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ADVISING SERVICES

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Advising Services

Mission Statement

The mission of Advising Services at West Texas A&M University is to provide consistent and holistic academic advising to current and prospective students as well as resources and planning tools for students and faculty. This approach to academic advising supports students' transition to the University and integration into their academic departments and colleges by:

- fostering relationships, personal growth, responsibility, and out-of-class involvement
- assisting with the development and implementation of educational plans consistent with the students' academic, career, and personal goals
- providing accurate information regarding policies, procedures, and resources

In support of WTAMU's mission, Advising Services operates under a student-centered centralized model of advising under which a team of professional full-time academic advisers and part-time faculty advisers are housed in one location, the Student Success Center.

Vision Statement

The Advising Services unit at West Texas A&M University aspires to lead the development of consistent, accurate, and efficient academic advising practices that focus on promoting students' academic progress. Advising Services will continue to adapt to the student population changes and delivery preferences while creating a supportive work environment for its staff.

Core Values

Essential to the Advising Services unit mission fulfillment is to:

- build a cross-trained staff capable of serving all student population
 - develop connections with students, faculty, and staff
 - create a comfortable and safe environment for students
 - serve as a resource for faculty and staff
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The Student Orientation Experience

Admission Requirements

By the numbers, 71% of freshmen applicants are admitted to WTAMU. There are a few requirements applicants must meet:

1. Obtain a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade point average (GPA)
2. Meet one of the following class rank and ACT/SAT requirements:
 - Top 25% with no minimum ACT/SAT score
 - 26%-50% with 18 ACT or 960 SAT
 - 51%-75% with 21 ACT or 1060 SAT
 - 76%-100% with 23 ACT or 1130 SAT

Students who do not meet the class rank + ACT/SAT requirements will be reviewed for admission on a competitive, individual basis, with weighted consideration of class rank and standardized test scores (ACT or SAT).

3. Complete (or have a projected completion of the Distinguished Level of Achievement on the Foundation Plan or Texas Recommended High School Program, or similar college preparatory program.

****Due to current circumstances, students who have graduated with a 3.0 GPA and were unable to complete an entrance exam will be admitted under Individual Approval.*

A one-time-per-degree application fee of \$55 is required for all applicants. Students with an Expected Family Contribution (EFC) on the FAFSA of \$0 are eligible for an application fee waiver. Those students should submit the Student Aid Report (SAR) showing the EFC of \$0.

New Student Orientation ***IMPORTANT UPDATE***

Due to COVID-19, all New Student Orientations (NSO) have been moved from summer sessions to an alternative format including online components, class registration, and an in-person component in August. This is a four step process and includes;

Step One: Complete the Pre-Orientation when registering for NSO

Step Two: Complete the Advising online module

Step Three: Advising Appointment and Registration

Step Four: Attend the mandatory in-person event in August

A \$75 orientation fee will cover all costs associated with orientation and will be placed on the fall semester tuition bill.

Transfer Student Orientation

Note: 2020 May TSO has been cancelled

Transfer Student Orientation (TSO) is required for all new transfer students and must be completed prior to registration for their first semester of classes at WT. Students can choose to attend a one-day in-person TSO or complete an online TSO. TSO prepares students who have previously been enrolled at another institution and have received a minimum of twelve academic hours to be successful at WTAMU. All transfer students pay a \$75 fee for orientation which is applied to the bill for the student's first long semester. Guests can attend the in-person orientation for a \$25 fee.

Buff Branding

Buff Branding is the second part of the orientation experience. Buff Branding events are designed to help minimize nervousness and anxiety, to make certain students understand the expectations associated with the academic experience, and to officially "brand" them as members of the buffalo family. The dates for Buff Branding 2020 are August 20-22.

2020 New Student Orientation Registration Form

Time of Check-In

West Texas A&M University

Advising Pager



1 Student Information
Buffalo Thunder
0123456

Major

Cell Phone () -

Earned Early College Credit		Currently Enrolled Courses
2019FA HIST*1301 TR A	2019FA THRE*1310 TR B	
Credit Hours Earned/ Institution		
6.00-CLOVIS COMM COLLEGE		

TSI Status and TSI Assessment Scores			
	Status	Date	Score
Reading	Complete	9/15/2019	
Writing	Complete	9/15/2019	
Math	Not Complete	9/15/2019	331



High School	
Rank	18/38
GPA	3.220
Special Population	



Highest Standardized Test Scores	
ACT Composite	20
ACT Math	18
ACT English	22
SAT Composite	
SAT Math	
SAT Verbal	

Suggested Courses					
Dept.	Course	Section	Credits	Priority	Alt.
IDS	1071		1	Suggested	
MATH***				Math-Required	

Additional Notes:

Adviser: _____



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Auditor's Initials: _____ Final Major Verified: Yes No Change _____



Student Information

Need to verify:

1. Student name vs. preferred name
2. Cell phone number
3. Major



Earned Credit and Currently Enrolled Courses

Earned Early College Credit	Currently Enrolled Courses
2019FA HIST*1301 TR A 2019FA THRE*1310 TR B	2020FA HNRS*2171 N 2020FA HNRS*2073 N
Credit Hours Earned/ Institution	
6.00-CLOVIS COMM COLLEGE	

American College or Scholastic Aptitude Test (ACT/SAT)

Students may earn credit by examination for satisfactory scores on the American College Test (ACT) or the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), College Board Advanced Placement Examinations (AP), College Level Examination Program (CLEP) and subject tests and challenge examinations. Credit is placed on the transcript the first semester the student enrolls at WTAMU. Credit by examination is exactly the same as successfully passing the equivalent WTAMU course. A letter grade of “S” is assigned if the student achieves the required scores; this grade does not figure into grade point averages. College credit may be obtained for the following courses and scores.

Course	ACT	SAT
ENGL 1301	28	620 610*
MATH 1314	24	560 580*
Placement in Math 2413	27+	620 + prior to 2016 *640 + 2016 and after

*Redesigned SAT

International Baccalaureate

West Texas A&M University recognizes credit for international baccalaureate scores. With a minimum exam score of four in each subject area, WTAMU will grant 24-semester hours of college credit to entering freshmen who have successfully completed the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program. Non-IB diploma holders with appropriate higher-level scores will have their courses evaluated for credit eligibility. Credit determinations are made on an individual basis.

IB Examination	Score	WTAMU Course	Credit Hours
Biology SL	4+	BIOL 1406	4
Biology HL	4+	BIOL 1406, 1407	8
Chemistry SL	4+	CHEM 1411	4
Chemistry HL	4+	CHEM 1411, 1412	8
Economics SL	4+	ECON 2301	3
Economics HL	4+	ECON 2301,2302	6
English SL or HL	4+	ENGL 1301, 1302	6
French SL or HL	4+	FREN 1411, 1412	8
German SL or HL	4+	GERM 1411, 1412	8
History SL or HL	4+	HIST 1000, 2000	6
Music SL or HL	4+	MUSI 1306	3
Mathematical Studies SL	4+	MATH 1332	3
Mathematics SL	4+	MATH 1314	3
Mathematics HL	4+	MATH 2413	4
Philosophy	4+	PHIL 1301	3
Physics SL	4+	PHYS 1401	4
Physics HL	4+	PHYS 1401, 1402	8
Psychology SL or HL	4+	PSYC 2301	3
Social and Cultural Anthropology	4+	ANTH 2351	3
Spanish SL or HL	4+	SPAN 1411, 1412	8
Theater Arts SL or HL	4+	THRE 1310	3

College Level Examination Program (CLEP)

The College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) is the most widely accepted credit-by-examination program in the nation. With CLEP, a student can earn college credit for what he or she already knows, regardless of where or how that knowledge was acquired, by passing a 90-minute, multiple-choice CLEP subject exam. Credit by examination policies include:

- Credit by examination must have prior approval by the appropriate academic dean
- Credit by examination is exactly the same as having successfully passed the equivalent WTAMU course. A letter grade of "S" is assigned if the student achieves the required score. The course doesn't figure into the student's GPA
- The student is responsible for completing the tests for lower level courses in sufficient time to qualify for enrollment in higher-level courses. Be aware that the process of awarding CLEP credit/s to your transcript is not immediate and can take up to two months to occur
- Credit by examination may be used to satisfy only 6 of the last 30 hours counted towards a degree
- Six hours of appropriate science credit by examination may be used to satisfy the laboratory science requirement. (Does not satisfy the 12-hour elementary education requirement)
- If a student fails to pass a CLEP test, the test may be retaken after a three-month waiting period
- Credit will not be awarded until the student has successfully completed one fall or spring semester at WTAMU
- WTAMU does not accept the general exams of CLEP. No essays are required
- Credit by examination may not be earned for courses in which a student received a grade, including an "I"

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CLEP Subject Exam (WTAMU Course)	Hours of Credit	Core Area***	Required Score
American Government (<u>POSC 2305</u>)	3	70	50
Accounting, Introductory (<u>ACCT 2301, ACCT 2302</u>)	6		50
American History II (<u>HIST 1302</u>)	3	60	50
American History I (<u>HIST 1301</u>)	3	60	50
American Literature (<u>ENGL 3360</u>)	6	40	50
Biology (<u>BIOL 1406, BIOL 1407</u>)	8	30	50
Business Law, Introductory (<u>BUSI 3312</u>)	3		50
Calculus with Elementary Functions (<u>MATH 2413, MATH 2414</u>)	8	20	50
Chemistry, General (<u>CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412</u>)	8	30	50
College Algebra (<u>MATH 1314</u>)	3	20	50
College French, Levels I and II (<u>FREN 1411, FREN 1412</u>)	8		50
College German, Levels I and II (<u>GERM 1411, GERM 1412</u>)	8		50
College Spanish (<u>SPAN 1411, SPAN 1412</u>)	8		50
English Literature (<u>ENGL 2332, 2333</u>)	6	40	50
Freshman College Composition (<u>ENGL 1301</u>)	3	10	50
Human Growth and Development (<u>PSYC 2314</u>)	3		50
Information Systems/Computer Applications (<u>CIDM 1301</u>)	3	90	50
Macroeconomics, Principles of (<u>ECON 2301</u>)	3	80	50
Management, Principles of (<u>MGT 3330</u>)	3		50
Marketing, Principles of (<u>MKT 3340</u>)	3		50
Microeconomics, Principles of (<u>ECON 2302</u>)	3	80	50
Psychology, Introductory (<u>PSYC 2301</u>)	3	80	50
Pre-Calculus (<u>MATH 2412</u>)	3	20	50
Sociology, Introductory (<u>SOCI 1301</u>)	3	80	50
Western Civilization I (<u>HIST 2311</u>)	3	40	50

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Advanced Placement

Advanced Placement (AP) exam credit may be granted for specific subjects and scores.

- If courses are not listed, WTAMU does not accept scores for those courses
- Students will need College Board account username and password. The website to retrieve scores is apcentral.collegeboard.org
- AP scores are available in July

*Lecture and Lab credits are awarded.

Subject	Credit	Minimum
Studio Art/Drawing	ARTS 1316	3
Art History	ARTS 1303	3
General Biology	BIOL 1406*	3
General Biology	BIOL 1406*, 1407*	4
Calculus AB	MATH 2412, 2413	3
Calculus BC	MATH 2412, 2413	3
Chemistry	CHEM 1411*	3
Chemistry	CHEM 1411*, 1412*	4
Computer Science A	CIDM 1315	3
Computer Science A	CS 1315, 2315	4
Computer Science Principles	CS 1301	3
Economics (Macro)	ECON 2301	3
Economics (Micro)	ECON 2302	3
English Language/Literature	ENGL 1301	3
English Language/Literature	ENGL 1301, 1302	4
Environmental Science	ENVR 1407	3
French	FREN 1411*	3
French	FREN 1411*, 1412*	4
Human Geography	GEOG 1302	3
German	GERM 1411*	3
German	GERM 1411*, 1412*	4
Comparative Government & Politics	POSC 2000	3
Government	POSC 2305	3
European History	HIST 2311	3
U.S. History	HIST 1301, 1302	3
World History	HIST 2321 or 2322	3
Japanese Language & Culture	JAPN 1411	3
Japanese Language & Culture	JAPN 1411, JAPN 1412	4

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Music	MUSI 1311	3
Music	MUSI 1311, 1312	5
Physics 1	PHYS 1401*, 1402*	3
Physics 2	PHYS 2425*, 2426*	3
Physics B	PHYS 1401*, 1402*	3
Physics C	PHYS 2425*, 2426*	3
Psychology	PSYC 2301	3
Spanish Language	SPAN 1411*, 1412*	3
Spanish Language	SPAN 1411*, 1412*, 2311	4
Spanish Language	SPAN 1411*, 1412*, 2311, 2312	5
Spanish Literature/Culture	SPAN 1411*, 1412*	3
Spanish Literature/Culture	SPAN 1411*, 1412*, 2311	4
Spanish Literature/Culture	SPAN 1411*, 1412*, 2311, 2312	5
Statistics	CIDM 2342	3



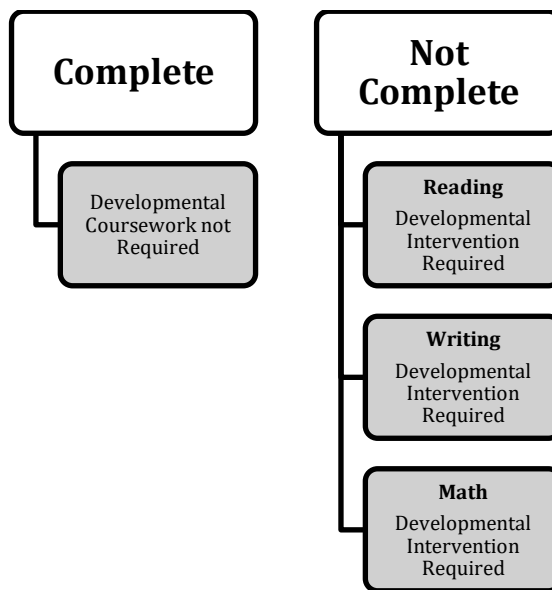
Texas Success Initiative (TSI)

TSI Status and TSI Assessment Scores			
	<i>Status</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Score</i>
<i>Reading</i>	Complete	9/15/2019	
<i>Writing</i>	Complete	9/15/2019	
<i>Math</i>	Not Complete	9/15/2019	331

The Texas Success Initiative is a state-legislated program designed to improve student success in college. There are two components of the program:

1. An assessment to diagnose students’ basic skills in reading, mathematics, and writing
2. Developmental instruction to strengthen academic skills that need improvement

TSI Complete (C) vs. Not Complete (NC)



TSI Exemptions

A student may be exempt from meeting Texas Success Initiative standards by meeting one of the following:

ACT	Composite score of 23 or higher with at least a 19 on both English and Math sections. Scores must be no older than 5 years.
SAT (Prior to March 2016)	Combined critical reading and math score of 1070 with a minimum of 500 on both the Critical Reading and Math test. Scores must be no older than 5 years.
SAT (After March 2016)	Minimum score of 530 on the mathematics section is exempt for the mathematics section of the TSI Assessment. Minimum score of 480 on the Evidence-Based Reading and Writing (EBRW) test is exempt for both reading and writing sections of the TSI Assessment. There is no combined score required.
TAKS	Minimum score of 2200 on both the English and/or Math sections with at least a 3 on the writing component of Grade 11 TAKS (for a period of 5 years from the date of testing).
STAAR End-of-Course	Minimum score of Level 2 (4000) on the English III and a minimum score of Level II (4000) on the Algebra II. Scores must be no older than 5 years.
Military	Veterans who have been honorably discharged or active duty personnel who has been serving for at least 3 years preceding enrollment.
Transfer	Transfer from a private or independent institution or an accredited out-of-state institution and has satisfactory completed college-level coursework as determined by the receiving institution.

Terminology

Developmental course (ENGL 0302, MATH 0302). Non-degree-credit coursework and/or activity designed to address a student's strengths and needs in the areas of reading, writing, integrated reading and writing (IRW), mathematics, and student success.

Non-Course Based Options (NCBO). Interventions that use learning approaches designed to address a student's identified weaknesses and effectively and efficiently prepare the student for college-level work. These interventions must be overseen by an instructor of record, must not fit traditional course frameworks, and cannot include advising or learning support activities already connected to a traditional course; interventions may include, but are not limited to, tutoring, supplemental instruction, or labs.

Course Pairings. Non-course based review paired with a credit-bearing course. Students will be provided with a review in the area of concern and supplemental support in a college-level course which has been selected to assist the student develop the appropriate skills.



Special Populations

Special Population
BUFF BRIDGE

Attebury Honors Program

Membership requirements for incoming freshmen are

- ACT composite of 26 or higher or
- SAT (math + critical thinking) of 1270 or greater

Honors only opportunities:

- enrollment in small size, discussion based honors seminar and core courses
- faculty led courses with embedded international travel components
- priority registration
- mentoring by *faculty and staff* throughout the undergraduate experience
- peer mentoring during the freshman 1st semester by upper level Honors students
- support for engagement in research conferences, internships, and study abroad
- Eligibility for an honors only residence hall

There are no additional tuition costs incurred by students desiring to participate in the Honors Program.

2020 Fall Honors Courses;

Chem 1411-45 TTH 9:30 AM – 10:45 AM
 Biol 1406-45 MW 11:00 AM – 12:15 PM
 Math 2413-45 M-Thursday 11:00 AM – 11:50 AM
 Engl 2343-45 TTH 1:30 PM – 2:45 PM
 Comm 1318-45 MW 1:30 PM – 2:45 PM

Buff Bridge

Buff Bridge is designed for students who may need additional support on their college journey. It especially benefits first-generation students, students from under-represented populations and those who may or may not meet admission requirements for acceptance into WTAMU. Occurring during the Fall Semester, students accepted into the program will enroll in 12 hours of predetermined coursework designed to enhance their initial experience by immersing them into college culture and identifying college coursework expectations. Coursework will include IDS 1071 (3 hours credit) which is designed to help students develop the skills necessary to succeed in college, enhance leadership skills, and explore the various pathways to career development, as well as three required core or developmental classes (to be determined as a result of TSI scores). If chosen to participate in the program, students will work closely with faculty, staff, and peer mentors to create academic and personal goals to meet the challenges of university life and be better prepared for the fall semester.

Program for System Admission (PSA)

Some students who have been denied freshman admission to Texas A&M University are given the opportunity to participate in the Program for System Admission (PSA). Students must complete a full year at one of the participating Texas A&M University System Institutions and successfully complete the requirements below of a selected program:

1. Must have a complete freshman application for the fall semester on file with the Office of Admissions at Texas A&M University in College Station by December
2. Must meet the minimum requirements for admission to the Texas A&M System Institution they wish to attend
3. Must respond to the PSA offer via the Applicant Information System (AIS) by May 1

To qualify for automatic admission via the PSA, students must meet the following criteria:

1. Choose and complete specific course requirements from one of the approved TAMU program-specific degree plans
2. Complete at least 24 transferable hours in residence at a single System Institution during the fall and spring semesters
3. Maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA at the System Institution AND maintain a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA on all transferable coursework (including dual credit taken during high school). **Note:** Engineering applicants must maintain a 3.25 system institution GPA and a 3.0 overall to guarantee admission
4. Submit all required credentials by the published deadline.

It is recommended that developmental course(s) and/or prerequisite course(s) be taken prior to fall enrollment. Example: Some institutions require College Algebra before enrolling in higher level math courses.

Important Facts: Advising Student-Athletes

1. A Student-Athlete **MUST** be enrolled full-time in each long semester, to be eligible to practice or compete.
 - a. Full-time is 12 hours for an undergrad; 9 hours for a graduate student
 - b. The only exception is a senior in their last semester needing less than 12 to graduate.
 - c. Developmental courses do count toward the 12 hours, but only for freshmen
2. A Student-Athlete must earn 24 hours over the course of the academic year (Or a 12-hour average for each long semester of enrollment their first four semesters at WT). All 24 hours must count toward their chosen degree plan.
 - a. Freshman Year: First two semesters of college enrollment every class counts towards the 24, *including developmental*.
 - b. The third and fourth semesters: Every class counts towards the 24, *except developmental*.
 - c. Start of the fifth semester: The Student-Athlete must file for an official degree plan online (<http://wtamu.edu/>), and only classes on the degree plan, with acceptable grades, will count towards degree progress.
 - d. Only 6 hours toward a minor can be counted each long semester.
3. Student-Athletes must meet the 75%/25% rule, meaning that 75% of hours earned must be during long semesters (spring and fall).
 - a. In one academic year, a minimum of 18 hours must be earned between fall and spring, with a maximum of 6 hours from the summer.
4. Winter Intersession is separate from both Fall and Spring but may count as part of the 18 hours needed. Spring Intersession hours are included as Summer.
5. Student-Athletes must pass at least 9 hours in the long semester prior to participation. All sports may compete during both fall and spring (“in-season” and “off-season”).
6. CHANGING MAJORS:
 - a. Will only affect progression after the fourth semester when a degree plan is required.
 - b. All credit earned before the change must apply to the old plan.
 - c. All credit taken after the change must apply to the new plan.
 - d. A student-athlete cannot change majors to allow courses already taken to be counted.
 - e. A program change during a semester will not go into effect until the next semester.



Core 90

Suggested Courses					
Dept.	Course	Section	Credits	Priority	Alt.
IDS	1071		1	Suggest	

AGRI 2300- Personal and Professional Leadership Development

Introduction to the principles and practices of personal and professional leadership. Course will focus on the styles and roles of leadership with an emphasis on self-awareness, awareness of others, effective interpersonal communication, ethical consideration for leaders, and the building of personal and professional relationships.

BUSI 1304- Business Communication

Relationship of creative, logical and critical thought to problem-solving aspects of business communication designed to build and develop effective letters and reports.

CIDM 1105- Computer Literacy

Introduction of computing concepts and overview of related information technologies. Exploration of software applications, and their uses and impact on society and enterprises. Hands-on experience with applications software to show students how digital technologies are used in professional environments.

CIDM 1301- Introduction to Information Science

Beginning course emphasizing use of productivity software to develop technological skills for the Information Age. Focuses on enhancing personal productivity and communication through effective retrieval, evaluation, synthesis and presentation of information from the Internet and other sources.

CIDM 1315- Programming Fundamentals

Introduces fundamental concepts of web-oriented, structured and procedural programming. Topics include HTML, XHTML, CSS and client-side programming. Programming topics include data types, control structures, functions, arrays, an introduction to running, testing and debugging. Introduces the presentation and usability of web interfaces.

CS 1301- Introduction to Computer Science

A breadth-first and comprehensive introduction to computer science, including algorithmic problem solving, data representation and abstraction, operating systems, programming languages, software engineering, graphics, database systems, artificial intelligence and theory of computation. Social, legal and ethical implications are considered concurrently with course topics and computing in general.

ENGL 1101- Introduction to Literature and Language

Intensive introduction to some specific aspect of either literature and/or language studies. Focus will vary by offering. Possible topics range from canonical literary masterpieces to aspects of contemporary culture. May be repeated for credit with topics vary. Cannot count for English BA requirement.

ENGL 1102 – Fundamentals of College Writing

Provides students with the fundamentals of college writing to supplement common core writing requirements or to prepare students for writing in various college programs. Will focus on a unique topic each term. May be repeated for credit with different course focus. Cannot count for English B.A. degree.

ENGL 1302- Academic Writing and Research

Prerequisite(s): ENGL 1301. Course builds on topics introduced in WTAMU's ENGL 1301-fundamentals of rhetoric, rhetorical grammar, plagiarism and academic integrity-and explores claim types, the research process and documentation.

ENGL 2311- Introduction to Professional and Technical Communication

Prerequisite(s): ENGL 1301. Introduction to rhetorical techniques associated with workplace correspondence. Students prepare materials in the general areas of correspondence, short reports, instructions and descriptions.

IDS 1071- Elementary Group Dynamics

Broad interdisciplinary introduction (with contributions from psychology, anthropology, linguistics, mass communications and speech communication) to a communication model effective for problem solving in group situations. Course will develop communication and problem-solving skills through the context of college success. With this communication focus, students will develop a set of problem-solving skills and experiences to ensure academic and professional success.

PHIL 2303- Logic

Introduction to logic emphasizing analysis, construction and critique of arguments.

MUSI 1053- Behind the Score with the Amarillo Symphony

Behind the Score with the Amarillo Symphony introduces students to the symphony as a cultural institution and the musical styles and genres performed on its stage. No previous musical experience is necessary.

SES 1120- Health and Wellness for Life

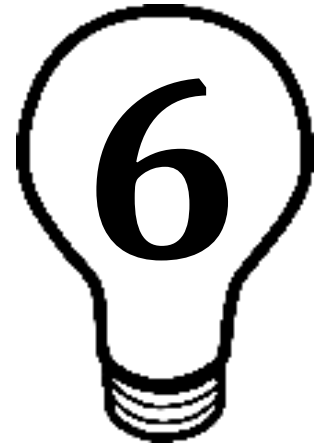
Increase student awareness of health and wellness factors, such as health promotion, physical fitness basics, nutritional principles, weight management, mental health and stress management, infections and chronic diseases, and substance abuse. The class includes activities that foster critical thinking, communication, empirical and quantitative skills, and social responsibility.

The fourth hour (if applicable) from courses taken in core 20 and/or core 30 will also be applied in this category.

Core Curriculum

University core curriculum requirements apply to all baccalaureate degrees and are intended to provide students with the basis for establishing broad and multiple perspectives of the individual in relation to the larger society and world in which he or she lives. The core curriculum is predicated on the belief that basic intellectual competence in reading, writing, speaking, listening and critical thinking is essential to the learning process in any discipline. The West Texas A&M University core curriculum has been approved by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board and aligns with the description of at least one Foundational Component Area (FCA) and Core Objectives. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core-curriculum requirements when options are available.

West Texas A&M University Core Curriculum 2019-2020			
Component Area	Code	WTAMU Core Curriculum	Hours
Communication	10	ENGL 1301	6
		COMM 1315, or COMM 1318, or COMM 1321	
Mathematics	20	MATH 1314;; MATH 1316; MATH 1324; MATH 1325; MATH 1332; MATH 1342; MATH 1350; MATH 2412; MATH 2413 (extra hour of MATH courses move to Code 90)	3
Life and Physical Sciences	30	ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or BIOL 1408; BIOL 1407 or BIOL 1409; BIOL 1411; BIOL 1413; CHEM 1405 or CHEM 1411; CHEM 1412; ENVR 1407; GEOL 1401 or GEOL 1403; GEOL 1402; GEOL 1404; PHYS 1401; PHYS 1402; PHYS 1411; PHYS 1412; PHYS 1471; PHYS 2425; PHYS 2426; PHYS 2471 PSES 1301; PSES 1307 (extra lab hours move to Code 90)	6
Language, Philosophy and Culture	40	ANTH 2351; ENGL 2321; ENGL 2326; ENGL 2331; ENGL 2341; ENGL 2343; HIST 2311; HIST 2323; HIST 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301; PHIL 2374; SPAN 2311; SPAN 2312 [or an equivalent course (second year or intermediate level) in a foreign language]; SPAN 2313; SPAN 2315; SPAN 2371	3
Creative Arts	50	ARST 1301; ARTS 1303; ARTS 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306; MUSI 1307; MUSI 1310; THRE 1310	3
American History	60	HIST 1301; HIST 1302; HIST 2301; HIST 2381	6
Government/Political Science	70	POSC 2305 and POSC 2306	6
Social and Behavioral Sciences	80	AGBE 2317; COMM 2377; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301; ECON 2302; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301	3
Component Area Option	90	AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Code 30); BUSI 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Code 30);CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or CIDM 1315; CS 1301; ENGL 1101, 1102; ENGL 1302; ENGL 2311; ENVR lab hour (from Code 30); GEOL lab hours (from Code 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 HOURS); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Code 30); Extra MATH hours (from Code 20); SES 1120	6
Total Core Curriculum Requirements			42



Suggested Courses

Suggested Courses					
Dept.	Course	Section	Credits	Priority	Alt.
IDS	1071		1	Suggest	

Degree Checklist

A degree checklist is a list of all courses required for a specific degree for a specific catalog year. All degree checklists are updated each year to reflect any changes to the requirements for the major and/or the University core.

Important information that is (or may be) included on degree checklists:

- Catalog year
- Name of the major
 - Option, Emphasis, Concentration, Track, etc. (if options are available)
- The “name” of the program in the system (e.g. BBA.GEN.BUS) and the degree code number
- Type of degree (B.A., B.S., B.B.A., etc.)
- Department contact information
- University core courses that are specifically required
- Prerequisites (i.e. whether a course has a prerequisite)

- Minimum GPA and grade requirements
- Program pre-admission requirements (if applicable)
- Instructions for applying for an official degree plan

The checklist simply lists the required courses; it does not indicate the order in which to take them.

Curriculum Guide

Unlike degree checklists, curriculum guides show **a sample** of the order in which courses can or should be taken. They are of critical importance in helping students to plan the courses they need to take.

Curriculum guides **do**:

- Highlight the major-specific courses that should be taken early
- Indicate when certain courses are typically offered

They do **not necessarily**:

- Show the exact order in which courses **must** be taken
- Have a rationale in the ordering of University core courses (except for those that are major-specific)

They absolutely **do not**:

- Take the place of an adviser

Requirements for Baccalaureate Degrees

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Every bachelor's degree awarded by the University requires:

- A minimum of 120 semester hours of credit
- Completion of West Texas A&M University core curriculum (general education curriculum)
- At least 39 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU
- 30 of the final 36 hours counted toward the degree must be earned at WTAMU
- Achievement of at least a "C" (2.0) average in all WTAMU course work offered toward a degree; at least a "C" grade in major requirements listed in degree plans and at least a "C" grade in all hours in the student's major subject

Additional Requirements for Bachelor of Arts and Science Degrees

For the Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) degree, the student must complete, in addition to the core curriculum, a minimum of 12 hours as follows:

- Six hours of foreign language
- Six hours chosen from art, English, history, modern languages, music, philosophy and theatre

For the Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree, the student must complete, in addition to the core curriculum, a minimum of 12 hours as follows:

- Six hours chosen from biology, chemistry, geology, geosciences, mathematics, physics and natural sciences
- Six hours chosen from agricultural business and economics; agriculture; animal science; anthropology; biology; biotechnology; chemistry; civil engineering; communication disorders; communication studies; computer information and decision management; computer science; criminal justice; economics; engineering; engineering technology; English (ENGL 2311, ENGL 2372, ENGL 3304, ENGL 3305, ENGL 4304 and ENGL 4305); environmental science; geography; geology; geosciences; history; mass communications; mathematics; mathematics and physical science; mechanical engineering; nursing; physics; plant, soil and environmental science; political science; psychology; sociology; and sports and exercise sciences

Academic Minors

For all bachelor of arts/bachelor of science/bachelor of business administration/bachelor of applied arts and sciences degrees other than majors that lead to teacher certification, a student may request a minor in consultation with the appropriate department head/advisor. Minors must consist of 18 semester hours, at least nine of which are advanced and at least three hour of which are in residence. A minor does not have to be in the same degree; for example, a student could be pursuing a B.S. in Biology and have a minor in English (which is a B.A. degree).

Note: Some minors have specified courses to satisfy requirements.

Double or Second Major

While completing a baccalaureate degree at WTAMU, a student may fulfill requirements for two majors if both majors are offered within one degree (for example, bachelor of arts degree with majors in English and Spanish, or bachelor of science degree with majors in chemistry and physics) and if neither major specifically prohibits students from having an additional major.



Notes

Add notes to Student Planning in the following format:

- 1- NSO/TSO
- 2- Current major
- 3- Special Population (if applicable)
- 4- Suggested courses
- 5- Alternate courses (if applicable)

Send additional noteworthy information to advisingservices@wtamu.edu

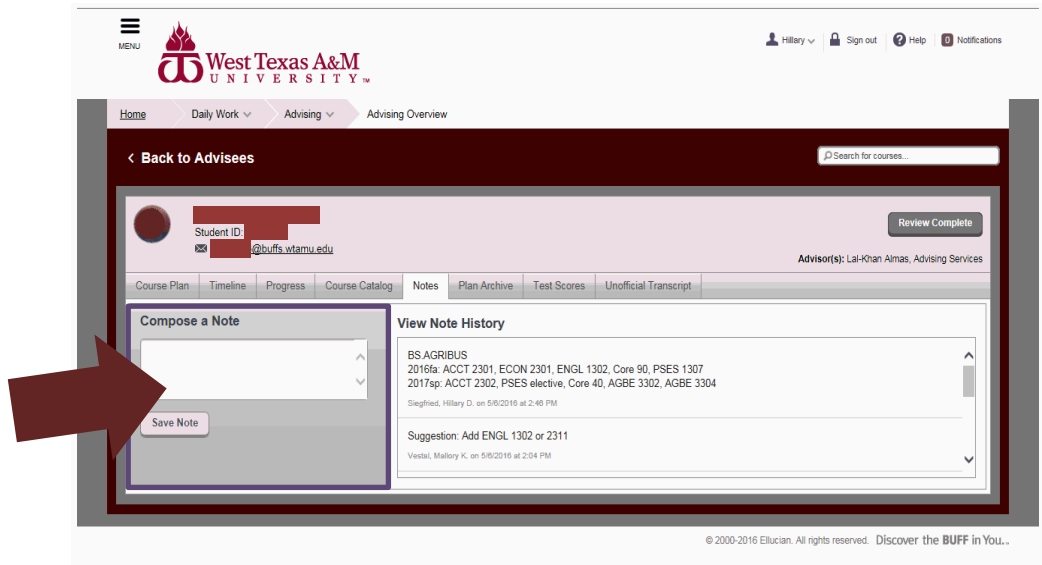
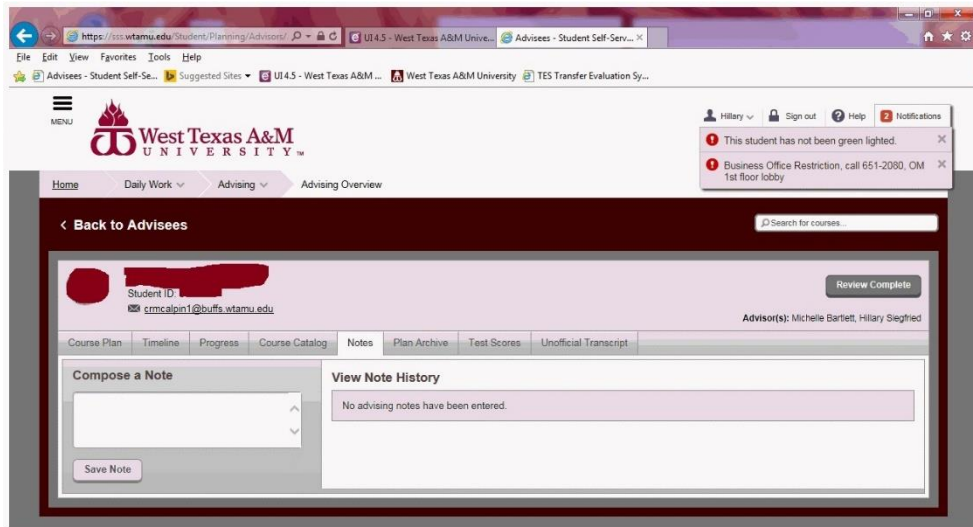
Additional noteworthy student information may include excessive work plan, commuter status, online-only, special requests, etc.

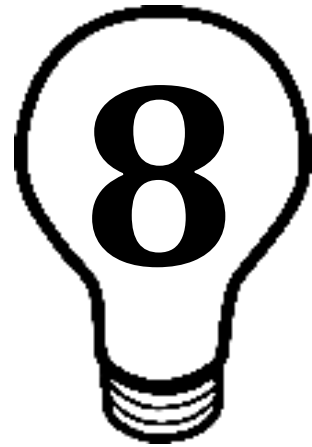
Adding Notes to Student Planning

The screenshot shows the Buff Advisor homepage. At the top left is the Buff Advisor logo. The navigation bar includes links for LOG OUT, MAIN MENU, WT HOME PAGE, and CONTACT US. The main content area contains a welcome message and several sections: NEW Program Evaluation and Student Planning, Parent Access to Buff Advisor Info, WAITLISTING INFORMATION, and ALL students need to login to their courses on WTclass. A navigation menu is overlaid on the right side of the page, listing Students, Faculty, Parents, Vendors, Staff, and Continuing Education. The Faculty option is highlighted with a blue box. A large red arrow points from the Faculty box in the overlay down to the Faculty Menu in the second screenshot.

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Degree Information Form

<https://apps.wtamu.edu/degree-information/>

Who needs to complete the Degree Information Form?

Every student!

Where do they need to complete the form?

At New or Transfer Student Orientation!

When do they need to complete the form?

While they are with you!

Or

If advising is completed through zoom and/or phone, fill out the form electronically.

Why do they need to complete the form?

So the correct major and catalog year is in the system for the student!



Legislation to Consider

150% Rule for Federal Financial Aid

Students who have not received a bachelor's degree but have attempted 150% of the hours required to receive a degree will no longer be eligible for Federal Financial Aid. This is a federal requirement meant to limit a student attempting excess credit hours without making progress to completing a degree.

6 Drop Limit

The 80th Texas Legislature passed SB 1231 in Spring 2007, which added section 51.907–limitations on the number of courses that may be dropped under certain circumstances - to the Texas Education Code. The legislation states that “an institution of higher education may not permit an undergraduate student a total of more than six dropped courses, including any course a transfer student dropped at another (public) institution of higher education” in Texas with certain stipulations and exceptions. This legislation impacts students enrolling as entering freshmen or first-time-in-college (FTIC) students during Fall 2007 or any subsequent semester.

Excessive Undergraduate Hours (30/45 hour rules)

The state of Texas will not provide funds to state institutions of higher education for excess semester credit hours attempted by a resident student. Because funding will not be provided by the state, and as permitted by state law, West Texas A&M University will charge tuition at the non-resident rate to all students who exceed the semester credit hour limit for their program. Excess credit hours are those which accrue after the student exceeds the allowable number of semester credit hours required for completion of the degree program in which the student is enrolled. Students may accumulate up to the allowable hours beyond the degree requirements and not exceed the limitation. Allowable excess credit hours beyond degree requirements are:

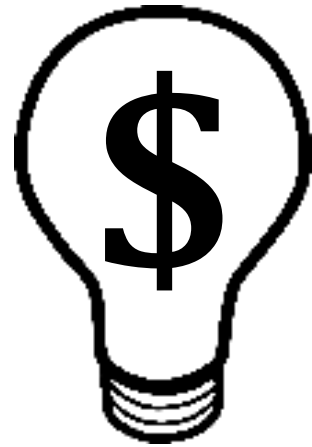
1. For students who began fall 1999 through summer 2006, 45 semester credit hours.
2. For students who began fall 2006 and after, 30 semester credit hours.

Repeated Courses

Students are charged a fee (\$106 per semester credit hour above regulation tuition) for any course attempted for a third or subsequent time at WTAMU other than a non-degree credit developmental course or exempted courses. Courses exempted from the fee include thesis or dissertation courses, approved repeatable courses, independent study or special topics courses where the content is different each time, continuing education courses taken to retain professional certification.

Tuition Rebate

The purpose of the Tuition Rebate Program is to provide rebates of up to \$1000 as a financial incentive for students to complete their baccalaureate studies with as few extra courses as possible. The program is available for Texas resident students who have enrolled for the first time in an institution of higher education since 1997. To be eligible, the student must graduate in 4 years if their first enrollment was fall 2005 or later; be working on a first baccalaureate degree; have been a resident of Texas eligible to pay Texas resident tuition; have attempted no more than 3 hours in excess of those required for their degree; request consideration for the rebate at the time they apply for graduation by submitting the Tuition Rebate Application (found on the Registrar website as a part of the graduation application).



Financial Aid & Scholarship Requirements

Scholarship Requirements

- 30 hours per academic year with a 3.3 GPA earned at WTAMU
 - Calculated at the end of the semester.

Financial Aid Satisfactory Progress

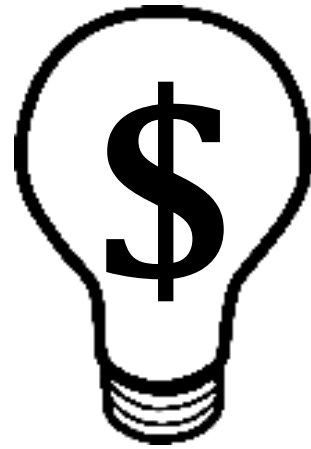
- 2.0 GPA and 75% completion of attempted hours
 - Calculated at the end of the Spring semester

Refunds

If a student withdraws during a fall or spring semester, or a summer term of 10 weeks or longer, the reversal of mandatory tuition and fee charges from the student bill are as follows:

(A) prior to the first class day	100 percent (less \$15.00 matriculation fee)
(B) during the first five class days	80 percent
(C) during the second five class days	70 percent
(D) during the third five class days	50 percent
(E) during the fourth five class days	25 percent
(F) after the fourth five class days	None

Note: The first payment deadline for students who are registered on or before August 16th is Tuesday, August 18th. Students who have NOT made a payment by August 18th will have their schedule deleted.



Guaranteed Cost of Attendance and One Year Cost of Attendance

WTAMU has implemented a guaranteed cost of attendance plan and a one year cost of attendance plan for eligible undergraduate students to choose from. The guaranteed plan locks in tuition and fees at the current year rate for four years, (48 consecutive months). Knowing that tuition and mandatory fees are guaranteed offers students and parents an amazing tool in planning for the cost of attendance. Families can plan for four years of tuition and mandatory fees with confidence. Plus, the guaranteed plan provides an incentive for students to graduate on time to save money.

Please be advised: The following items are not part of the guaranteed cost of attendance plan:

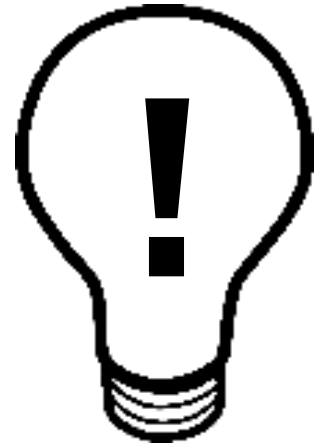
- **Statutory Tuition**- Set by the Texas Legislature. Although the rate for Texas residents has not changed for more than ten years, a new rate could be set each year.
- **Education Accreditation Fee**- Applicable for all declared education preparatory majors.
- **Social Work Accreditation Fee**- Applicable for all declared social work majors.
- **Music and Voice Program Enhancement Fees**- Applicable for all declared music majors, and students enrolled in 2+ hours of vocal instruction
- **Undergraduate Academic Enhancement Fee**- Applicable for all undergraduate students who are not declared in degree programs with additional differential tuition, or accreditation or enhancement fees.
- **On Campus Housing and Meal Plans**- Applicable for all undergraduate students enrolled full time, (12 or more hours) who are under 21 years of age and who have completed fewer than 60 **post** high school credit hours. Rates and exemptions can be found on the Office of Residential Living web page.

Guaranteed rates for the 2020-2021 academic year are based on the one year cost of attendance—one of the lowest in the state compared to other universities—plus 5%.

One year rates for the 2020-2021 academic year are based on current year rates adjusted for inflation of 2.4%. Each one year rate will expire after 12 consecutive months have passed, even if the student is not enrolled for semesters offered during those consecutive months.

Differential tuition

- **College of Agriculture and Natural Sciences** - Beginning 2020 fall, all declared majors in the Department of Ag require additional differential tuition per semester credit hour. This tuition is not applicable to declared pre-ag majors. This rate can be found in red at the top of the tuition rate table.
- **College of Business**- All declared majors in the College of Business require additional differential tuition per semester credit hour. This tuition is not applicable to pre-business majors.
- **Engineering and Computer Science**- All declared majors in the Department of Engineering and Computer Sciences require additional ECS differential tuition per semester credit hours. This tuition is not applicable to pre-engineering majors.
- **Nursing**- All declared majors in the Department of Nursing require additional differential tuition per semester credit hour. This tuition is not applicable to declared pre-nursing majors.
- **Art/Theatre/Dance Program Enhancement Fees** - Applicable for all declared A/T/D majors; charged at a flat rate per semester



Important Links

Advising E-Handbook

<https://advising.wtamu.edu>

Advising Services Website

www.wtamu.edu/advising

Buff Advisor

<https://sis.wtamu.edu/WebAdvisor>

Colleague

<https://uiweb.wtacademic.wtamu.edu:8011/ui/index.html>

Degree information Form

<https://apps.wtamu.edu/degree-information/>

Appendices

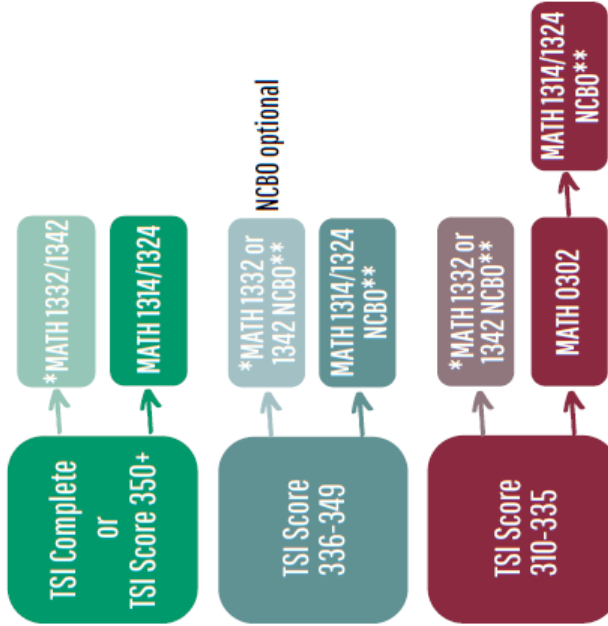
Appendix A	Developmental Intervention Placement Information
Appendix B	Athletic Practice Schedule
Appendix C	Learning Communities
Appendix D	Important Dates
Appendix E	Department Course Recommendations
Appendix F	2020 Fall Course Availability; <i>(Please use as a reference only, live updates can be found in Student Planning)</i>
Appendix G	Special Population Guidelines

Appendix A; Developmental Intervention Placement Information



TSI Pathways

MATH

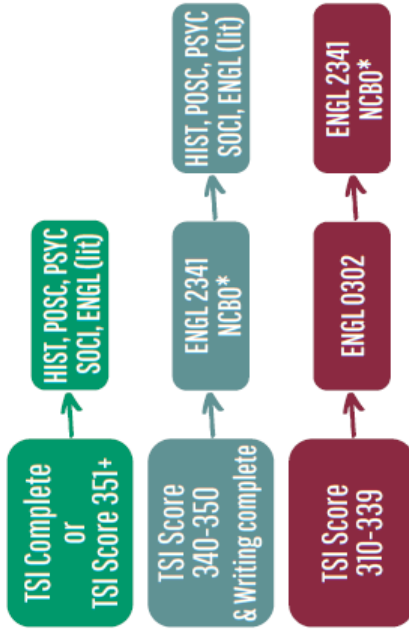


*Indicates non-algebraic pathway
 **NCBO for MATH 1332 is MATH*0030*110. NCBO for MATH 1342 is MATH*0030*111 and MATH*0030*112.
 **NCBO for MATH 1314/1324 is MATH*0030 section 100 or higher, EXCEPT sections 110, 111 and 112. **
 Section numbers for the course and NCBO must match. Exception: MATH*1342*151 must register for MATH*0030*111.

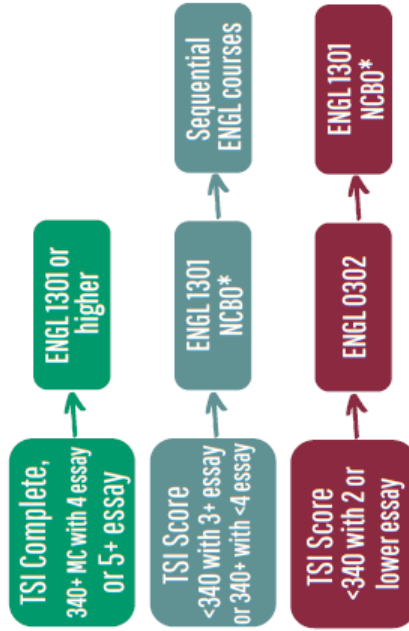
Non-algebraic options of MATH 1332/1342 will satisfy TSI status with an earned grade of D or better. If a student changes to a major that requires MATH 1314/1324, the student will need to take a coordinating NCBO or submit a passing TSI Assessment score.

COVID-19: Students with no exemptions and unable to test may enroll in any college-level math course if they have completed Engineering Mathematics, Financial Mathematics, Mathematics for Medical Professionals, or Algebra 2 or higher during high school. Students who did NOT complete one of the listed courses must enroll in any math option with an NCBO.

READING



WRITING



*NCBOs for reading and writing are ENGL*0010. Students enroll in any section of ENGL 1301/2341, then choose their preferred NCBO section..

COVID-19: Students with no exemptions and unable to test must enroll in an NCBO or complete the appeal process and submit writing samples to take college level course.



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Credit by Exam and Placement

MATH 1314 **ENGL 1301** **Calculus ready (MATH 2413)**
 ACT: 24+ ACT: 28+ ACT: 27+
 SAT prior to March 2016: 560+ SAT prior to March 2016: 620+ SAT: 640+
 SAT after March 2016: 580+ SAT after March 2016: 610+ *Scores earned on individual sections regardless of composite score
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TSI Test Exemptions

	MATH	READING	WRITING
STAAR (End of course)	Algebra II - Meets grade level 4000+	English III - Meets grade level 4000+	English III - Meets grade level 4000+
ACT	19+ math & 23+ composite	19+ English & 23+ composite	19+ English & 23+ composite
SAT	530+ Math	480+ EBRW	480+ EBRW
Course exemptions	MATH 1314; MATH 1324 Course for which these are prerequisites MATH 1332/1342 (non-algebraic)	HIST 1301/1302; POSC 2305/2306; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301 Sophomore or higher lit	ENGL 1301; ENGL 1302; ENGL 2311
Credit by exam	SAT: 580+ Math ACT: 24+ Math	N/A	SAT: 610+ EBRW ACT: 28+ English

Appendix B
Athletic Practice Schedule

Sport	Practice Times	Season	
Baseball	6:30-9:30 PM M; 3:15-6:15 PM T-TH, 2:00-5:00 PM F	Out	Monday afternoon free for labs
Basketball-Mens	12:30-3:30 PM M-F	Out/In	
Basketball-Womens	3:30-6:30 PM M-F	Out/In	
Cheerleading		In	
Cross Country-M	6:30-9:00 AM M-F; 3:00-4:00 PM M-F	In	Avoid Tuesday AM conflicts at all costs (for freshmen) -- Prefer them to take an afternoon class
Cross Country-W	6:30-9:00 AM M-F; 3:00-4:00 PM M-F	In	and miss afternoon practice rather than missing morning practice time
Equestrian	Fence practice TTH 3:00 - 6:00 pm; Will work around class schedules for all other practices	In	
Football	8:00-10:00 AM M-TH	In	Prefer classes to start at 11:00 am if possible
Golf-Mens	1:00-5:00 PM, M-F	Out/In	**Avoid night classes if possible, classes finished by 12:30 is preferred
Golf-Womens	Morning practice, MW; Classes can begin at 12 (11 am if needed). TTH; afternoon practice, classes done by 1:00 pm.	Out/In	
Soccer-Mens	7:00 am- 9:00 am M-F	In	Wednesday and Friday are game days
Soccer-Womens		In	
Softball	3:30-6:00 PM, T-F; M free for labs	Out	
Track-Mens	3:10-6:00 PM M-F	Out	Weights, MWF @ 5:00 pm
Track-Womens	3:10-6:00 PM M-F	Out	Weights, MWF @ 5:00 pm
Volleyball	7:00-9:00 AM MW, 4:00-6:00 or 5:00-7:00 PM TTH	In	** Avoid T/Th night classes, avoid Friday classes if possible (still deciding between 4-6 or 5-7 PM TTH)
Rodeo	1:00-5:00 PM, M-TH		

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Appendix C

LEARNING COMMUNITIES

5/10/2020

Topic	Course	Section	Days	Time	Faculty
Engineering Students					
Engineering	ENGR 1301	60	MW	10:00AM - 10:50 AM	A.Pal
	ENGR 1301L	60	MW	11:00AM - 11:50AM	A.Pal
	MATH 2412	60	MTWTh	1:30PM - 2:20PM	Staff
Engineering	ENGR 1301	61	MW	1:00PM - 1:50PM	Staff
	ENGR1301L	61	MW	2:00PM - 2:50PM	Staff
	MATH 2413	61	MWTTh	11:00AM - 11:50AM	P. Lockwood
Communication Disorders and Health Sciences Majors Only					
Health Sciences/Biology	IDS 1071	60	TTh	1:30PM - 2:20PM	M. Macon
	BIOL 1406	60	MW	1:30PM - 2:4PM	C. Meador
SES Majors Only					
SES Majors Only	SES 1120	61	MW	8:00AM - 8:50AM	L. Strong
	MATH 1314	61	TTh	11:00AM - 12:15PM	STAFF
SES Majors Only	SES 1120	62	MW	9:30AM - 10:20AM	L. Strong
	BIOL 1406	62	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	C. Meador
SES Majors Only	SES 1120	63	MW	11:00AM - 11:50AM	L. Strong
	MATH 1314	106	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
Nursing Majors Only					
College Algebra	IDS 1071	50	T	3:00PM - 4:50PM	M. Kirksey
	MATH 1314	50	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
Math Statistics NCBO	IDS 1071	51	W	3:00PM - 4:50PM	M. Kirksey
	MATH 0030	151	TTh	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
	MATH 1342	151	MW	1:30PM - 2:45 PM	STAFF
College Algebra NCBO	IDS 1071	51	W	3:00PM - 4:50PM	M. Kirksey
	MATH 0030	105	TTh	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
	MATH 1314	105	MW	1:30PM - 2:45 PM	STAFF
Chemistry	IDS 1071	52	M	3:00PM - 4:50PM	M. Kirksey
	CHEM 1411	57	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	D. Khan
Math Statistics NCBO	IDS 1071	53	W	3:00PM - 4:50PM	L. Robinson
	MATH 0030	151	TTh	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
	MATH 1342	151	MW	1:30PM - 2:45 PM	STAFF
College Algebra NCBO	IDS 1071	53	W	3:00PM - 4:50PM	L. Robinson
	MATH 0030	105	TTh	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
	MATH 1314	105	MW	1:30PM - 2:45 PM	STAFF
Chemistry	IDS 1071	54	Th	3:0PM - 4:50PM	L. Robinson
	CHEM 1405	54	MW	4:30PM 5:45PM	A. Muniz
	CHEM 1405L	54	W	1:00PM - 2:50PM	G. McGovern
College Algebra	IDS 1071	56	T	3:00PM - 4:50PM	L. Robinson
	MATH 1314	50	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	STAFF
Chemistry	IDS 1071	57	M	3:00PM - 4:50PM	L. Robinson
	CHEM 1411	57	MW	1:30PM - 2:45PM	D. Khan
Pre-Professional Majors Only					
Pre-Professional	AGRI 2300*	51	MW	9:30AM - 10:45AM	D. Posey
	BIOL 1406	51	TTh	11:00AM - 12:15 PM	D. Byers
	CHEM 1411	51	TTh	9:30AM - 10:45PM	J. Yarbrough

Appendix D

Important Dates

2020-2021 Academic Year				
	Summer I 2020	Summer II 2020	Fall 2020	Spring 2021
First Day of Classes	June 1	July 8	August 24	January 11
Last Day to Add a Class	June 2	July 9	August 27	January 14
Census Date	June 4	July 14	September 9	January 27
Last Day to Drop a Class with a Guaranteed X	June 22	July 30	October 30	March 31
Last Class Day	July 6	August 12	December 3	April 28
Dead Day	-	-	December 4	April 29
Final Exams	July 6-7	August 12-13	December 5-11	April 30- May 6
Payment Deadlines				
Balance Due in Full- If not using a payment plan	June 8	16-Jul	August 18	
First Payment Deadline (at least 25%)	-	-	August 18	
Second Payment Deadline	-	-	September 24	
Third Payment Deadline (at least 75% must be paid or a restriction will be placed on student's account)	-	-	October 15	
Fourth Payment Deadline (must be paid in full or a restriction will be placed on student's account)	-	-	November 5	
Greenlighting				
Greenlighting Begins	-	-	September 22	February 9
Registration Dates (Current Classification)				
Seniors	-	-	November 3	April 5
Juniors	-	-	November 6	April 8
Sophomores	-	-	November 9	April 12
Freshmen			November 16	April 19
NSO/Bufb Branding				
August 21-22				
Residential Living; Move in				
August 20				

Appendix E

Department Course Recommendations

ALL dance and theatre majors who have been accepted by the department as of 4May2020 have the required courses added to Student Planning.

Music and art majors are being put into Student Planning each week. Ted does not have a list of approved music majors but will put notes in Student Planning about their status along with the required music courses.

All **ART** majors: Do not have to be approved by the department. It would be nice if the student can show a portfolio of art work at the beginning of the semester.

All ART majors: ARTS 1303 or 1304, 1311, 1316, SMNR. Add two core (MATH 1332 is suggested as one))

All **DANC** majors: Crystal Bertrand needs to know about the student.

NOTE: As of 5/4/20 there is a time conflict with the one section of DANC 1205 and 2210 and the department is working on a solution.

BFA.DANC: DANC 1112, DANC 1205, DANC 1241-02, DANC 2247-01 (but -02 if -01 is full). Suggested MATH 1332. THRE 1301 desired for core 50

THRE: Students must have approval from the department before they can enroll in any THRE course.

NOTE: THRE 1120 should be sections -02, -03, -04 (T, W, or TH) for incoming freshmen. The courses are 1:30-4:20 pm. Mr. Royal Brantley is the contact for THRE.

NOTE: The department suggests MATH 1332, COMM 1315/1321, or ENGL 1301 for the one core course

NOTE: BFA.MUSICAL.THRE is doing THRE 1351-02, so all other THRE 1351s should be section -01.

NOTE: Be careful of the difference between BA and BFA.

NOTE: The department is working on increasing caps. We'll need to ask for THRE 1120 seats on an individual basis.

BA.THRE. TECH.EMP (209): THRE 1120, 1330, 1342, 1371, 1374, 2335PROD

BA.THRE. PERF (209): THRE 1120, 1330, 1351-01, 1371, 1374, PROD

BA.THRE. EDS (458): THRE 1120, 1330, 1342, 1351-01, 1371,, PROD

BFA.THRE. ACTING (211): THRE 1120, 1330, 1351-01, 1371, 1374, PROD, FRSH

BFA.THRE. DESIGNTECH (211): THRE 1120, 1330, 1342, 1371, 2335, PROD, FRSH

BFA.MUS.THEATRE (217): DANC 1241-01, MUAP 1081-21 (do NOT enroll in MUSI RCTL), THRE 1120, 1351-02 1371, 1374, PROD, FRSH

AG priority: Developmental, MATH 1314, 1324, 1342 (B.S. req. or elective), ENGL 1301, 1302/2311. Major specific: AGRI 2300 (fresh only), ANSC 1319 or PSES 1307. Core: 50 or 10, ENGL 2343-01 or -02 or SPAN 2371-01 or 02, lab science (pre-professional)

1. Of course, if speaking with the student and they have a strong desire/passion for a different course first (or are bringing in as dual credit), we will support a shift from the above.
2. The basic AGBE vs Agribusiness explanation is important for these two majors to understand and many often change once they hear the explanation. Regardless, if an Agribusiness student takes PSES 1301, we will support a sub for PSES 1307 if they change to AGBE.

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3. Equine majors should also be pre-populated into ANSC 1177 and 1178.
4. AgComm majors should also be pre-populated into AGRI 2302.
5. Special attention to Pre-vet/AGRI 2300/science learning community.
6. Considering judges or teams (meats, horse, crops, etc.) that aren't majoring in the same discipline, they may need/want to first take the ANSC/PSES option for their team vs major. e.g. a horse judge who is an AgComm major may benefit from ANSC 1319 before taking a PSES course that we recommend above.

CHEM priority: Developmental, MATH 1314, 1316, 2412, ENGL 1301, 1302/2311. Major specific: CHEM 1411, PHYS 1401 or 2425, BIOL 1406. Core: 50 or 10, ENGL 2343-01 or -02 or ENGL 2343-01 or HIST or POSC.

COB: FRESH, ENGL 1301, MATH 1324, COMM, ECON 2301, Core 90 or 60. SOPH: ACCT 2301/2302, CIDM 2342, MGT 3330, MKT 3340, CIDM 3330.

CS: Based on entering math

MATH 1314, ENGL 1301, COMM, CS 1301 w/lab, core

MATH 2412-60, ENGL 1301, COMM, CS 1301/lab, core

MATH 2413, ENGL 1301, COMM, CS 1301 w/lab, PHSY 2425 or CHEM or CS 1337 w/lab (if strong programming experience).

ET Option I

MATH 1314, ENGL 1301, COMM, core (80/50/60) X 2

MATH 2412 or 2413, ENGL 1301, COMM, ENGR 1304, ENGR 1301

ET Option II

MATH 1314/1324, ENGL 1301, COMM, core (80/50/60) X 2

MATH 1325, ENGL 1301, COMM, ENGR 1304, ENGR 1301

PRE-ENGR

MATH 1314, ENGL 1301, COMM, core (80/50/60) X 2

MATH 2412-60, ENGL 1301, COMM, ENGR 1301, CHEM 1411

MATH 2413, ENGL 1301, COMM, ENGR 1304, ENGR 1301, PHYS 2425 (mechanical/electrical) or CHEM 1411 (civil/environmental)

MATH

MATH plus ENGL 1301. (PHYS 2425 required for BS.MATH. Don't usually recommend PHYS in the first semester.)

CRIJ: ENGL 1301, MATH, BIOL, POSC, CRIJ 1301/1306

POSC: ENGL 1301, MATH, BIOL, POSC, POSC 2304

SOCIAL SCIENCES: ENGL 1301, MATH, BIOL, POSC, POSC 2304 or PSYC 2301 or SOCI 1301 or SOCI 1306

PSYC: + PSYC 2301

SOCI: + SOCI or SOCI 1306

SOCW: + 2361 or 2315

EC-6: (EDEC 2383)

LEES: Priority: Developmental; MATH 1314, 1324, 1316, 2412; ENGL 1301, 1302, 2311. Major: BIOL 1406 (1413 wildlife), CHEM 1411 (pre-professional); 50 or 10, ENGL 2342-01 or HIST or POSC.

- **Pre-Nursing Students who have completed College Algebra:**
 - Option 1 - IDS 1071.52 / CHEM 1411.57 / CHEM 1411L
 - Option 2 - IDS 1071.55 / CHEM 1411.57 / CHEM 1411L
 - Option 3 - IDS 1071.54 / CHEM 1405.54 / CHEM 1405L

- **Pre-Nursing Students who are TSI Complete in Math:**
 - Option 1 - IDS 1071.50 / MATH 1314.50
 - Option 2 - IDS 1071.56 / MATH 1314.50

- **Pre-Nursing Students who are not TSI Complete in Math:**
 - Option 1 - IDS 1071.51 / MATH 1342.151 & MATH 0030.151
 - Option 2 - IDS 1071.53 / MATH 1342.151 & MATH 0030.151

- **All Health Sciences and Pre-Communication Disorders' Majors:**
 - Option 1 - IDS 1071.60 / BIOL 1406.60 / BIOL 1406L
 - Option 2 - IDS 1071.61 / BIOL 1406.60 / BIOL 1406L

- **SES/AT Majors who are TSI Complete in Math:**
 - Option 1 - SES 1120.61 / MATH 1314.61
 - Option 2 - SES 1120.62 / BIOL 1406.62 / / BIOL 1406L

- **SES/AT Majors who are not TSI Complete in Math:**
 - Option 1 - IDS 1071.58 / MATH 1314.158 & MATH 0030.158
 - Option 2 - IDS 1071.58 / MATH 0302 (*No Linked Section)

- ❖ Add 9 hours of University Core to each option that the student has not completed through Dual Credit/AP Courses/ACT Credit

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Appendix F; Course Availability

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DEVELOPMENTAL AVAIL

[ENGL 0010&ENGL 2341 R 340-350; W complete]

[ENGL 2341 100 TT 01:30PM 30

&ENGL 0010 02 F 09:00AM 15 OR

&ENGL 0010 03 F 10:00AM 15 OR

&TSI R 335-349 ENGL 0020 01 F 09:00AM 15]

[ENGL 0010&ENGL 1301 TSI writing essay 3]

[ENGL 1301 100 MW 11:00AM 11

&ENGL 0010 01 F 11:00AM]

ENGL 0302 01 MW 08:00AM 15

NCBO MATH 0020 10 (≥ 331) 7/20-8/10

MATH 0302 01 M-Th 09:30AM 30

TSI MATH score of 336-349

NCBO MATH 0030 10 (347-349) 7/20-8/10

[MATH 1332 110 MW 09:30AM 30

&MATH 0030 110 TT 09:30AM]

[MATH 1342 111 MW 01:30PM 26

&MATH 0030 111 TT 01:30PM]

[MATH 1342 151 MW 01:30PM 10

&MATH 0030 151 TT 01:30PM]

&IDS 1071-51 or -53] NURS 24

[MATH 1314 100 M-Th 09:30AM 24

&NCBO MATH 0030 100]

[MATH 1314 103 M-Th 01:30PM 7

&NCBO MATH 0030 103]

[MATH 1314 105 M-Th 01:30PM 10

&NCBO MATH 0030 105 +IDS 1071 51] NURS

[MATH 1314 106 M-Th 03:00PM 10

&NCBO MATH 0030 106 + IDS 1071 58]

SES

[MATH 1324 108 M-Th 11:00AM 25

&NCBO MATH 0030-108]

CODE 10

ENGL 1301 01 TT 09:30AM 15

ENGL 1301 02 TT 11:00AM 8

ENGL 1301 03 TT 01:30PM 17

ENGL 1301 04 MW 09:30AM 12

ENGL 1301 05 MW 11:00AM 14

ENGL 1301 06 MW 01:30PM 14

ENGL 1301 07 MW 09:30AM 18

ENGL 1301 08 MW 11:00AM 18

ENGL 1301 10 TT 03:00PM 18

ENGL 1301 70 13

ENGL 1301 71 18

CODE 10

COMM 1315 01 MW 08:00AM 22

COMM 1315 02 MW 09:30AM 7

COMM 1315 03 MW 11:00AM 17

COMM 1315 04 TT 08:00AM 21

COMM 1315 05 TT 09:30AM 12

COMM 1315 06 TT COMM/MCOM 01:30PM 23

COMM 1315 07 TT 11:00AM 15

COMM 1315 08 TT 01:30PM 17

COMM 1315 09 TT 03:00PM 25

COMM 1315 10 MW 01:30PM 25

COMM 1315 11 MW 03:00PM 25

COMM 1315 19 *T online 04:30PM 21

COMM 1318 02 TT 09:30AM 18

COMM 1318 45 HRS MW 01:30PM 22

COMM 1318 71 13

COMM 1318 72 25

COMM 1318C, E2

COMM 1321 01 MW 09:30AM 17

COMM 1321 02 MW 01:30PM 19

COMM 1321 03 *M online 06:00PM 24

CODE 20

NCBO MATH 0030 30 TSI COMPLETE 7/27-8/21

MATH 1314 02 MW 09:30AM 28

MATH 1314 04 MW 11:00AM 20

MATH 1314 05 MW 01:30PM 26

MATH 1314 06 MW 03:00PM 28

MATH 1314 08 TT 09:30AM 7

MATH 1314 10 TT 11:00AM 20

[MATH 1314 50 MW 01:30PM 24

&IDS 1071 50 T 3-5PM] NURS

[MATH 1314 61 TT 11:00AM 20

&SES 1120 61 TT 01:30PM] SES

MATH 1314 70 30

MATH 1316 01 TT 09:30AM 23

MATH 1324 01 MW 09:30AM 20

MATH 1324 03 TT 11:00AM 24

MATH 1324 04 TT 01:30PM 26

MATH 1324 70 40

MATH 1325 01 MW 11:00AM 25

MATH 1325 02 MW 01:30PM 28

MATH 1325 03 TT 09:30AM 22

MATH 1325 04 TT 01:30PM 28

MATH 1325 70 23

MATH 1332 01 MW 01:30PM 24

MATH 1332 02 MW 09:30AM 27

MATH 1342 01 MW 09:30AM 19

MATH 1342 02 MW 11:00AM 23

MATH 1342 03 TT 09:30AM 22

MATH 1342 04 TT 11:00AM 12

MATH 1342 70 37

Education majors only. Pre-req. college algebra

MATH 1350 01 MW 03:00PM 23

MATH 1350 02 TT 11:00AM 13

MATH 1351 01 MW 09:30AM 18

MATH 1351 02 TT 01:30PM 9

MATH 2412 01 M-Th 09:30AM 15

MATH 2412 02 M-Th 11:00AM 23

[MATH 2412 60 M-Th 01:30PM 36

&ENGR 1301 60 w/lab MW 10-11:50AM]

MATH 2412C

MATH 2413 01 M-Th 11:00AM 23

MATH 2413 02 M-Th 01:30PM 20

MATH 2413 45 HRS M-Th 09:30AM 9

[MATH 2413 61 M-Th 09:30AM 27

&ENGR 1301 61 w/lab MW 1-3PM]

math 2413 70 27

MATH 2413C

MATH 2414 01 M-Th 09:30AM 40

MATH 2414 02 M-Th 01:30PM 40

MATH 2414C

CODE 30

ANSC 1319 01 MW 08:00AM 52

ANSC 1319 02 TT 08:00AM 71

ANSC 1319 03 MW 09:30AM 50

ANSC 1319L 02 M 03:00PM 10

ANSC 1319L 03 M 03:00PM 21

ANSC 1319L 04 T 01:00PM 11

ANSC 1319L 05 T 01:00PM 23

ANSC 1319L 06 T 03:00PM 18

ANSC 1319L 07 T 03:00PM 24

BIOL 1406 01 MW 01:30PM 9

BIOL 1406 02 MW 11:00AM 15

BIOL 1406 03 MW 08:00AM 64

BIOL 1406 04 MW 09:30AM 23

BIOL 1406 45 HRS TT 11:00AM 11

[BIOL 1406 51 TT 11:00AM 23

&CHEM 1411 51 TT 09:30AM] PRE-PROF

[BIOL 1406 60 MW 01:30PM 39

&IDS 1071 60 TT 01:30PM] HSCI/CD

[BIOL 1406 62 MW 01:30PM 19

&SES 1120 62 TT 01:30PM] SES/AT

BIOL 1406 70 and 1406L 70 11

BIOL 1406 71 and 1406L 71 34

BIOL 1406 72 and 1406L 72 39

BIOL 1406L 02 M 03:00PM 5

BIOL 1406L 03 M 05:00PM 18

BIOL 1406L 04 M 07:00PM 21

BIOL 1406L 05 T 01:00PM 3

BIOL 1406L 06 T 03:00PM 17

BIOL 1406L 07 T 05:00PM 24

BIOL 1406L 08 M 01:00PM 22

BIOL 1406L 09 T 05:00PM 26

BIOL 1406L 10 T 07:00PM 26

BIOL 1406L 11 Th 01:00PM 26

BIOL 1406L 12 Th 03:00PM 26

BIOL 1407 01 TT 08:00AM 41

BIOL 1407 70 and 1407L 70 19

BIOL 1407 71 and 1407L 71 40

BIOL 1407L 01 W 01:00PM 17

BIOL 1407L 02 W 03:00PM 24

BIOL 1408 01 MW 09:30AM 69

BIOL 1408L 01 M 03:00PM 22

BIOL 1408L 02 M 06:00PM 26

BIOL 1408L 03 T 01:00PM 17

BIOL 1408L 04 T 03:00PM 26

BIOL 1409 01 TT 09:30AM 23

BIOL 1409L 01 W 01:00PM 11

BIOL 1409L 02 W 03:00PM 12

BIOL 1411 01 TT 03:00PM 31

BIOL 1411L 01 W 10:00AM 18

BIOL 1411L 02 W 03:00PM 13

BIOL 1413 01 TT 08:00AM 33

BIOL 1413L 01 M 01:00PM 9

BIOL 1413L 02 M 03:00PM 13

BIOL 1413L 03 W 01:00PM 11

CHEM 1405 01 MW 03:00PM 18

CHEM 1405 02 MW 04:30PM 18

[CHEM 1405 54 MW 04:30PM 17

&CHEM 1405L 54 W 01:00PM

&IDS 1071 54 Th 3-5PM] NURS

CHEM 1405L 01 M 01:00PM 9

CHEM 1405 labs have lab a test on Friday, 11/13, at 1PM

CHEM 1411 01 MW 01:30PM 23

CHEM 1411 02 TT 08:00AM 56

CHEM 1411 03 TT 09:30AM 110

CHEM 1411 04 TT 11:00AM 14

CHEM 1411 05 TT 01:30PM 41

CHEM 1411 45 HRS TT 09:30AM 24

[CHEM 1411 51 TT 09:30AM 30

&BIOL 1406 51 TT 11:00AM] PRE-PROF

[CHEM 1411 57 MW 01:30PM 30

&IDS 1071 52 MW 3-5PM] NURS

CHEM 1411 70 and 1411L 70 15

CHEM 1411C

CHEM 1411L 01 M 08:00AM 13

CHEM 1411L 02 M 10:00AM 11

CHEM 1411L 05 M 07:00PM 15

CHEM 1411L 06 T 08:00AM 20

CHEM 1411L 07 T 10:00AM 22

CHEM 1411L 08 T 03:00PM 6

CHEM 1411L 09 T 05:00PM 24

CHEM 1411L 10 W 08:00AM 24

CHEM 1411L 11 W 10:00AM 24

CHEM 1411L 12 W 03:00PM 24

CHEM 1411L 13 Th 01:00PM 15

CHEM 1411L 14 Th 03:00PM 21

CHEM 1411L 15 Th 08:00AM 24

CHEM 1411L 16 Th 10:00AM 24

CHEM 1411 labs have lab a test on Friday, 11/13, at 1PM

CHEM 1412 01 MW 08:00AM 26

CHEM 1412 02 MW 11:00AM 10

CHEM 1412 70 and CHEM 1412L 70 15

CHEM 1412C

CHEM 1412L 01 T 07:00PM 6

CHEM 1412L 03 W 07:00PM 8

CHEM 1412L 05 Th 07:00PM 22

CHEM 1412 labs have lab a test on Friday, 11/15, at 3PM

ENVR-1407

GEOL 1401 01 TT 09:30AM 78

GEOL 1401L 01 T 01:00PM 4

GEOL 1401L 02 T 03:00PM 11

GEOL 1401L 03 T 05:00PM 12

GEOL 1401L 04 W 01:00PM 17

GEOL 1401L 05 W 03:00PM 16

GEOL 1401L 06 W 05:00PM 19

OR GEOL 1403 01 MW 11:00AM 32

GEOL 1403L 01 W 01:00PM 9

GEOL 1403L 02 W 03:00PM 23

GEOL-1402 GEOL-1404

PHYS 1401 01 TT 11:00AM 7

PHYS 1401 02 TT 11:00AM 24

PHYS 1401 03 MW 11:00AM 8

PHYS 1401L 04 W 03:00PM 15

PHYS 1401L 05 W 01:00PM 12

PHYS 1401L 06 Th 03:00PM 7

PHYS 1401L 07 F 10:00AM 20

PHYS 1402 01 TT 09:30AM 17

PHYS 1402L 03 Th 01:00PM 17

PHYS 1411 01 MW 03:00PM 2

PHYS 1411L 02 W 07:00PM 2

PHYS-1412 PHYS-1471

PHYS 2425 01 MW 09:30AM 20

PHYS 2425 02 TT 03:00PM 26

Appendix G
Special Population Guidelines

<p>Buff Bridge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alternative admission• Limited to 13 hours• MUST enroll in IDS 1071-03, 13, or 23 (3 hour IDS)	<p>Individual Approval</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alternative Admission• Limited to 13 hours• MUST be enrolled in college recommended Core 90 or IDS 1071	<p>Student Athlete</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Enroll in at least 12 hours• Developmental education does count towards 12 hours• Student must disclose participation and sport• Schedule is Appendix B
<p>Attebury Honors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Students must be admitted to program• Will be preregistered in HNRS 2171 & 2073• Honors sections are designated with section -45.	<p>CAMP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Select scholarship program• Minimum 15 hours• IDS 1071-12	<p>Program for System Admission</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Eligible based on application to TAMU-CS• PSA Checklist will be attached to Advising Form• Must complete conditions of form for guaranteed admission to TAMU