The degree requirements below are outlined in the 2020 Undergraduate Catalog and will remain valid through summer 2026.

### INSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS 1-9 Hours
- US 1100: University Seminar (1-Hr Open Elective if Exempt)
- Foreign Language Proficiency [see catalog](#)

### MAJOR SPECIFIC CORE 12 Hours
- **Mathematics (020)**
  - MATH 1315: College Algebra
- **Life and Physical Sciences (030)**
  - Select one pair from:
    - PHYS 1310 + PHYS 1320: Elementary Physics OR
    - PHYS 1360 + PHYS 1370: Dev. of Concepts in Physics
- **Social and Behavioral Sciences (080)**
  - GEO 1310: World Geography
- **Component Area (090)**
  - COMM 1310: Fund. of Human Communication

### GENERAL EDUCATION CORE 30 Hours
- **Communication (010)**
  - ENG 1310: College Writing I
  - ENG 1320: College Writing II
- **Language, Philosophy, and Culture (040)**
  - PHIL 1305: Philosophy & Critical Thinking OR
  - PHIL 1320: Ethics & Society
- **Creative Arts (050)**
  - Select one course from:
    - ART, DAN, MU, or TH 2313: Intro to Fine Arts
- **American History (060)**
  - HIST 1310: History of United States to 1877
  - HIST 1320: History of United States from 1877
- **Government/Political Science (070)**
  - POSI 2310: Principles of American Government
  - POSI 2320: Functions of American Government
- **Component Area (090)**
  - Select one course from:
    - ENG 2310: British Literature before 1785
    - ENG 2320: British Literature after 1785
    - ENG 2330: World Literature before 1600
    - ENG 2340: World Literature after 1600
    - ENG 2359: American Literature before 1865
    - ENG 2360: American Literature after 1865

### MAJOR: Education 56 Hours
- **BIO 1320: Modern Biology I**
- **BIO 1321: Ecology, Evolution and Society**
- **BIO 4402: Earth Science I**
- **BIO 4403: Earth Science II**
- Additional 3-hour or 4-hour BIO course
- **CHEM 1310: Introductory Chem. for Non-Science Majors**
- **PHYS 1340: Astronomy: Solar Systems OR**
  - PHYS 1350: Astronomy: Stars & Galaxies
- **ENG 3303: Technical Writing**
- **ENG 3386: Adolescent Literature**
- **GEO 4340: Fundamental Themes in Geography**
- **HIST 3372: Texas History: A Survey**
- Select one advanced (3*** or 4***) course from:
  - ANTH, ECO, GEO, HIST, POSI, or SOCI
- **MATH 2311: Principles of Mathematics I**
- **MATH 2312: Informal Geometry**
- **MATH 2321: Calculus for Life Science I**
- **MATH 2328: Elementary Statistics**
- **MATH 3315: Modern Geometry**
- **MATH 4302: Principles of Mathematics II**

### EDUCATOR PREPARATION 27 Hours
- **SPED 4344: Educating Students in Mild Disabilities**

### Education Core
- **CI 3310: Public Education in Multicultural Society**
- **CI 3325: Adolescent Growth and Development**

### Field-Based Block One
- **RDG 3315: Assessing Literacy: EC-6**
- **RDG 4310: Content Reading**

### Field-Based Block Two
- **CI 3300: Middle School Curriculum and Instruction**
- **CI 4300: Middle Level Philosophy and Schooling**

### Student Teaching
- **EDST 4680: Student Teaching 4-8**

126 HOURS
The sequencing below reflects course prerequisites that are subject to change each academic year.

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In addition to successful completion of all required coursework, students must satisfy GPA and residency requirements to graduate.