

ADVANCE AGREEMENT

To maintain my enrollment in the ADVANCE/NOVA- MASON partnership, I acknowledge that I will:

- Enroll in a minimum of six credits approved for my Advance pathway each fall semester and each semester.
- Complete ENG 111, ENG 125 and the required math for my Advance pathway with grades of A, B, or C in each course within my first 30 credits of enrollment at NOVA.
- Earn grades of A, B or C in all courses.
- Maintain a minimum 2.5 cumulative grade point average each semester at NOVA.
- Maintain communication with my ADVANCE Success Coach each semester to insure that I am enrolled in the courses leading to completion of my associate's degree.
- Read and comply with the NOVA and MASON Codes of Student Conduct at: ***nvcc.edu/students/handbook/conduct.html*** and ***studentconduct.gmu.edu***
- Adhere to the Mason Honor Code: *To promote a stronger sense of mutual responsibility, respect, trust, and fairness among all members of the George Mason University Community and with the desire for greater academic and personal achievement, we, the student members of the university community, have set for this Honor Code: Student Members of the George Mason University community pledge not to cheat, plagiarize, steal, or lie in matters related to academic work.*
- Be responsible for responding to emails sent to my NOVA and MASON email accounts
- Graduate from NOVA with the applicable Associate of Arts, Associate of Science or Associate of Applied Science degree.

Administration of ADVANCE

Advance students with 63 or fewer credits are guided by the academic policies of NOVA. Advance students with 64 or more credits are guided by the academic policies of MASON.

Violations of student behavioral codes may be addressed by one or both institutions. The applicable code will be based on location of the incident(s), severity, as well as in collaboration between the conduct offices at both institutions. Additionally, a student may be charged by both institutions if a possible outcome is suspension or dismissal (expulsion).

Referrals for possible violations of Academic Integrity will be addressed according to the host institution of a particular class. This will be determined by the course listing (i.e. either NOVA or MASON) as well as the affiliation of the faculty member instructing the course.

Enrollment and Financial Aid

With the written approval of the Success Coach, ADVANCE students may co-enroll in a maximum of 9 credits at Mason during the first 63 credits of NOVA enrollment. Each lower-level course must be designated 100-299 and be approved to fulfill an associate's degree pathway requirement.

Advance students recognize that academic, registration and payment policies are different at NOVA and MASON. Additionally, the academic calendars of both institutions vary. Students are expected to comply with the deadlines, policies and procedures at the institution where they are taking courses.

For purposes of awarding financial aid, NOVA will be the home school until the student has completed 63 credits toward their associate's degree in the Advance Program at NOVA, and Mason will be the host school. Upon completion of 63 credits toward their associate's degree in the Advance Program at NOVA, Mason will become the home school, and NOVA will be the host school.

FERPA and Student Records

NOVA and MASON will share academic and financial aid information about ADVANCE students under the terms of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA). FERPA protections go into effect on the first day of classes of the student's first term of enrollment.

I agree to abide by the information provided in the ADVANCE Agreement.

Name: _____

EMPL ID: _____

Date: _____

A.A.S. Administration of Justice Pathway

2019-2020

ADVANCE Program Milestones

1. Students must take SDV 100 or SDV 101 in the first semester at NOVA.
2. Students must begin Developmental coursework in the first semester in ADVANCE at NOVA.
3. Students must take first college-level MTH course and ENG 111 in the semester immediately following the completion of any MTE or ENF courses (excluding summer).
4. In the first 30 credits, students must:
 - a. Complete ENG 111 with a C or better.
 - b. Complete the first college-level MTH course with a C or better.
5. Students must complete at least six degree-applicable credits with a C or better each fall and spring semester.
6. Students must maintain a 2.85 cumulative GPA.
7. Students must apply for NOVA graduation and complete their Associate's degree.

If English is not your first language or you have completed ESL coursework, you must complete ENG 111 and ENG 112 or submit passing TOEFL scores prior to matriculating to George Mason University to meet the English Language Proficiency requirement.

BAS degrees are designed for adult learners who have some work experience in their field of choice. Further, BAS degrees are considered terminal degrees, which means they may not lead to advanced study in master's degree or doctoral programs

NOVA DEGREE REQUIREMENT SEQUENCE		Credits	Courses	MASON TRANSFER EQUIVALENT	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
1	SDV Course	1	SDV 100 College Success Skills OR SDV 101 Orientation to XXX	UNIV 100	ELECTIVE
2	ENG 111	3	ENG 111 College Composition I	ENGH 101	Written Comm
3	CST 110	3	CST 110 Introduction to Communication	COMM 101	Oral Comm
4	ADJ 100	3	ADJ 100 Survey of Criminal Justice	CRIM 100	Soc/Behav
5	ADJ 111	3	ADJ 111 Law Enforcement Org. & Administration I	RECR XXX	ELECTIVE
6	ADJ Elective	3	ADJ Elective OR BUS 100 Introduction to Business	CRIM XXX BUS 100	ELECTIVE
7	PED 116	1	PED 116 Lifetime Fitness and Wellness	RECR XXX	ELECTIVE
8	Social/Behavioral Sciences #1	3	HIS 101 History of Western Civilization I OR HIS 102 History of Western Civilization II OR HIS 112 History of World Civilization II	HIST 101 HIST 102 HIST 125	Western Civ
9	ADJ 105	3	ADJ 105 The Juvenile Justice System	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
10	ADJ 107	3	ADJ 107 Survey of Criminology	CRIM 210	ELECTIVE
11	ADJ Elective	3	ADJ Elective OR ADJ 159 Physical Security	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
12	MTH 154	3	MTH 154 Quantitative Reasoning	MATH 106	QUANT
13	PED/RPK Elective	1	PED/RPK Elective	RECR XXX	ELECTIVE
14	Social/Behavioral Sciences #2	3	GEO 220 World Regional Geography OR PLS 140 Introduction to Comparative Gov't OR PLS 241 International Relations I OR PSY 219 Cross-Cultural Psychology	GGG 101 GOVT 133 GOVT 132 PSYC L379	Global
15	ADJ 211	3	ADJ 211 Criminal Law, Evidence, and Procedures I	CRIM L490	ELECTIVE
16	ADJ 216	3	ADJ 216 Organized Crime and Corruption	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
17	ADJ 236 or 234	3	ADJ 236 Principles of Criminal Investigation OR ADJ 234 Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism	CRIM L475 CRIM L410	ELECTIVE

18	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	ART 101 History and Appreciation of Art I OR ART 102 History and Appreciation of Art II OR CST 130 Introduction to Theatre OR CST 151 Film Appreciation OR MUS 121 Music Appreciation I	ARTH 200 ARTH 201 THR 101 ENGH L372 MUSI 101	Arts
19	ITE 115	3	ITE 115 Introduction to Computer Applications & Concepts	IT 103	Info Tech
20	ADJ 133	3	ADJ 133 Ethics and the Criminal Justice Professional	CRIM L306	ELECTIVE
21	ADJ 212	3	ADJ 212 Criminal Law, Evidence and Procedures II	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
22	ADJ 237 or 228 or 248	3	ADJ 237 Advanced Criminal Investigation OR ADJ 228 Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs OR ADJ 248 Probation\Parole\Treatment	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
23	ADJ Elective	3	ADJ Elective	CRIM XXX	ELECTIVE
24	PLS 135 or HIS 121	3	PLS 135 American National Politics OR HIS 121 US History I	GOVT 103 HIST 121	ELECTIVE
A.A.S. ADMIN OF JUSTICE DEGREE TOTAL		66			

For academic policies and procedures, please see NOVA catalog - <http://www.nvcc.edu/catalog/index.html>

	MASON DEGREE REQUIREMENT SEQUENCE	Credits	Course	MASON CORE/DEGREE EQUIVALENT
25	Concentration Requirements	3	BAS 300 Building Professional Competencies	DEGREE
26	Core Requirements	3	CONF 101 Conflict and Our World	DEGREE
27	Gen Ed: Natural Science (Lab)	4	Approved Natural Science with Lab*	NAT SCIENCE
28	Core Requirements	3	CONF 301 Research and Inquiry in Conflict Resolution	DEGREE
29	Core Requirements	3	CONF 302 Culture, Identify, and Conflict	DEGREE
30	Gen Ed: Literature	3	Approved Literature course*	Written Comm
31	Core Requirements	3	CONF 320 Interpersonal Conflict Analysis and Resolution OR CONF 330 Community, Group, & Org. Conflict Analysis & Resolution OR CONF 340 Global Conflict Analysis and Resolution	DEGREE
32	Gen Ed: Natural Science (Non-Lab)	3	Approved Natural Science without Lab*	NAT SCIENCE
33	Applied Coursework	3	CONF 300 Conflict Resolution Techniques and Practice	DEGREE
34	Applied Coursework	3	CONF 325 Dialogue and Difference OR CONF 370 Internship Field Experience OR CONF 385 International Field Experience OR CONF 398 Special Topics in Advanced Techniques and Practices OR CONF 425 Mediating Conflict OR Any 202 level foreign language course	DEGREE
35	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
36	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
37	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
38	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
39	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
40	Concentration Electives	3	Controlled Concentration Electives (See: Advisor)**	DEGREE
41	Gen Ed: Written Communication (UL)	3	ENGH 302 Advanced Composition	Written Comm
42	Core Requirements/Synthesis	3	CONF 490 RS: Integration	Synthesis
B.A.S. APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE TOTAL		120		

Denotes a course that must be taken at George Mason University. Please see your Success Coach to enroll.

*For approved Mason Core courses, please visit - <https://catalog.gmu.edu/mason-core/>

**In consultation with their advisor, students are required to take 18 credits of concentration coursework; at least 9 credits must be from the CONF department. The concentration list can be found in the catalog or on our website. Department recommendation to select upper-level courses in order to meet university degree requirements.

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Students seeking a bachelor's degree must apply at least 45 credits of upper-level courses (numbered 300 or above) toward graduation requirements