



# Choosing Your Courses Worksheet

## COURSE 1: CS 100 OR MATH

In your first semester, you will take CS 100 or Math.

- For your first semester, you can choose to take either CS 100 or your Math course. Your math course options will be based on your math placement and declared major. You can view this course in your Workday.
- If you already have credit for MA 105, MA 107, or MA 131, you do not need to take a math course—unless you are planning to major in a math-department major (Actuarial Science, Data Analytics, Quantitative Economics, or Mathematical Sciences)

## COURSE 2: FDS 100

**FDS 100 is required in your first semester.**

There are several topic options to choose from, and we recommend reviewing them to find those that interest you.

- View the available FDS 100 Special Topics [HERE](#).
- FDS 100 will be added to your Schedule Planner. **To select a section**, use the options gear icon in Schedule Planner to filter your FDS topics.
- Need help? Watch the Schedule Planner video [HERE](#).
- FirstGen Presidential Fellows** must choose section 38.  
**First Falcons Connect** must choose 21 or 40.  
**Global Women's Scholars** must choose 8 or 44 or 45 or 49.

## COURSE 3: EMS 101/101L/102/102L

**EMS 101/101L or EMS 102/102L is required in your first semester.**

Your EMS course is based on your placement results.

- Your assigned EMS placement will appear in your Schedule Planner. To select a section, make sure it is checked in your course list. You can also use the gear icon in Schedule Planner to filter and view all EMS section options.
- If you have prior credit for EMS 101, you should register for EMS 104 instead.
- Learn more about the different EMS courses [HERE](#).

## COURSE 4: BUSINESS DYNAMICS

In your first two years at Bentley, you will take six Business Dynamics courses. For your first semester, you can choose between the following: **LA 100 Business Law**, **MG 116 Human Dynamics in Organizations**, or **EC 111 Microeconomics**.

- You need to add one of these courses to your Schedule Planner list.
- If your intended major is listed in the table below, consider prioritizing the courses that are prerequisites for that major.
- If you have been awarded 12 credits or more**, you are eligible to choose from [FI 118 Introduction to Finance](#) or [AC 115 Financial Reporting and Analysis](#)
- If you have prior credit for any Business Dynamics, choose a different one.

Major of Interest	Prioritize these Business Dynamics
Accounting	AC 115
Actuarial Science	ST 113
Business Economics	EC 111
Business Law	LA 100
Corporate Finance & Accounting	AC 115, EC 111, FI 118, ST 113
Data Analytics	ST 113
Economics-Finance	AC 115, EC 111, FI 118, ST 113
Finance	AC 115, EC 111, FI 118, ST 113
Finance & Technology	AC 115, EC 111, FI 118, ST 113
Information Technology in Accounting	AC 115
Management	MG 116
Mathematical Sciences	ST 113
Professional Sales	MG 116
Quantitative Economics	EC 111
<i>If the major you are interested in is not listed here, you can pick any business dynamics order.</i>	

## COURSE 5: CONTEXT & PERSPECTIVES

You'll take six Context and Perspectives courses during your time at Bentley, one from each theme. Students are expected to take one in the first semester. Students are able to take Context and Perspectives 100-400 course level.

- You should add one Context and Perspectives course to your Schedule Planner list.
- There are many course options to choose from—consider creating a list of your top 5 course topics.
- [Follow the step-by-step guide to search for Context and Perspectives courses HERE.](#)
- To learn more about a course, view [Bentley Course Descriptions](#)
- Considering a Modern Language course for your Context & Perspectives requirement? Complete the [placement tool](#) to identify the appropriate class to take.
- If you've received prior credit for a course in one theme, choose a course from a different theme. You can verify your credits by checking [your Degree Works audit](#).