**UNIVERSITY CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS**

**First-Year Signature Course**

**Requirement: 3 hours**
- T C 302 will fulfill this requirement (Plan II core curriculum requirement)

**Communication & Humanities**

**Requirement: 6 hours**
- T C/E 603A and 603B (World Literature) will fulfill this requirement (Plan II core curriculum requirement)
- 3 hours containing a writing component/flag that are not fulfilling another University core requirement (T C 660HB and some sections of T C 357 can fulfill this requirement)

**American & Texas Government**

**Requirement: 6 hours**
- GOV 310L and 312L or 312P or 312R
- GOV 310L and GOV 3TX (in transfer)
- GOV 310L and GOV 3US (in transfer)
- GOV 3US (in transfer) and GOV 3TX (in transfer)
- AP Government credit may partially fulfill this requirement; students must also pass the Texas Government test to receive full credit for GOV 310L

**American History**

**Requirement: 6 hours**
- Any American History course designated in the Course Schedule as “partially fulfills legislative requirement” will count (HIS 315K, HIS 315L or HIS 3US in transfer)
- 3 of the 6 hours may be in Texas history
- AP American History credit may apply

**Social Science**

**Requirement: 3 hours**
- S S 301 (Plan II Social Science) will fulfill this requirement (Plan II core curriculum requirement)

**Math**

**Requirement:**
- M 310P (Plan II Math) OR M 408C & D OR M 408K, L & M OR M 408N, S, & M (complete Calculus sequence) will fulfill this requirement (Plan II core curriculum requirement)
- AP Calculus credit may partially fulfill this requirement

**Science & Technology – Part 1**

**Requirement: 6 hours in the same discipline**
- Note: All Plan II students must take BIO 301E (Plan II Biology) and PHY 321 (Plan II Physics), or an acceptable substitute (Plan II core curriculum requirements)
- Recommended sequences:
  - BIO 301E and 301D OR BIO 311C and 311D or BIO 315H and BIO 325H (substitute for Plan II Biology; AP Biology credit may apply)
  - PHY 309K and PHY 321
  - AP Chemistry or Physics credit may apply, however students must still meet Plan II Biology & Physics requirements
- A complete list of acceptable science substitutions is available on the Plan II website
- For a complete list of all University core curriculum science options, see Chapter One of the 2010-12 Undergraduate Catalog

**Science & Technology – Part 2**

**Requirement: 3 hours in a discipline different from that used in Part 1**
- If Biology is used to fulfill the above requirement, PHY 321 (or substitute) will fulfill this requirement
- If Physics or Chemistry is used to fulfill the above requirement, BIO 301E (or substitute) will fulfill this requirement
- A complete list of acceptable science substitutions is available on the Plan II website
- For a complete list of all University core curriculum science options, see Chapter One of the 2010-12 Undergraduate Catalog

**Visual & Performing Arts**

**Requirement: 3 hours**
- Must be selected from the following approved courses:
  - American Studies: AMS 330
  - Architecture: ARC 308, 318K, 318L
- Art: ART 320K, 320L
- Core Texts and Ideas: CTI 350, 351
- Fine Arts: F A 310, 320
- Philosophy: PHL 317K, 346
- Radio-Television-Film: RTF 305, 314, 316
- Theatre & Dance: T D 301, 302T, 303
- Visual Arts Studies: VAS 320
  • AP Art History credit may apply

ADDITIONAL PLAN II CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

Logic/Modes of Reasoning

Requirement: 3 hours
  • PHL 313Q (Logic & Scientific Reasoning) or T C 310 (Modes of Reasoning)
  • Counts towards the required 18 hours of Natural Science coursework
  • Architecture, Business Honors, Engineering, Psychology, and Computer Science majors fulfill this requirement with a substitute course required for those degree plans

Philosophy

Requirement: 6 hours
  • PHL 610QA and PHL 610QB (Problems of Knowledge & Valuation)

Non-US History

Requirement: 6 hours
  • Two courses from the same geographic area (Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East)
  • Courses MUST be chosen from approved list (available on the Plan II website)
  • AP European History credit may apply (AP World History credit does not fulfill this requirement)

Fine Arts/Humanities

Requirement: 3 hours
  • 3 hours from the following: Art History, Music History,* Theater & Dance History,* upper-division Classics, upper-division Philosophy, upper-division Humanities, upper-division literature* (*chosen from approved list available on the Plan II website)
  • AP Art History credit may be applied (if not already fulfilling University core curriculum requirement)

Junior Seminar

Requirement: 6 hours
  • T C 357 (two sections taken in separate semesters)
  • Timing of junior seminars can be adjusted to accommodate study abroad

Thesis

Requirement: 6 hours
  • T C 660HA and T C 660HB
  • A two-semester honors thesis offered through another academic department may substitute

ADDITIONAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Liberal Arts Requirements

Requirement: Foreign language
  • Fourth-semester proficiency in a single foreign language (test credit may apply)

Requirement: Additional Natural Science
  • 18 total hours of Natural Science required (9 hours maximum in any one subject)
  • Test credit hours not already fulfilling the above requirements may be applied; see your advisor

University Requirements

Requirement: Substantial Writing Component/ Writing Flag
  • Two courses, one upper division, designated in the Course Schedule as “Contains a substantial writing component” or is identified by the “WR” Writing Flag
  • Plan II students can fulfill this requirement with T C 302 and T C 660HB (and some sections of T C 357 and/or SS 301)

Requirement: 120 minimum hours
  • Test credit or other courses not fulfilling one of the above requirements may apply
  • 36 of the 120 hours must be upper-division
  • Additional hours are required for dual degrees; see Chapter One of the 2010-12 Undergraduate Catalog