

College of Science and Technology

B.S. Computer Science



2017-2018 Texas Common Course Numbering System Advising Guide

YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
F I R S T	COSC 1100 TSU Core: CAO	PSYC or EDUC 1100, PSYC or EDUC 1200, PSYC or EDUC 1300	1	ENGL 1302 TSU Core: Communications	ENGL 1302	3
	ENGL 1301 TSU Core: CAO	ENGL 1301	3	MATH 2414	MATH 2414	4
	MATH 2413 TSU Core: Mathematics+	MATH 2413	4	COSC 1310	None	3
	TSU Core: Creative Arts	See list of approved courses	3	TSU Core: Life and Physical Science	See list of approved courses	4
	COSC 1302	None	3	HIST 1301 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1301	3
	Total Hours			14	Total Hours	

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S E C O N D	TSU Core: Life and Physical Science	See list of approved courses	4	MATH 1342 TSU Core: Mathematics	MATH 1342	3
	HIST 1302 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1302	3	TSU Core: Communication	See list of approved courses	3
	COSC 2321	None	3	COSC 2448	None	4
	COSC 2331	None	3	COSC 2341	None	3
	MATH 3310	None	3	Technical Elective	None	3
	Total Hours			16	Total Hours	

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	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
T H I R D	GOVT 2305 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305	3	GOVT 2306 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306	3
	COSC 3330 (Fall Odd Only)	None	3	TSU Core: Language, Philosophy & Culture	See list of approved courses	3
	COSC 4441 (Fall Odd Only)	None	4	COSC 3380 (Spring Even Only)	None	3
	COSC 3344 (Fall Only)	None	3	COSC 4478* (Spring Even Only)	None	4
	Total Hours			13	Total Hours	

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	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
F O U R T H	TSU Core: Social and Behavioral Sciences	See list of approved courses	3	COSC 4401 (Spring Odd Only)	None	4
	COSC 3489* (Fall Even Only)	None	4	COSC 4451 (Spring Odd Only)	None	4
	COSC 3443 (Fall Even Only)	None	4	Advanced Technical Elective	None	3
	Technical Elective	None	3	Advanced Technical Elective	None	3
	Advanced Technical Elective	None	3			
	Total Hours			17	Total Hours	

*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

#See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses

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Degree Completion: 120 hours

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Degree Specific

- This 8 semester evaluation is contingent on the successful completion of each class. Please note this evaluation is designed with **prerequisites and course rotation in mind.**
- Placement for Calculus 1 is by the CLMPE placement exam, or by college credit for MATH 1316 or MATH 2412. Contact Tarleton's Center for Academic Testing for test information and locations.
- **All Students must contact a Departmental Faculty Advisor for guidance on Engineering Computer Science content.**

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 four-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 shown 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.