## **SCIENCE FOUNDATIONS B CERTIFICATE**

Purpose: The Science Foundations program provides students currently holding a baccalaureate degree the opportunity to complete science and liberal arts coursework to apply to a variety of professional programs. These include medical, physical therapy, veterinary medicine, physician assistant, occupational therapy, pharmacy, dentistry, chiropractic, osteopathic medicine, as well as other professional programs.

Classes chosen for Science Foundations A certificate prepare students to begin work towards the Science Foundations B certificate. Classes chosen for Science Foundations B certificate will prepare students for preprofessional admissions exams such as the MCAT, PCAT, and DAT as well as fulfill prerequisite requirements for many professional programs.

## **Award**

Science Foundations B Certificate	21 credits total
Science Foundations curriculum	3 credits
MnTC curriculum/General Education	18 credits

<sup>\*</sup> The course sequence for this program begins in fall only and is intended for full-time enrollment.

RECOMMENDED FULL-TIME COURSE SEQUENCE  Not all courses are scheduled every semester. See course schedule: <a href="https://eservices.minnstate.edu/registration/search/basic.html?campusid=306">https://eservices.minnstate.edu/registration/search/basic.html?campusid=306</a> .				
Semester 1		Semester 2		
CHEM 2127 Organic Chemistry I	4 cr	CHEM 2128 Organic Chemistry II	4 cr	
PHYS 1127 Classical Physics I	5 cr	PHYS 1128 Classical Physics II	5 cr	
Electives	variable	Electives	variable	
Total Credits	min of 9	Total Credits	min of 9	

Course descriptions can be found at: <a href="https://www.rctc.edu/academics/courses/course-descriptions">https://www.rctc.edu/academics/courses/course-descriptions</a>.



