The degree requirements below are outlined in the 2022 Undergraduate Catalog and will remain valid through summer 2028.

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

### PROGRAM-SPECIFIC CORE
6 Hours
- Social and Behavioral Sciences (080)
  - GEO 1310: World Geography
- Component Area (090)
  - COMM 1310: Fundamentals of Human Communication

### GENERAL EDUCATION CORE
30 Hours
- **Communication (010)** – select two from:
  - ENG 1310: College Writing I
  - ENG 1320: College Writing II
  - ENG 1321: Writing for Sustainable Change
- **Mathematics (020)** – select one from:
  - MATH 1312: College Statistics and Algebra
  - MATH 1315: College Algebra
  - MATH 1316: Survey of Contemporary Mathematics
  - MATH 1317: Plane Trigonometry
  - MATH 1319: Mathematics for Business and Economics I
- **Life and Physical Sciences (030)** – select two from:
  - ANTH, BIO, CHEM, GEO, GEOL, PHYS
- **Language, Philosophy, and Culture (040)** – select one from:
  - PHIL 1305: Philosophy & Critical Thinking
  - PHIL 1320: Ethics & Society
  - 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 2371: U.S. Literature: Writing Identities
- **Creative Arts (050)** - select one from:
  - ART, DAN, MU, or TH 2313: Introduction to Fine Arts
- **American History (060)** – select two from:
  - 1st course:
    - HIST 1310: History of United States to 1877
    - HIST 2327: History of Mexican America to 1865
    - HIST 2381: African American History to 1877
  - 2nd course:
    - HIST 1320: History of United States from 1877
    - HIST 2328: History of Mexican America from 1865
    - HIST 2382: African American History from 1877
- **Government/Political Science (070)** – select two from:
  - POSI 2310: Principles of American Government
  - POSI 2320: Functions of American Government
- **Component Area (090)** – select one 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
  - ENG 2371: U.S. Literature: Writing Identities

### MAJOR
66 Hours
- **Select one from:**
  - ANTH 3309: Cultures through Film
  - ANTH 3314: Latin American Cultures
  - ANTH 3324: Mexican American Culture
- **Select one from:**
  - CI 2310: Education for Change
  - CI 2311: Education and Equity in a Diverse Society
  - CI 3325: Adolescents and Society
  - CI 3340: Teaching for Linguistic Diversity
- **Select one from:**
  - ECO 2301: Principles of Economics
  - ECO 2314: Principles of Microeconomics
  - ENG 3303: Technical Writing
  - ENG 3386: Adolescent Literature
  - ENG 3319: The Development of English
  - Advanced English Course (ENG 3*** - 4***)
  - GEO 4340: Fundamental Themes in Geography
  - Advanced Geography Course (GEO 3*** - 4***)
  - HIST 3372: Texas History: A Survey
  - Advanced History Course (HIST 3*** - 4***)
  - MC 3319: Visual Communication
- **Political Science Group II** - select two from:
  - PS 3321, 3322, 3323, 3324, 3325, 3326, 3327, 3328, 4321, 4323, 4324, 4325, 4326, 4327, PA 3316, 3351, or 4362
- **RDG 3312: Reading & Writing Children with Special Needs**
- **RDG 3320: Language & Literacy in Diverse Communities**
- **SPED 4344: Educating Students with Mild Disabilities**
- **Science Elective** – select one from:
  - BIO 1320, CHEM 1310, GEO 2310, GS 2310, GS 3310, PHYS 1340, PHYS 1350, PHYS 1365

### CERTIFICATION
12 Hours
- **Middle Level Field-Based Block**
  - RDG 4310: Content Reading
  - CI 3300: Middle School Curriculum and Instruction
- **Clinical Teaching**
  - EDST 4680: Student Teaching 4-8

This degree program also requires a 2.0 Texas State GPA, 2.75 Overall GPA, 2.25 Major GPA, and 2.0 Minor GPA (if declared) to graduate.
### Core Curriculum
- 030
- 030
- 050
- 060 or 070
- 060 or 070
- GEO 1310
- 090B

### Major
- 1 anthropology course from*: ANTH 3309, 3314, or 3324
- CI 3340* fall | spring
- 1 economics course from*: ECO 2301 or 2314
- ENG 3303*
- ENG 3386*
- ENG 3319*
- Advanced ENG course* (ENG 3--- or 4---)
- GEO 4340* fall | spring
- Advanced GEO course* (GEO 3--- or 4---)
- HIST 3372*
- Advanced HIST course* (HIST 3--- or 4---)
- MC 3319*

- 2 advanced political science courses from*: PS 3321, 3322, 3323, 3324, 3325, 3326, 3327, 3328, 4321, 4323, 4324, 4325, 4326, 4327, PA 3316, 3351, or 4362

### Major (continued)
- RDG 3312* fall
- RDG 3320* fall | spring | summer
- RDG 4330* spring
- SPED 4344*

- 1 science course from*: BIO 1320, CHEM 1310, GEO 2310, GS 2310, GS 3310, PHYS 1340, PHYS 1350, PHYS 1365

### Additional Required Courses
- Use these courses to fill remaining space in your schedule each semester

### Field-Based Block
- RDG 4310* fall | spring
- CI 3300*

### Clinical Teaching
- EDST 4680

### GPA requirements
- GPA restricted (2.75 Overall) | * requires grade of ‘C’ or better | ^ requires grade of ‘B’ or better

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