UNIVERSITY AND LIBERAL ARTS CORE COURSES

2023-2024 Academic Year

This document is a comprehensive list of courses approved for the respective requirement. Not all course options are offered in a given semester. For tailored recommendations based on your degree(s) and plans, please consult with your academic advisor.

IC First-Year Signature Course (Core 90)
Three semester hours:
Undergraduate Studies (UGS): 302, 303
Plan II Tutorial Course (T C): 302

CA Composition (Core 10)
Three semester hours:
Rhetoric & Writing (RHE): 306, 306Q
Plan II World Literature (E or T C): 303C

HU Humanities (Core 40, Liberal Arts)
Three semester hours:
English (E): 316L, 316M, 316N, 316P
Plan II World Literature (E or T C): 303D

AG American & Texas Government (Core 70)
Six semester hours:
Choose one pair of courses from the options below.
Government (GOV):
• 311L & 311M
• 311L & 312P
• 311L & 305C (GOV 3US is equivalent to 305C)
• 311L & 306C (GOV 3TX is equivalent to 306C)
• 305C (or 3US) & 306C (or 3TX)

HE United States History (Core 60)
Six semester hours:
A maximum of three hours of Texas History may apply:
African & African Diaspora Studies (AFR): 320C
History (HIS): 320E, 320F, 320T

SE Social & Behavioral Sciences (Core 80)
Three semester hours:
Advertising (ADV): 319
Anthropology (ANT): 302, 305, 307, 318L
Core Texts & Ideas (CTI): 302, 365
Curriculum & Instruction (EDC): 312, 319
Economics (ECO): 301, 304, 304L
Educational Leadership & Policy (EIP): 354L
Geography (GRG): 305, 306C, 319
Health & Society (H S): 301
History (HIS): 329U
Human Development & Family Sciences (HDF): 304, 304H
Human Dimensions of Organizations (HDO): 301
Kinesthetics (KIN): 311K
Linguistics (LIN): 306, 312D, 312E
Mexican American & Latina/o Studies (MAS): 301, 309
Psychology (PSY): 301, 306
Radio-Television-Film (RTF): 303C
Religious Studies (R S): 310
Special Education (SED): 303
Plan II Social Science (S S): 302C, 302D, 302E, 302F

MA Mathematics (Core 20, Liberal Arts)
Three semester hours:
Advertising (ADV): 309R
Educational Psychology (EDP): 308
Government (GOV): 350K
Mathematics (M): 302, 305G, 408C, 408K, 408N, 408Q, 408R
Philosophy (PHL): 313
Psychology (PSY): 317L
Sociology (SOC): 317L
Statistics & Data Sciences (SDS): 301, 302F, 302E, 320H, 325H
Plan II Mathematics (M): 310P

NA Natural Science & Technology-I (Core 30)
Six semester hours:
Courses in bold are appropriate for non-science majors.
Anthropology (ANT): 301, 304, 304T
Astronomy (AST):
• one from 301 or 307
• any from 309C, 309G, 309L, 309N, 309R, 309S

Biological Sciences (BSC):
• one from 301L or 303L
• one from 301M or 303M, or 311L
• any from 302D, 302E, 302F, 302G, 315H, 325H, 326M, 466L, 6555

Chemistry (CH):
• one from 301, 301C, 301N, or 304K (retired)
• one from 302, 302C, 302N, or 305 (retired)

Geography (GRG): 401C, 301K, 404E
Geological Sciences (GEO):
• one from 401 or 303

Marine Science (MNS): 307, 308
Nutrition (NTR): 306
Physical Sciences (P) and Physics (PHY):
• one from PS 303, PHY 301, 302K, 303K, 309K, or 317K
• one from PS 304, PHY 302L, 303L, 309L, 316, or 317L

Science (SCI): 365
Plan II Biology (BIO): 301*
Plan II Physics (PHY): 321
* only one from Biology (BIO) 301E, 301L (retired), or 301M (retired) may count

NB Natural Science & Technology-II (Core 93)
Three semester hours:
An additional ANT, AST, CH, GEO, GRO, MNS, NTR, P S, PHY, SCI, or UTS course listed in Natural Science & Technology-I above, or,
Computer Science (C S): 302, 302E, 312, 314H
Electrical & Computer Engineering (ECE): 302, 302H
Engineering Studies (E S): 301

VP Visual & Performing Arts (Core 50)
Three semester hours:
American Studies (AMS): 330
Architecture (ARC): 308, 312C, 318K, 318L, 342C
Arts & Entertainment Technology (AET): 304, 336C
Classical Civilizations (C C): 301, 302, 303, 307C, 307D
Core Texts & Ideas (CTI): 350, 351
Design (DES): 308
English (E): 310Q, 310F, 310S, 321P, 379P
Fine Arts (F A): 308, 313C
Journalism (J): 308S
Mexican American & Latina/o Studies (MAS): 315
Philosophy (PHL): 317K, 346K
Radio-Television-Film (RTF): 306
Religious Studies (R S): 346M

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Additional Social Science (Liberal Arts)

Three semester hours:
- Core Texts & Ideas (CTI): 302, 365
- Economics (ECO): 301, 304A, 304L
- French (FR): 364L
- German (GER): 347L
- German, Scandinavian, & Dutch Studies (GSD): 311F
- Health & Society (H&S): 301
- History (HIS): 329U
- Human Dimensions of Organizations (HDO): 301
- Jewish Studies (JS): 365D
- Mexican American & Latino/a Studies (MAS): 301, 309, 357L
- Philosophy (PHL): 325J, 342R
- Portuguese (POR): 330L
- Psychology (PSY): 301, 304, 305, 306, 309, 319K
- Religious Studies (R S): 310
- Spanish (SPN): 330L, 353, 364L
- Women’s & Gender Studies (WGS): 356

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- ANT 348: 10-Primate Conservation
- C C 348: 14-Ancient Greek Medicine
- C C 348: 20-Roman Philosophy & Science
- HIS 350L: 64-Einstein in Age of Conflicts
- HIS 366N: 18-Global History of Disease
- LIN 350: 11-Speech Intelligibility
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Additional Natural Science (Liberal Arts)

Required of students following 2018-2020 and prior Undergraduate Catalogs only; however, additional natural sciences courses are required of all Plan II students.

Six additional semester hours; minimum of nine hours from a single field may apply toward science requirements (~N1, ~N2, and this requirement).

Advertising (ADV): 309R
- Astronomy (AST): any
- Biology (BIO): any
- Chemistry (CH): any, excluding 207K & 371K
- Computer Science (CS): any
- Economics (ECO): 329
- Educational Psychology (EDP): 308
- Electrical & Computer Engineering (E E): 302, 302H
- Engineering Studies (E S): 301
- Geology (GEO): any
- German, Scandinavian & Dutch Studies (GSD): 361F
- Government (GOV): 350K

History (HIS): 322D, 322R, 322S
- Kinesiology (KIN): 424K
- Marine Science (MNS): any
- Mathematics (M): any, excluding 301
- Nutrition (NTR): any
- Philosophy (PHI): 312, 313, 316K, 322, 325M, 344K, 344M, 358
- Physical Sciences (P S): any
- Physics (PHY): any
- Religious Studies (R S): 373M
- Sociology (SOC): 310S, 317L
- Speech, Language, & Hearing (SLH): 311K, 313L
- Statistics & Data Sciences (SDS): any

Plan II Logic (PHL): 313Q
Plan II Modes of Reasoning (T C): 310

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- American Studies (AMS): 315F, 330
- Core Texts & Ideas (CTI): 301G, 350, 351
- French Studies (F S): 340M
- German (GER): 331L, 340C, 343C, 346L
- Italian (ITL): 320, 321
- Jewish Studies (JS): 301, 304M, 304N, 307, 365C
- Latin American Studies (LAS): 301
- Mexican American & Latino/a Studies (MAS): 315, 337F, 340S
- Middle Eastern Studies (MES): 301, 301L, 310D
- Portuguese (POR): 328
- Religious Studies (R S): 304, 315N, 318, 321, 353E, 373D
- Russian, E. Euro & Eurasian Studies (REE): 301, 302D
- Sociology (SOC): 379M
- Spanish (SPN): 328C, 351, 355R, 357D, 367D, 367T
- Women’s & Gender Studies: 303, 305
- Plan II Philosophy (PHL): 610Q

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