



This roadmap is a recommended semester-by-semester plan of study for this major. However, courses and milestones designated as critical (in boldface and shaded areas) must be completed in the semester listed to ensure a timely graduation.

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Min. Grade	Important Notes
Semester One: [15 Credit Hours]				
HM 13022 Sanitation and Safety Principles and Practices	3			
HM 13024 Introduction to Hospitality Management	2			
US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE	1			Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
Kent Core Requirement	9			See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Semester Two: [15-16 Credit Hours]				
HM 13023 Techniques of Food Production <i>or</i> NUTR 23511 Science of Human Nutrition	3-5			Both courses are required in the program; NUTR 23511 fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
HM 23030 Lodging Operations	3			
MATH 11008 Explorations in Modern Mathematics <i>or</i> MATH 11009 Modeling Algebra	3-4			Fulfills Kent Core Mathematics and Critical Reasoning
MIS 24053 Introduction to Computer Applications	3			
Kent Core Requirement	3			
Semester Three: [12-14 Credit Hours]				
ACCT 23020 Introduction to Financial Accounting	3			
COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3			Fulfills Kent Core Additional
HM 13023 Techniques of Food Production <i>or</i> NUTR 23511 Science of Human Nutrition	3-5			Select course not taken in semester 2; NUTR 23511 fulfills Kent Core Basic Sciences
Kent Core Requirement	3			
Semester Four: [15 Credit Hours]				
ECON 22060 Principles of Microeconomics	3			Fulfills Kent Core Social Sciences
HM 33028 Hospitality Purchasing	3	■		
MIS 24163 Principles of Management	3			
Kent Core Requirement	3			See Kent Core Summary on page 2
General Elective (lower or upper division)	3			
Semester Five: [15 Credit Hours]				
ECON 22061 Principles of Macroeconomics	3			Fulfills Kent Core Additional
ENG 30063 Business and Professional Writing	3	■		
HM 33026 Hospitality Cost Control and Analysis	5	■		
HM 33050 Professional Practices in Hospitality Management	1	■		
MIS 34180 Human Resource Management	3	■		
Semester Six: [14 Credit Hours]				
HM 33029 Catering and Banquet Preparation and Service	5	■		
MKTG 25010 Marketing	3			
Kent Core Requirement	3			See Kent Core Summary on page 2
Professional Elective (lower or upper division)	3	■		See note on page 2
Summer III: [3-6 Credit Hours]				
HM 43092 Practicum/Hospitality Management	3-6	■		



Critical requirements are boldface in shaded areas

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Semester Seven: [15 credit Hours]				
Note: apply for graduation				
HM 43031 Layout and Design of Food Service Operations	3	■		
HM 43027 Hospitality Human Resource Management	3	■	C	Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement
Professional Electives (upper division)	6	■		See note below
General Electives (lower or upper division)	3			
Semester Eight: [15 Credit Hours]				
HM 33020 Legal Issues in the Hospitality Industry	3	■		
HM 43025 Hospitality Marketing	3	■		
Professional Elective (lower or upper division)	0-3			See note below
General Electives (lower or upper division)	9			Number of credits required depends on meeting minimum 121 credit hours and minimum 39 upper-division hours

Graduation Requirements Summary

Minimum Total Hours	Minimum Upper-Division Hours	Minimum Kent Core Hours	Diversity Course Global / Domestic	Writing-Intensive	Minimum Major GPA	Minimum Overall GPA
121	39	36	Kent Core and General Electives	HM 43027	2.25	2.0

Kent Core Summary

Kent Core Categories	Important Notes	Remaining Credit Hours
Additional (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two Kent Core categories</i>	Fulfilled in this major with COMM 15000 and ECON 22061	0
Basic Sciences (6-7 credit hours) <i>Must include one laboratory</i>	3 credits fulfilled in this major with NUTR 23511	3-4
Composition (6-8 credit hours)	Enrollment based on placement test	6-8
Humanities and Fine Arts (9 credit hours) <i>Minimum one course from humanities in Arts and Sciences category and minimum one course from fine arts category</i>	May fulfill diversity requirement	9
Mathematics and Critical Reasoning (3-5 credit hours)	Fulfilled in this major with MATH 11008 or 11009	0
Social Sciences (6 credit hours) <i>Must be selected from two curricular areas</i>	3 credits fulfilled in this major with ECON 22060	3

Note 1: Professional electives (9-12 credit hours), choose from the following

FIN 36053 Business Finance	3	HDFS 24011 Interpersonal Relationships and Families*	3
HM 32012 Food Study	3		
HM 33036 Club Management	3	HM 33035 Hospitality Service Quality Management	3
HM 41093 Variable Topic Workshop in Hospitality Management	1-3	HM 33040 Hotel Convention Group Sales and Services	3
HM 41095 Special Topics in Hospitality Management	1-4	HM 43040 Strategic Lodging Management	3
HM 43029 Hospitality Financial Policy	3	RPTM 26060 Introduction to Global Tourism	3
HM 43043 Hospitality Meetings Management	4	RPTM 46000 Tourism Development and Recreational Travel	3
RPTM 36060 Commercial Recreation and Tourism	3		

* Course fulfills domestic diversity requirement



Kent Core

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of the Kent Core. Certain courses required in programs and in student's major field may also fulfill the Kent Core. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the Kent Core. None of the courses on the Kent Core list may be taken with a pass/fail grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/kent-core for course list.

Diversity Course Requirement

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic (U.S.) focus and one with a global focus. One course must come from the Kent Core. The second course may be taken as a second Kent Core, within a major or minor, or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/diversity for course list.

Writing-Intensive Course Requirement

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade. Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/wic for course list.

Upper-Division Requirement

Students must complete a minimum 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.

Foreign Language

Visit www.kent.edu/catalog/foreign-languages for course list.

