



**2006 – 07 PETITION/PROGRAM SHEET**  
**Degree: Technical Certificate**  
**Major: Emergency Medical Technician**  
**Emphasis: Basic**  
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**About This Major . . .**

The EMT-Basic, also known as EMT-1, represents the first component of the emergency medical technician system. An EMT-B is trained to care for patients at the scene of an accident and while transporting patients by ambulance to the hospital under medical direction. The EMT-B has the emergency skills to assess a patient's condition and manage respiratory, cardiac, and trauma emergencies. EMT-Basic coursework typically emphasizes emergency skills, such as patient assessment, managing respiratory, trauma, and cardiac emergencies. Formal courses are combined with skills practice and time in an emergency room or ambulance for a total of 195 contact hours. The program also provides instruction and practice in dealing with bleeding, fractures, airway obstruction, cardiac arrest, and emergency childbirth. Students learn how to use and maintain common emergency equipment, such as backboards, suction devices, splints, oxygen delivery systems, and stretchers. Graduates of approved EMT-Basic training programs who pass a written and practical examination administered by the State certifying agency or the NREMT earn the title "Registered EMT-Basic." The course also is a pre-requisite for EMT-Intermediate and EMT-Paramedic training.

**POLICIES:**

1. It is your responsibility to determine whether you have met the requirements for your degree. Please see the MSC Catalog for a complete list of graduation requirements.
2. You must turn in your "Intent to Graduate" form to the Registrar's Office **by September 15 if you plan to graduate the following May, and by February 15 if you plan to graduate the following December.**
3. This program sheet must be submitted with your graduation planning sheet to your advisor during the **semester prior to the semester of graduation, no later than October 1 for spring graduates, no later than March 1 for fall graduates.**
4. Your advisor will sign and forward the Program Sheet and Graduation Planning Sheet to the Department Head for signature.
5. Finally, the Department Head or the department administrative assistant will take the signed forms to the Registrar's Office. (Students cannot handle the forms once the advisor signs.)
6. If your petition for graduation is denied, it will be your responsibility to reapply for graduation in a subsequent semester. Your "Intent to Graduate" does not automatically move to a later graduation date.
7. NOTE: The semester before graduation, you may be required to take a Major Field Achievement Test (exit exam).

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **STUDENT ID #** \_\_\_\_\_

**LOCAL ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

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I, (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_, hereby certify that I have completed (or will complete) all the courses listed on the Program Sheet. I further certify that the grade listed for those courses is the final course grade received except for the courses in which I am currently enrolled and the courses which I complete next semester. I have indicated the semester in which I will complete these courses.

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Signature of Advisor \_\_\_\_\_ 20  
Date

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Signature of Department Head \_\_\_\_\_ 20  
Date

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Signature of Registrar \_\_\_\_\_ 20  
Date

- A cumulative grade point average of 2.0 or higher must be maintained for all courses and for all courses in the major.
- When filling out this program sheet a course can only be used once, i.e., no double counting is allowed between categories.
- All degree requirements must be completed as described. Any exceptions or substitutions must be recommended in advance by the faculty advisor and approved by the Department Head.
- It is recommended that students work closely with a faculty advisor when selecting courses and scheduling classes prior to registration.
- Students are required to participate in exit examinations or other programs deemed necessary to comply with the college accountability requirement.

**Required EMT-Basic Courses (10 Semester Hours)**

Course	No.	Credit	Grade	Term	Year	Trns/Subs
EMTS	<u>101</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
EMTS	<u>102</u>	<u>3</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____
EMTS	<u>103</u>	<u>4</u>	_____	_____	_____	_____

**EMT-Basic (10 Semester Hours)**

**EMT-Basic Courses (10 Semester Hours)**

EMTS 101 EMS Basic I  
 EMTS 102 EMS Basic II  
 EMTS 103 EMS Basic III

**SUGGESTED COURSE SEQUENCING FOR A TECHNICAL CERTIFICATE IN EMS-BASIC**

This is a recommended sequence of course work. Certain courses may have prerequisites or are only offered during the Fall or Spring semesters. It is the student's responsibility to meet with their advisor and check the 2 year course matrix on the Mesa State website for course availability.

**FIRST YEAR**

<u>Fall or Spring Semester</u>	<u>Hours</u>
EMTS 101 EMS Basic I	3
EMTS 102 EMS Basic II	3
EMTS 103 EMS Basic III	<u>4</u>
	10