# STATISTICS

This degree concentration differs from the BA in Mathematics without a concentration only in the Concentration Requirements.

## Bachelor of Arts - Mathematics; Statistics Concentration

### College Humanities & Sciences

**Degree Specific Credits:** 67  
**Required Cumulative GPA:** 2.0

### Catalog Year: 2017-2018

**Note:** The degree specific credits are much lower for double-majors and for students completing an additional minor (in another subject):

- 41 credits for students completing a second major, and
- 46 credits for students completing a minor.

### General Education Requirements

Information regarding these requirements can be found in the General Education Section (http://catalog.umt.edu/academics/general-education-requirements) of the catalog.

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### Mathematics Core Courses

**Rule:** Take all of the following courses.

- M 171 Calculus I 4
- or M 181 Honors Calculus I 4
- M 172 Calculus II 4
- or M 182 Honors Calculus II 4
- M 210 Introduction to Mathematical Software 3
- M 221 Introduction to Linear Algebra 4
- M 273 Multivariable Calculus 4
- M 300 Undergraduate Mathematics Seminar 1
- M 307 Introduction to Abstract Mathematics 3

**Total Hours:** 23

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### Upper-Division Mathematics Requirement

**Rule:** Take 23 credits in this category.

**Note:**

1. Students completing a minor (in another subject) need take only 20 credits.  
2. Students completing a second major need take only 18 credits.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

### Upper-Division Elective Courses

**Note:**

1. Students completing a minor (in another subject) or a second major need take only 6 courses (totaling 18 credits or more).
2. Residency Requirement: At least 4 of the courses in this category must be taken at UM-Missoula (only 3 if M 307 is taken at UM-Missoula).
3. Note that STAT 451 does not count toward this requirement.

Take 7 courses from the following list; at least 3 of them must be at the 400 level:

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<td>Mathematics Technology for Teachers</td>
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<td>M 311</td>
<td>Ordinary Differential Equations and Systems</td>
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<td>M 325</td>
<td>Discrete Mathematics</td>
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<td>Number Theory</td>
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<td>M 361</td>
<td>Discrete Optimization</td>
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<td>M 362</td>
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<td>M 381</td>
<td>Advanced Calculus I</td>
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<td>M 412</td>
<td>Partial Differential Equations</td>
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<td>M 414</td>
<td>Deterministic Models</td>
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<td>M 429</td>
<td>History of Mathematics</td>
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<td>M 431</td>
<td>Abstract Algebra I</td>
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<td>M 432</td>
<td>Abstract Algebra II</td>
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<td>M 439</td>
<td>Euclidean and Non-Euclidean Geometry</td>
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<td>M 440</td>
<td>Numerical Analysis</td>
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<td>M 445</td>
<td>Statistical, Dynamical, and Computational Modeling</td>
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<td>Practical Big Data Analytics</td>
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<td>Theoretical Basics of Big Data Analytics and Real Time Computation Algorithms</td>
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<td>M 472</td>
<td>Introduction to Complex Analysis</td>
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<td>Introduction to Real Analysis</td>
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<td>M 485</td>
<td>Graph Theory</td>
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<td>Introduction to Probability and Statistics</td>
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<td>Mathematical Statistics</td>
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<td>STAT 452</td>
<td>Statistical Methods II</td>
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Minimum Required Grade: C-
Upper-Division Elective Computer Labs

Rule: Computer labs from the following list are optional; if taken (0-2 credits), they count toward the total number of credits required for the Upper-Division Mathematics Requirement.

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<td>M 317</td>
<td>Ordinary Differential Equations Computer Lab</td>
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Minimum Required Grade: C-

Science Requirement

Rule: Take 18 credits in at most 3 areas selected from astronomy (ASTR), biology (BIO), chemistry (CHMY), computer science (CSCI, except CSCI TR*), economics (ECNS), forestry (FORS, WILD), geosciences (GEO), management information systems (BMIS), and physics (PHSX).

Note:
1. Students completing a minor (in another subject) or a second major are exempt from this requirement.
2. Transfer courses listed on the transcript as "CSCI TR*" may include course work in other areas such as Computer Applications (CAPP) and therefore do not count towards this requirement unless a student successfully petitions the Department of Mathematical Sciences.

Minimum Required Grade: C-

18 Total Credits Required

Advanced College Writing Requirement

Rule: Take 1 of the following 2 courses, or any other approved Advanced College Writing course.

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<td>or M 499</td>
<td>Senior Thesis</td>
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Total Hours: 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

GPA Requirement

Note:
1. A cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required for all courses used to fulfill major requirements.
2. In addition, a cumulative GPA of 2.0 is required for all mathematical sciences courses used to fulfill major requirements. (Mathematical sciences courses are those with a prefix of M or STAT.)

Foreign Language/Computer Science Requirement

Rule: Either complete the General Education Requirement "Group III: Modern and Classical Language" (not the symbolic systems exception), or take one course from the following list.

Note: Students completing a second major are exempt from this requirement.

Select one of the following:

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<td>CSCI 100</td>
<td>Intro to Programming</td>
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<td>CSCI 135</td>
<td>Fund of Computer Science I</td>
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<td>CSCI 250</td>
<td>Computer Mdlng/Science Majors</td>
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Total Hours: 3

Minimum Required Grade: C-

Requirements for the Statistics Concentration

Note: Additional mathematics and statistics courses chosen with advisor.

Select four of the following:

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Minimum Required Grade: C-