



**2017-2018 Texas Common Course Numbering System Advising Guide**

YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
F I R S T	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
	ENGL 1301 TSU Core: CAO	ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1302 TSU Core: Communications	ENGL 1302	3
	TSU Core: Mathematics#	See list of approved courses	3	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science#	See list of approved courses	4
	HIST 1301 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1301	3	HIST 1302 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1302	3
	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science#	See list of approved courses	4	PSYC 2301 TSU Core: Social & Behavioral Science	PSYC 2301	3
	FYS 1100 TSU Core	PSYC or EDUC 1100, PSYC or EDUC 1200, PSYC or EDUC 1300	1			
<b>Total Hours</b>			<b>14</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>13</b>

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S E C O N D	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
	GOVT 2305 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305	3	GOVT 2306 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306	3
	TSU Core: Language, Philosophy & Culture#	See list of approved courses	3	COMM 2302 TSU Core: Communications	COMM 2302	3
	HPTC 4305	None	3	HPTC 3320	None	3
	HPTC 4350	None	3	MDLS 4148*	None	1
	ENGL 3312	None	3	ENGL 3309*	None	3
<b>Total Hours</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>13</b>

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T H I R D	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	
	TSU Core: Creative Arts#	See list of approved courses	3	9 Hours Upper Level Electives#	See list of approved courses	9	
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	<b>Total Hours</b>			<b>Total Hours</b>			<b>12</b>
	THIRD SEMESTER						
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours				
HPTC 4349	None	3					
HPTC 4204	None	2					
ENGT 3320	None	3					
Approved Certificate Program	None	33					
<b>Total Hours</b>						<b>41</b>	

\*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

#See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses



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### **Degree Specific**

- This 7 semester evaluation is contingent on the successful completion of each class.
- Please note this evaluation is designed with **prerequisites and course rotation in mind.**

### **Degree Information**

- Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) provides a shared, uniform set of course designations for students and their advisors to use in determining both course equivalency and degree applicability of transfer credit on a statewide basis.

- This 120 hour three-year degree plan provides a model for on-time completion of this TSU program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current Undergraduate Catalog for course prerequisites. Course availability at TSU is subject to change, and the plan may change based on updates to TSU's course offerings.

- **Individual academic programs may require specific courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum as prerequisites for certain major requirements.** Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

- Students meet the Writing Proficiency Requirement by completing two upper-level Writing Intensive courses in their major or courses designed for their degree program. Contact the Academic Advisor for additional information or questions.

- Residence is satisfied only by official enrollment in and completion of course work applied toward the degree requirements.

A minimum of 30 semester hours of work must be completed through upper level courses (3000 or 4000 level) delivered by Tarleton and 12 of these advanced hours must be in the major.

- How does duplicating a course impact my GPA?

A student may take a course a second or subsequent time at the same institution. The highest grade will be included in the GPA calculation.

- Can I take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU?

If you plan to take a course at another school and transfer it back to TSU, you need to meet with both an advisor and Transfer Services. An advisor can tell you the correct course number to take and assist with completion of a Concurrent Enrollment Form if needed.