



Springfield College Sequencing Guide Recreation Management Major ▼2017-2018

If you are a Recreation Management major who matriculated to Springfield College in 2017-2018, use this as a guide for sequencing your courses. Requirements listed on this guide are subject to change and may not be offered when listed—use your online degree audit for the most accurate information. Always confirm your plans with your advisor, and consult your advisor or chairperson if you have any questions.

RCMG Major – Typical First-Year Schedule	
Fall: ENGL 113, College Writing I (3 cr – fills half College Writing GenEd) SMRT 103, Introduction to the Global Recreation Industry (3 cr – also fills half of WAC requirement) SMRT 106, Dynamics of Leadership (3 cr) Plus GenEds, option requirements, or electives (as applicable) to total approximately 15 credits	Spring: ENGL 114, College Writing II (3 cr – fills half College Writing GenEd) SMRT 116, Event Management and Promotions (3 cr) Plus GenEds, option requirements, or electives (as applicable) to total 30 credits for the year
Fall or Spring: HLTH 100, Wellness: A Way of Life (3 cr – fills Health and Wellness GenEd)	

RCMG Major – Typical Second-Year Schedule
Fall or Spring: SMRT 272, Introduction to Therapeutic Recreation (3 cr – also fills Social Justice GenEd) SMRT 278, Customer Hospitality (3 cr) Plus GenEds, option requirements, or electives (as applicable) to total 30 credits for the year

RCMG Major – Typical Third-Year Schedule
Fall or Spring: SMRT 350, Marketing and Public Relations for Sport and Recreation Management (3 cr – also fills half of WAC requirement) SMRT 384, Practicum (3 cr) Plus GenEds, option requirements, or electives (as applicable) to total 30 credits for the year

RCMG Major – Typical Fourth-Year Schedule	
Fall: SMRT 482, Seminar and Problem Solving (3 cr) Plus GenEds, option requirements, or electives (as applicable) to total approximately 15 credits	Spring: Any outstanding major requirements, GenEds, or electives to total a minimum of 120 credits for your career
Fall or Spring: SMRT 478, Management of Financial Resources (3 cr) SMRT 485, Undergraduate Internship (12 cr – a minimum of 2.500 cumulative GPA required before internship is approved)	

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Required Options

In addition to the requirements previously listed, you **must also complete one** of the following options:
 (Note: In general, 100-level courses should be taken first or second year, 200-level courses can be taken first year or later, 300-level courses can be taken second year or later, and 400-level courses can be taken third or fourth year.)

General Recreation Management Option

SMRT 120, Recreation Program Planning in Modern Society (3 cr – take 1st year spring)
 SMRT 254, Tourism in the 21st Century (3 cr – take 2nd year)
 SMRT 280, Municipal/Community Recreation Operations (3 cr – take 2nd year)
 SMRT 307, Campus and Intramural Recreation (3 cr – take 2nd year)
 SMRT 360, Supervisor Management for Recreation Services (3 cr – take 3rd year)
 SMRT 440, Ethics in Sport and Recreation (3 cr – take 4th year)
 SMRT 475, Legal Issues in Sport and Recreation (3 cr – take 4th year)
 SMRT 480, Commercial Recreation Management and Operations (3 cr – take 4th year)

Therapeutic Recreation Option

BIOL 130, Anatomy and Physiology Concepts I (3 cr – also fills Natural Sciences GenEd; fall only – take 1st or 2nd year)
 BIOL 132, Anatomy and Physiology Concepts I Lab (1 cr – also fills Natural Sciences GenEd)
 PEAC 108, Sports for the Disabled I (.5 cr – take 1st or 2nd year)
 PEAC 109, Sports for the Disabled II (.5 cr – take 1st or 2nd year)
 PSYC 101, Introduction to Psychology (3 cr – also fills Behavioral/Social Sciences GenEd – take 1st year)
 PSYC 109, Human Development (3 cr – take 2nd year)
 PSYC 221, Abnormal Psychology (3 cr – take 2nd year)
 RHDS 230, Psychology of Disability and Illness (3 cr – take 1st or 2nd year)
 SMRT 253, Processes and Techniques in Therapeutic Recreation (3 cr; take with SMRT 473)
 SMRT 473, Therapeutic Recreation Programming for Persons with Disabilities (3 cr; take with SMRT 253)
 SMRT 411, Community Based Therapeutic Recreation Service (3 cr – Spring only)
 SMRT 560, Professional Trends and Issues in Therapeutic Recreation (3 cr)

*Therapeutic Recreation students may also complete the **optional** Child Life specialization:*

SMRT 574, Child Life Concepts and Theories in Working with the Hospitalized Child (3 cr – Fall only)
 SMRT 576, Child Life Clinical Issues and Techniques (3 cr – Spring only)
 SMRT 578, Applied Principles in Child Life and Family Centered Care (3 cr)
 SMRT 486, Clinical Practicum in Child Life (5 cr – minimum of 2.500 GPA required before internship can be approved)

RCMG Program Standards

Program standards for the RCMG major include, but are not limited to:

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.500

GenEd Requirements, Electives, and College Requirements

In addition to the requirements previously listed, all RCMG majors must complete:

- The **residency requirement**—60 credits taken at Springfield College (including 15 of your last 30)
- **Additional GenEds:** Computing/Technology, Literary Studies, Visual/Performing Arts, Spiritual/Ethical Dimensions, Quantitative Reasoning, Historical/Cultural Studies, International/Multicultural Studies

The General Recreation Management option typically requires 63 credits to complete. Those students must also complete:

- Behavioral/Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, and Physical Activity **GenEds**, along with **14 elective credits or more** to total at least 120 credits.

The Therapeutic Recreation option typically requires 68 credits to complete. Those students must also complete:

- 2nd WAC course, 2 credits of Physical Activity **GenEds**, along with **16 elective credits or more** to total at least 120 credits