Texas Education Code Section 61.822 requires that Texas public institutions facilitate the transferability of lower-division course credit through the **Core Curriculum**. The **Core Curriculum** contains nine Foundational Component Areas (42 hours), which every Texas State student must satisfy to graduate.

Texas State is a participant in the *Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS)*. Use the TCCNS to find courses you can take at your institution to ensure transfer of credit toward freshman- and sophomore- level degree requirements at Texas State.

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Students will receive core credit at Texas State for any course successfully completed in the Core Curriculum of the sending institution.

**ADDITIONAL LOWER-DIVISION REQUIREMENTS**

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**COMMUNICATION DESIGN ADMITTANCE REQUIREMENTS**

Requirements for admission to the Communication Design program are:

1. A minimum Overall GPA of 2.75
2. A minimum grade of C in ARTF 1301 and ARTF 1302
3. A passing grade of CR in ARTC 2000
4. A minimum grade of B in ARTC 1301
5. A minimum grade of B in ARTC 1302

*A minimum of 3 years of residency at Texas State is required to complete the BFA in Communication Design.*
UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

1. Submit a completed application, all supporting documents, including an official high school transcript and transcript(s) from every institution attended and application fee, to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the stated priority date.

2. Students with 1-29 transferable hours must have a minimum 2.0 GPA in all transferable course work and meet freshman admission standards. Students with 30 or more transferable hours must have a minimum 2.25 GPA in all transferable course work. All students must be eligible to return to all previous institutions and be at least one full semester out of high school.

Students transferring to Texas State from a community college may elect to follow the Texas State Undergraduate Catalog that was in effect at the time they enrolled at their community college. Students may also, with the approval of their College Dean, follow a subsequent catalog. Students are reminded to refer to their designated catalog for information related to University requirements for curriculum, graduation, probation/suspension, and other general information.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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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.

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