CORE AND LIBERAL ARTS REQUIREMENTS

Core First-Year Signature Course (UGS 302 or 303)  
Core English Composition (RHE 306)  
Core Humanities (E 316L, M, N, or P)  
Foreign Language  

A complete foreign language sequence may require up to four courses.  

Core American and Texas Government (GOV 310L)  
Core American and Texas Government (GOV 312L or P)  
Core US History  
Core US or Texas History  
Core Social and Behavioral Sciences (SOC 302) in major  
Additional Social Science  
Core Mathematics  
Core Natural Science and Technology, Part I (single field)  
Core Natural Science and Technology, Part I (single field)  
Core Natural Science and Technology, Part II (different field)  
Additional Natural Science (SOC 317L) in major  
Additional Natural Science  
Core Visual and Performing Arts  
Cultural Expression, Human Experience, and Thought (SOC 379M) in major  

• Requirements above satisfied by courses on approved lists; see reverse.

FLAG REQUIREMENTS

Writing (SOC 317M) in major  
Upper-Division Writing  
Global Cultures  
Cultural Diversity in the United States  
Quantitative Reasoning (SOC 317L or approved substitution) in major  

• Flag courses may satisfy other degree requirements.  
• One writing flag must be completed outside of Core requirements.  
• Global Cultures and Cultural Diversity flags may not be satisfied with the same course.  
• Generally, flag requirements can only be fulfilled with in-residence courses; see advisor for details.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

SOC 302 Introduction to Sociology  
SOC 317L Introduction to Social Statistics  
SOC 317M Introduction to Social Research  
SOC 379M Sociological Theory  
Additional Sociology (upper-division)  
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Additional Sociology (upper-division)  
Additional Sociology (lower-division or upper-division)  

Core, Liberal Arts, and Flag requirements may be fulfilled by courses used for the Sociology major; see advisor for details.

• SOC 302, 317L, and 317M require a minimum grade of C.  
• The requirement for SOC 317L Introduction to Social Statistics can be satisfied with one of the following courses with a minimum grade of C: M 316, SDS 302, SDS 303, SDS 304, SDS 305, or SDS 306. These courses count towards the 27 hours required for the major and the major grade point average.  
• 27 hours total required, including at least 15 hours upper-division and 18 hours in residence.

MINOR REQUIREMENTS

12 hours in any one other field of study.  
Must include 6 hours upper-division and 6 hours in residence.

OTHER REQUIREMENTS

120 hours (excludes M 301, PHY 306, PED, PI, KIN 119, SPN 140L, MUS 200, MUS 200A or B)  
36 hours upper-division  
21 hours upper-division in residence  
60 hours in residence  
Maximum of 39 hours in one subject  
Maximum of 39 hours in one college (excludes Liberal Arts and Natural Sciences)  
Maximum 16 hours pass/fail (electives only)  
UT Austin grade point average of 2.00  
Major grade point average of 2.00
First-Year Signature Course (Core 090)

Three semester hours chosen from:

Undergraduate Studies: UGS 302 or 303
T C 302 (Plan II only)

English Composition (Core 010)

Three semester hours chosen from:
Rhetoric and Writing: RHE 306 or 306Q (nonnative speakers of English)
E / T C 603A (Plan II only)

Humanities (Core 040 / Liberal Arts)

Three semester hours chosen from:
English: E 316L, 316M, 316N, 316P
E / T C 603B (Plan II only)

NOTE: Courses outside of English with the transfer code 040 may fulfill the Core Humanities requirement but they do not count for the Liberal Arts Humanities requirement. The College of Liberal Arts requires E 316L, 316M, 316N, 316P, or T C 603B.

Foreign Language (Liberal Arts)

Proficiency in a single foreign language sequence is required. Proficiency is reached when the last course in the sequence is successfully completed.

Typical sequence options:
506, 507, 312K, 312L
506, 507, 612
601C, 611C
604, 612
601D, 610D, 611D

American and Texas Government (Core 070)

Six semester hours chosen from:

Government: GOV 310L (required, first half of legislative requirement) and GOV 312L or 312P (second half of legislative requirement)

NOTE: Students with five or more hours in American Government can take GOV 105 in University Extension to fulfill the Texas Government requirement.

US History (Core 060)

Six hours chosen from:


Up to three hours of Texas History (HIS 320L, 320P, 320R) may be used for the American History requirement.

NOTE: Courses above include the statement "partially fulfills the legislative requirement in American history" in the Course Schedule.

Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core 080)

Three semester hours chosen from:

African and African Diaspora Studies: AFR 324E
Anthropology: ANT 302, 305, 307, 318L
Core Texts and Ideas: CTI 302, 365
Economics: ECO 301, 304K, 304L
Health and Society: H S 301
History: HIS 329U
Human Development and Family Sciences: HDF 304, 304H
Linguistics: LIN 306, 312D, 312E
Psychology: PSY 301
Religious Studies: R S 310
S S 301 (Plan II only)

Additional Social Science (Liberal Arts)

Three semester hours chosen from approved list.

Mathematics (Core 020 / Liberal Arts)

Three semester hours chosen from:

Mathematics: M 302, 305G, 408C, 408K, 408N, 408R, 316
Statistics and Data Sciences: SDS 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 328M
M 310P (Plan II only)

NOTE: M 301 may fulfill the Core Mathematics requirement but it does not count for the Liberal Arts math requirement or total hours for the degree.

Natural Science and Technology, Part I (Core 030)

Six hours in a single field of study chosen from:
Non-science major options
Astronomy: AST 301, 309C, 309L, 309N, 309R, 309S
Biology: BIO 301D, 301L, 301M
Chemistry: CH 304K, 305
Geological Sciences: GEO 302C, 302D, 302E, 302M
Marine Science: MNS 307, 308
Physical Science: P S 303, 304
Physics: PHY 309K, 309L
Additional science options
AST 307
BIO 311C, 311D, 315H, 325H, 326M, 446L, 365S
CH 301, 302, 301H, 302H
GOV 401, 303C, 404C, 40S
PHY 301, 302K, 302L, 303K, 303L, 316, 317K, 317L
BIO 301E and PHY 321 (Plan II only)

NOTE: Consult the course descriptions in the Course Schedule to identify prerequisites and course duplications.

Natural Science and Technology, Part II (Core 031)

Three semester hours chosen from the list below or from Science and Technology, Part I list. The course must be in a field of study different from field used for Natural Science and Technology, Part I.

Anthropology: ANT 301, 304, 304T
Biology: BIO 305E, 305F, 307D, 309D, 309F
Computer Science: C S 302, 312
Geography: GRG 301C, 301K, 304E
Nutrition: NTR 306

NOTE: NSC 306J and NSC 306K for Part I cannot pair with CH, GEO, P S, or PHY for Part II. P S or PHY for Part I cannot pair with NSC 306J for Part II.

Additional Natural Science (Liberal Arts)

Six additional semester hours in natural science selected from Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Marine Science, Nutrition, Physical Science, Physics, Mathematics, Computer Science, Statistics and Data Sciences, or approved list of alternatives. Courses from the Natural Science and Technology, Parts I and II lists may also be used.

NOTE: Only nine hours in a single field may be used for math and science requirements.

Visual and Performing Arts (Core 050)

Three semester hours chosen from:

American Studies: AMS 330
Architecture: ARC 308, 318K, 318L
Classical Civilization: C C 301, 302, 303, 307C, 307D
Core Texts and Ideas: CTI 350, 351
Design: DES 308
English: E 321P, 379P
Fine Arts: F A 308, 311, 330, 331, 332, 333
Philosophy: PHL 317K, 346K
Radio-Television-Film: RTC 305, 314, 316
Theater and Dance: T D 301, 317C, 317D

Cultural Expression, Human Experience, and Thought (Liberal Arts)

Three semester hours chosen from approved list.