### CORE CURRICULUM

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<th>Courses taken at Blinn:</th>
<th>Hours</th>
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<td>ENGL 1301 (ENG 1310)</td>
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<td>SPCH 1315 or 1321 (COMM 1310)</td>
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<td>MATH 1</td>
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<td>Natural Science</td>
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<td>ENGL Literature</td>
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<td>PHIL 1301 or 2306 (PHIL 1305 or 1320)</td>
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<td>Visual and Performing Arts</td>
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<td>HIST 1301, 1302 (HIST 1310 &amp; 1320)</td>
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<td>GOVT 2306, 2305 (POSI 2310 &amp; 2320)</td>
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1. Select one course from the following: MATH 1314, 1316, 1324, 1332, 1333, 1342, 1425, 2318, 2412, 2413, or 2414.
2. Select two science courses from Blinn’s Core Curriculum component area (030) for Natural Science. If both science courses are completed through Blinn then both can be non-laboratory (3-hours each); otherwise one must include a science course with a lab.
3. Select one ENGL course from Blinn’s Core Curriculum component area (040) for Humanities.
4. Select one course from Blinn’s Core Curriculum component area (050) for Visual and Performing Arts.
5. Select course from Blinn’s Core Curriculum component area (080) Social and Behavioral Science.

### OCCUPATIONAL EMPHASIS MODULE (48 semester hours)

This module may be satisfied by credits earned from experiential learning (work/life experience, non-collegiate sponsored instruction, credit by examination), transfer work from other accredited institutions of higher learning, or a comprehensive cooperative education program. OCED 4350 (Occupational Assessment) is the required entry course for this module.

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT MODULE (18 semester hours)

Professional development sequences are individualized to students’ educational needs. Students will choose advanced level courses from at least three academic departments with the assistance of the degree advisor. This module of 18 hours constitutes the major for GPA calculation purposes.

### ELECTIVE MODULE (See note #3 below)

A minimum of 120 hours toward the degree, including 36 advanced hours, must be completed. All additional hours should be chosen in consultation with the Texas State academic advisor.

### NOTES:

1. Any student who did not complete two years of the same foreign language in high school will be required to take 6-8 hours of the same foreign language from an accredited college, which may include American Sign Language.
2. Texas State will apply to a degree up to 66 hours from an accredited community college (6-8 hours may be added with college dean approval).
3. If transferable hours, work life credits, occupational education hours, professional development hours do not meet either the minimum 120 hours and/or the 36 advanced hours then additional courses will be recommended.
4. Upon completion of certain course requirements at Texas State, students may elect to send these hours back to Austin Community College to be applied toward an associate’s degree. This is commonly referred to as “reverse transfer.”
UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

1. Submit completed ApplyTexas Application through www.ApplyTexas.org, $60 application fee, and all credentials to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the stated admission deadline (Fall - July 15, Spring - November 15, Summer I - May 1, Summer II - June 15). (Students who intend to register for OCED 4350 should plan to complete admission process to the university at least 2 months prior to the stated deadline to allow for ample time to complete additional steps required by the Occupational Education Department).

2. Submit an official transcript from each institution attended to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the stated deadline. Students must be eligible to return (e.g., free of suspension, dismissal, or enforced withdrawal) to all previous institutions regardless of grade point average (GPA) or degrees received.

3. A minimum 2.25 grade point average (GPA) in all transferable courses is required.

Send official paperwork to:
Texas State University-San Marcos
Office of Undergraduate Admissions
429 N. Guadalupe
San Marcos, Texas 78666
512/245-2364
www.admissions.txstate.edu/

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Students transferring directly to Texas State University-San Marcos from a community college may elect to follow the Texas State catalog in effect at the time they entered the community college, or any subsequent catalog upon approval of the Dean of their College. Students are reminded to refer to their designated catalog for information relating to the University, College, and/or Departmental requirements for curriculum, graduation, probation/suspension, and other general information.

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Texas State reserves the right to withdraw courses at any time, to change its fees or tuition, calendar, curriculum, degree requirements, graduation procedures, and any other requirements affecting students. Changes will become effective whenever authorities determine and will apply to both prospective students and those already enrolled.