).	
<b>Area 8: Student Choice</b>	<b>6 credit hours</b>
<b>Choose two (2) additional</b> General Education Courses from two different Areas (1-7). Students who do not place into English 1120 will apply the credit hours from the pre-requisite English 1110 (or the equivalent English 1110Y or English 1110Z) to help fulfill Area 8 requirements.	
<b>Electives</b>	<b>6 credit hours</b>
Choose two (2) three credit <b><u>Academically Transferable</u></b> (UNM Main Campus) courses from any Area. Courses do NOT need to meet General Education Program requirements. FYEX 1110 can be used as an elective.	
<b>Area of Focus</b>	<b>23 credit hours</b>
<i>Work directly with a UNM-Taos advisor to choose courses to fulfill this area. Work with a UNM-Taos advisor to identify UNM-Taos equivalent courses that can be applied toward the Associate of Science Area of Focus or contact the 4-year University of your interest to identify courses needed to fulfill their degree program requirements.</i>	

**TOTAL CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED: 60**

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**CATALOG YEAR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **BANNER ID:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PROGRAM ENTRY DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_  
SEMESTER/YEAR

**Area 1: Communications – 6 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
ENGL 1120	Composition II	3				
		3				

**\*Substitution Course:** Indicate with an asterisk (\*), the course that is being substituted, if there is a substitute. \_\_\_\_\_  
Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

**Area 2: Mathematics and Statistics – 3 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
		3				

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Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

**Area 3: Physical and Natural Sciences – 4 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
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Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

**Area 4: Social and Behavioral Sciences – 3 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
		3				

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Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

**Area 5: Humanities – 3 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
		3				

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Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

**Area 6: Second Language – 3 credit hours**

Course	Course Title	Credit Hours	Grade	Semester	Course Taken	School course taken at:
		3				

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Subject Code      Course Number      Course Name

