Are you thinking of changing your program of study???

The Program What-If report is designed to help you run simulated scenarios on prospective degree programs.

1. From Internet Explorer, key in the web address – www.bismarckstate.edu
2. Click on CampusConnection
3. Click on
4. Enter NDUS User ID (Ex. Sara.Doe)
5. Enter Password (Setup during the Claiming Account process)
6. From your Student Center
   Click on What-if Report
7. Click Double Arrow
8. Click Create New Report

What-If Report

What-If Report Selection

You may be thinking of changing your program of study and wonder how that change would affect your progress. You can use this component to set up and request a simulated or "what-if" advisement report based on alternate programs of study. Click the Create New Report button to set up your what-if scenario.
9. Choose up to 3 Program Scenarios by selecting Academic Program & Area of Study

10. Click Submit Request.

Two Output Report Formats:

1. Click View Report as PDF to view/output/print.

2. Click Collapse All to collapse interactive report. Click Expand All to expand interactive report. (i.e: to look at detailed levels of Program What-if Report)

Note: Choose Catalog Year which reflects your specific graduation requirements.

Note: 1st program scenario is pre-populated with your current active Academic Program & Area of Study in CampusConnection.
Navigating Academic Requirements Report

Tips for using and navigating Program What-If reports:

***Each Program Scenario will have its program requirements listed out in its entirety***

1. By default, the report expands requirements that are Not Satisfied and collapses requirements that are Satisfied. Use "collapse all" and "expand all" to collapse and expand every requirement in the report.

2. Use "view report as pdf" to view, output, or print report via an XML based PDF format.

3. The three icons ☑️, ⭕️ and ⭐️ indicate the status of a course used to satisfy an academic requirement as Taken, In Progress, or Planned.

4. Click ⬤ to expand and ⬤ to collapse an individual academic requirement.

5. By default, a maximum of 10 courses are displayed for an individual requirement. Use View All, First, Next and Last to view more. They will look like this: View All  First 1-10 of 27 Last.

6. Click on a course name to view a description of the course. Course sections are also shown.

7. The first requirement on every report is a notice that official degree requirements completion is determined by the Registrar. This requirement may be collapsed but will never be Satisfied.

8. All requirements are organized into three levels and reflect a student’s academic program(s).
   a. Dark blue bars are the highest level of requirements. Usually, they are the following:
      i. Liberal Arts Requirements AND
         1. Associate in Arts (AA) Requirements OR
         2. Associate in Science (AS) Requirements
      ii. Technical Program Requirements AND
          1. Certificate Requirements OR
          2. Associate in Applied Science (AAS) Requirements
   b. Light blue bars are the next level of requirements and are grouped under dark blue bars. Two common examples of light blue bars include the following:
      i. Minimum GPA Requirements
      ii. General Education Requirements
   c. Detail lines are the most specific level of requirements and are included below light blue bars. These lines include the specific courses used to satisfy a requirement. Every detail line of a requirement or requirement group must be Satisfied for the requirement or requirement group to be Satisfied.
For any further questions, or to report a problem with degree audit, please contact Academic Records at 701.224.5420.