

MATHEMATICS

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN TEACHING (M.S.T.)

This degree program, with emphasis on issues of teaching, provides post-baccalaureate education for any students seeking a deeper understanding of and appreciation for mathematics. This M.S.T. degree program does not provide teaching certification; students interested in teaching at the state college level should consult with an advisor in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics. This program is available ~~in person or~~ fully online. (Change effective fall 2024.)

Admission Requirements

Admission requirements for the M.S.T. program are the same as for the M.S. in Mathematics.

Degree Requirements

This program requires 24 credits of mathematics courses and 6 credits of education courses at or above the 5000 level, and at least half of all credits applied to the degree must be in 6000-level courses. (Candidates without a valid secondary certificate or with fewer than two years of teaching experience might be required to complete a 6-credit internship.) The Mathematics and Statistics Department offers one or two 6000-level classes specifically designed for the M.S.T. program each semester (including summers), see the table below; but other 5000- or 6000-level Math courses may be applied toward this degree for students wishing to complete the program more quickly. Candidates may complete 6 of the 24 credits in mathematics by writing a master's thesis.

Online courses designed for the M.S.T. Program

Advanced Euclidean Geometry	MTG 6226
Advanced Algebra and Geometry	MAS 6318
Mathematics and Technology	MAT 6715
Number Theory of Cryptography	MAS 6217
Dynamical Systems, Chaos, and Computing	MTG 6418
Problem Solving and Recreational Mathematics	MAT 6516
Calculus from a Historical Perspective	MHF 6410
Fractal Geometry	MTG 6415
Introductory Discrete Mathematics	MAD 6108
Survey of Statistics and Probability	STA 6116