This resource is for ENGRUD students who entered the UW in AUT23 or later.

Materials Science & Engineering
Graduation Requirements
University of Washington
https://mse.washington.edu

ENGRUD Requirement Sheet – Key:
♦ = Placement Requirements;
★ = Pick one to satisfy placement
Placement: July 1 at the end of the first year

EG-FIG: ENGR 101 and GEN ST 199

Mathematics (24cr)
♦ MATH 124, 125, 126 - Calc w Analytic Geom. I-III (15cr)
MATH 207 - Intro to Differential Equations (3cr)
[pr: MATH 125]
MATH 208 - Matrix Algebra with Applications (3cr)
[pr: MATH 126]
One of the following: IND E 315 (3cr); MATH 209 (3cr), MATH 224 (3cr); MATH 318 (3cr); STAT 390 (4cr)

Sciences (31-35cr)
♦ CHEM 142 - General Chemistry (5cr)
★ CHEM 152 - General Chemistry (5cr)
[pr: CHEM 142, CHEM 143 or CHEM 145]
♦ PHYS 121 - Mechanics (5cr)
[pr: MATH 124 or MATH 134]
★ PHYS 122 - Electromagnetism (5cr)
[pr: MATH 125 or MATH 134; PHYS 121]
★ PHYS 123 - Waves (5cr)
[pr: MATH 126 or MATH 134; PHYS 122]
Two courses from this list (see “Natural Science Reqmts”):
https://mse.washington.edu/current/undergrad/courses

Engineering General Education Requirements (32cr)
Written and Oral Communication:
♦ English Composition (5cr)
ENGR 231 - Intro to Communication (3cr)

Areas of Inquiry:
Arts & Humanities – A&H (10cr)
Social Sciences - SSc (10cr)
Additional A&H or SSc (4cr)
Diversity - DIV (5cr) (may overlap with A&H or SSc)

Engineering Fundamentals (24cr)
AA 210 - Engineering Statics (4cr)
[pr: MATH 126, PHYS 121]
CEE 220 - Intro to Mechanics of Materials (4cr)
[pr: A A 210]
★ MSE 170 - Fundamentals of Materials Science (4cr)
[pr: CHEM 142]
★ CSE 122 - Computer Programming II (4cr)
OR ★ AMATH 301
8 credits from this list (see "Engineering Fund. Reqmts"):
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Departmental Core (54cr)
MSE 310 - Intro to MSE (3cr)
MSE 311 - Integrated Undergraduate Lab I (3cr)
MSE 312 - Integrated Undergraduate Lab II (3cr)
MSE 313 - Integrated Undergraduate Lab III (3cr)
MSE 321 - Thermodynamics and Phase Equilibrium (4cr)
MSE 322 - Kinetics and Microstructural Evolution (4cr)
MSE 331 - Crystallography and Structure (3cr)
MSE 333 - Materials Characterization (3cr)
MSE 342 - Materials Processing I (3cr)
MSE 351 - Electronic Properties of Materials (3cr)
MSE 352 - Functional Properties of Materials I (3cr)
MSE 362 - Mechanical Behavior of Materials I (3cr)
MSE 399 - Undergraduate Research Seminar (1cr)
MSE 431 - Failure Analysis and Durability of Materials (3cr)
MSE 442 - Materials Processing II (3cr)
MSE 491 - Design in Materials Engineering I (2cr)
MSE 492 - Design in Materials Engineering II (3cr)
MSE 499 - Senior Project (4cr)

Technical Electives (15cr)
See MSE website for list of courses to choose from.

Total credits required for graduation: 180cr

Note for students completing the NME degree option
You must complete the course as outlined below:
Spring of soph. year: NME 220 (4)

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### Materials Science & Engineering Sample Curriculum
University of Washington
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This is a sample four-year plan for ENGRUD students that prepares them to be able to request placement at the end of the first year. It is intended to provide a framework for ENGRUD students to reference as they create their own individual academic plan.

Courses required to request placement for ENGRUD students: **ENGR 101; MATH 124, MATH 125, MATH 126; CHEM 142; PHYS 121; English Composition**; plus **one course** from the list of common placement requirements.

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