



Curriculum for Associated Degree Program in Aeronautical Meteorology Engineering Specialization

The curriculum of associate degree program in “**Aeronautical Meteorology Engineering**” specialization consists of (72 credit hours) as follows:

| Serial No. | Requirements | Credit Hours |
|--------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| First | University Requirements | 12 |
| Second | Program Requirements | 17 |
| Third | Specialty Requirements | 43 |
| Total | | 72 |



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**The curriculum of associated degree in
Aeronautical Meteorology Engineering
Specialization**

First: University requirements (12 credit hours) as follows:

| Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours | Weekly Contact Hours | | Prerequisite |
|------------|------------------|--------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| | | | Theoretical | Practical | |
| 22001101 | Arabic Language | 3 | 3 | - | |
| 22002101 | English Language | 3 | 3 | - | |
| 21901100 | Islamic Culture | 3 | 3 | - | |
| 21702101 | Computer Skills | 3 | 1 | 4 | |
| | Total | 12 | 10 | 4 | |

Second: Engineering Program requirements (17 credit hours) as follow:

| Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours | Weekly Contact Hours | | Prerequisite |
|------------|--|--------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| | | | Theoretical | Practical | |
| 20201111 | Engineering Workshop | 1 | - | 3 | |
| 20204111 | Auto CAD | 2 | - | 6 | |
| 20506111 | Occupational Safety | 2 | 2 | - | |
| 21301111 | General Mathematics | 3 | 2 | 2 | |
| 21302111 | General Physics | 3 | 2 | 2 | |
| 21302112 | General Physics Lab | 1 | - | 3 | 21302111* |
| 21702111 | Communication Skills & Technical Writing | 3 | 2 | 2 | 22002101 |
| 20201121 | Engineering Materials | 2 | 2 | - | |
| | Total | 17 | 10 | 18 | |

* Co-requisite





Third: *Specialization Requirements* (43 credit hours) as follows:

| Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours | Weekly Contact Hours | | Prerequisite |
|--------------|--|--------------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|
| | | | Theoretical | Practical | |
| 20108131 | General Meteorology | 3 | 3 | 0 | - |
| 20108132 | Method of Weather Observations | 1 | 0 | 3 | - |
| 20108211 | Cloud Physics | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108113 | Atmospheric Thermodynamics | 3 | 3 | 0 | - |
| 20108111 | Atmospheric Dynamics | 3 | 3 | 0 | - |
| 20108135 | Synoptic Meteorology | 3 | 3 | 0 | - |
| 20108134 | Meteorological International Code | 1 | 0 | 3 | - |
| 20108121 | Meteorological Instruments | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108213 | Earth Sciences | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108221 | An Introduction to Oceanography | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108235 | Aviation Meteorology | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108237 | Agro meteorology | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108242 | Applied Statistics in Climatology | 1 | 0 | 3 | -- |
| 20108238 | Plotting Weather Charts | 2 | 0 | 6 | - |
| 20108239 | Meteorological Telecommunication Systems | 1 | 1 | 0 | - |
| 20108240 | Analyzing Weather Charts | 2 | 0 | 6 | - |
| 20108241 | Climate System | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108243 | Air Pollution | 2 | 2 | 0 | - |
| 20108124 | Aeronautical Meteorology Workshop | 1 | 0 | 3 | - |
| 20108291 | Training* | 3 | - | - | |
| 20108292 | Project | 3 | - | - | |
| Total | | 43 | 29 | | |

* Equivalent to 280 training hours





Guide Plan

| First Year | | | | | |
|----------------|--------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| First Semester | | | Second Semester | | |
| Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours | Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| 22002101 | English language | 3 | 20204111 | AutoCAD | 2 |
| 21301111 | General Mathematics | 3 | 20108111 | Atmospheric Dynamics | 3 |
| 20201121 | Engineering Materials | 2 | 20108134 | Meteorological International Code | 1 |
| 20108131 | General Meteorology | 3 | 20108113 | Atmospheric Thermodynamics | 3 |
| 20108132 | Method of Weather Observations | 1 | 20108135 | Synoptic Meteorology | 3 |
| 20201111 | Engineering Workshop | 1 | 20108121 | Meteorological Instruments | 2 |
| 21702101 | Computer skills | 3 | | | |
| 20506111 | Occupational Safety | 2 | 21302111 | General Physics | 3 |
| | | | 21302112 | General Physics Lab | 1 |
| Total | | 18 | Total | | 18 |

| Second Year | | | | | |
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| Third Semester | | | Fourth Semester | | |
| Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours | Course No. | Course Title | Credit Hours |
| 20108213 | Earth Sciences | 2 | 20108239 | Meteorological Telecommunication Systems | 1 |
| 21702111 | Communication skill and technical writing | 3 | 20108221 | An Introduction to Oceanography | 2 |
| 20108211 | Cloud Physics | 2 | 20108240 | Analyzing Weather Charts | 2 |
| 20108235 | Aviation Meteorology | 2 | 20108243 | Air pollution | 2 |
| 20108237 | Agro meteorology | 2 | 20108292 | Project | 3 |
| 20108238 | Plotting Weather Charts | 2 | 20108291 | Training | 3 |
| 20108242 | Applied Statistics in Climatology | 1 | 21901100 | Islamic Culture | 3 |
| 20108124 | Aeronautical Meteorology Workshop | 1 | 20108241 | Climate System | 2 |
| 22001101 | Arabic Language | 3 | | | |
| Total | | | 18 | Total | |

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Brief Course Description

University requirements

| Course Title | Course No | Credit Hours (Theoretical /Practical) |
|------------------|-----------|--|
| Arabic Language | 22001101 | 3 (3-0) |
| | | تتضمن هذه المادة مجموعة من المهارات اللغوية بمستوياتها وأنظمتها المختلفة: الصوتية، والصرفية، والنحوية، والبلاغية، والمعجمية، والتعبيرية، وتشتمل نماذج من النصوص المشرفة: قرآنية ، وشعرية، وقصصية ، من بينها نماذج من الأدب الأردني؛ يتوخى من قراعتها وتذوقها وتحليلها تحليلاً أدبياً؛ تتميمية الذوق الجمالي لدى الطالب الدارسين. |
| English Language | 22002101 | 3 (3-0) |
| | | English 1 is a general course. It covers the syllabuses of listening, speaking, reading, writing, pronunciation and grammar, which are provided in a communicative context. The course is designed for foreign learners of the English language, who have had more than one year of English language study. The extension part would be dealt with in the class situation following the individual differences. |
| Islamic Culture | 21901100 | 3 (3-0) |
| | | 1. تعريف الثقافة الإسلامية وبيان معانيها وموضوعاتها والنظم المتعلقة بها - وظائفها وأهدافها. 2. مصادر ومقومات الثقافة الإسلامية والأركان والأسس التي تقوم عليها. 3. خصائص الثقافة الإسلامية. 4. الإسلام والعلم، والعلاقة بين العلم والإيمان 5. التحديات التي تواجه الثقافة الإسلامية. 6. رد الشبهات التي تثار حول الإسلام. 7. الأخلاق الإسلامية والأداب الشرعية في إطار الثقافة الإسلامية. 8. النظم الإسلامية. |
| Computer Skills | 21702101 | 3 (0-6) |
| | | An introduction to computing and the broad field of information technology is given. Topics covered include the basic structure of digital computer system, microcomputer, operating systems, application software, data communication and networks, and the internet. Hands-on learning emphasizes Windows xp, MS-office2000, and the internet. |

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Engineering Program requirements

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| Engineering Workshops | 20201111 | 1 (0-3) |
| Development of basic manual skills in Mechanical and Electrical works. Use of manual tools and measuring devices. Hand filing, welding, metal cutting and forming. Electrical wiring. | | |
| AutoCAD | 20204111 | 2 (0-6) |
| Introduction to AutoCAD, application of AutoCAD, commands, geometric entities. Geometric construction. Dimensioning, free -hand sketching, object representation, orthographic drawing and projections. | | |
| Occupational safety | 20506111 | 2 (2-0) |
| Role of technicians in economic development First aid accident prevention. Protective devices and equipment. Industrial safety standards. Nature of fire hazards. Sand fire regulations. Physiological effects of electrical shock on human body. First aid and treatment for the effects of electric shock. Rules of spare and chemicals storage and handing. | | |
| Communication Skills and Technical Writing | 21702111 | 3 (2-2) |
| The main goal of this course is to equip the students with the necessary communication skills in everyday life & work situations and improve their abilities in technical writing to meet market needs. For this course, the English language is the language of teaching & the means of communication for all classroom situations. | | |
| Engineering Materials | 20201121 | 2 (2-0) |
| Definition of engineering materials. Classification of materials and their properties. Metallic and non-metallic materials. Metals, alloys and composite materials. Conductors, insulators and semiconductors. Mechanical and electrical characteristics of materials. Industrial applications of different types of materials. | | |
| General Mathematics | 21301111 | 3 (2-2) |
| Real numbers coordinate planes, lines, distance and circles. Functions: (operations and graphs on functions), limits, continuity, limits and continuity of trigonometric functions. Exponential and logarithmic functions. Differentiation (techniques of differentiation, chain rule, implicit differentiation). Application of differentiation (increase, decrease, concavity). Graphs of polynomials. Applications: Rolls Theorem and Mean-Value Theorem, Integration (by substitution, definite integral, fundamental theorem of Calculus). Application of definite integral (area between two curves, volumes) | | |
| General Physics | 21302111 | 3 (2-2) |
| Physics and measurement, motion in one dimension, vectors, laws of motion, circular motion, energy and energy transfer, potential energy, linear momentum and collisions, electric fields, Gauss's law, electric potential, capacitance and dielectrics, current and resistance, direct current circuits, magnetic fields, sources of the magnetic field, and Faraday's law of electromagnetic induction. | | |
| General Physics lab | 21302112 | 1 (0-3) |

In this course, the student performs thirteen experiments in mechanics and in electricity.

***Specialization Requirement***

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| General Meteorology | 20108131 | 3 (3-0) |
| The atmosphere. Air temperature. Atmospheric pressure. Winds. Humidity. Water processes in the atmosphere. Radiation in the atmosphere. Global energy balance. Severe weather conditions. | | |
| Method of Weather Observations | 20108132 | 1 (0-3) |
| Observation network. Observation reports. Measurements of meteorological elements. Preparing meteorological reports: SYONP, METAR. | | |
| Atmospheric Thermodynamics | 20108113 | 3 (3-0) |
| Gases laws. Equation of state for dry air and equation of state for moist air. Thermodynamics laws. Air stability. The skew T-log P diagram. The tephigram. Aerological diagrams and vertical stability. | | |
| Synoptic Meteorology | 20108135 | 3 (3-0) |
| Meteorological observation network. Air masses and fronts. Specific synoptic-scale systems. Synoptic systems. Forecasting offices. | | |
| Meteorological Instruments | 20108121 | 2 (2-0) |
| Meteorological instruments of measurements of air temperature, pressure, wind, humidity, precipitation, evaporation, dew, sunshine and radiation. | | |
| Aeronautical Meteorology Workshop | 20108124 | 1 (0-3) |
| Meteorological instruments and test equipments. Measurements of air temperature, pressure, wind speed ,thermometers , humidity, precipitation, evaporation, dew, sunshine and radiation ,rain measuring instrument. | | |
| Atmospheric Dynamics | 20108111 | 3(3.0) |
| Forces affecting wind. Hydrostatic equation. Barometric equations. Adiabatic process. Equation of motion. Thickness and contours. Jet streams. Divergence and convergence. Equation of continuity. General circulation. | | |
| Meteorological International Code | 20108134 | 1(0.3) |
| SYNOP. SHIP. PILOT. TEMP. METAR. SPECI. CLIMAT. CLIMAT TEMP. | | |
| Earth Sciences | 20108213 | 2(2.0) |
| The solar system. Planet earth. Source and distribution of thermal energy on earth's system. Earth's motion. | | |
| Climate System | 20108241 | 2(2.0) |
| Introduction to climatology. Limits and climate processes. The globally averaged atmospheric energy balance. The changing climate. World climate. | | |
| Cloud Physics | 20108211 | 2(2.0) |
| Condensation. Clouds. Theories of growth of cloud droplets. Rain enhancements. | | |

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| Aviation Meteorology | 20108235 | 2(2.0) |
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Weather and aviation. Visibility. Hazardous weather affecting aviation. Aviation weather reports. Aviation weather forecast. Aeronautical operations.

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| Agrometeorology | 20108237 | 2(2.0) |
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Agrometeorological observations. Impact of weather on agriculture. Soil moisture. Soil temperature . Evaporation . Potential evaporation. Evapotranspiration and potential evapotranspiration. Water balance at the surface.

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| Plotting Weather Charts | 20108238 | 2(0.6) |
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Earths coordinates, Earth magnetism, the atmosphere, Air temperature, Atmospheric pressure, winds, Air moisture, clouds, Aviation hazardous weather, Maria system. Weather charts. Decoding & plotting surface and upper-air data.

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| Statistics in Climatology | 20108242 | 1(0.3) |
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principles of statistics. Linear regression and correlation. Probability.

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| Analyzing Weather Charts | 20108240 | 2(0.6) |
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analysis of surface and upper-air charts .Interpretation of NWP Product.

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| Meteorological Telecommunication Systems | 20108239 | 1(1.0) |
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Organization of the Global Telecommunication System (GTS). Operational procedure for the GTS.

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| An Introduction to Oceanography | 20108221 | 2(2.0) |
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The ocean. Ocean – atmosphere interactions

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| Air pollution | 20108243 | 2(2.0) |
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The lower atmosphere. Turbulence. Pollutants in the air. Meteorological factors affecting air pollution. Modeling of air pollution. Global environmental issues.

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| Training | 20108291 | 3 (280 training hours) |
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Equivalent to 280 hours of field training targeted to emphasize the ability of students to apply the theories in Aeronautical meteorology stations and systems of the National Forecasting Center

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| project | 20108292 | 3 |
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An integrated assembly/design project (practical work) related to the major fields of study.

