

College of Liberal and Fine Arts

B.S. Public Administration

Degree Offered at RELLIS Campus location

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2019-2020 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	ENGL 1301 TSU Core: CAO	ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1302 TSU Core: Communication	ENGL 1302	3
	MATH 1342 TSU Core: Mathematics	MATH 1342	3	HIST 1302 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1302	3
	GOVT 2305 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305	3	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science/CAO	See list of approved courses	4
	HIST 1301 TSU Core: American History	HIST 1301	3	PSYC 2301 TSU Core: Social & Behavior Science	PSYC 2301	3
	SOCI 1301	SOCI 1301	3	GOVT 2306 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306	3
	FYS 1100 TSU Core: CAO	PSYC or EDUC 1100, PSYC or EDUC 1200, PSYC or EDUC 1300, or PHED 1164, or SPCH 2335	1			
	Total Hours		16	Total Hours		16

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	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
S E C O N D	TSU Core: Language, Philosophy, & Culture	See list of approved courses	3	PHIL 2303	PHIL 2303	3
	TSU Core: Creative Arts	See list of approved courses	3	ECON 1301 or 2301 or 2302	ECON 1301 or 2301 or 2302	3
	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science/CAO	See list of approved courses	4	Advised General Elective	None	3
	COMM 1311, 1315, or 2302 TSU Core: Communication	SPCH 1311, 1315, or 1321	3	Advised General Elective	None	3
	Advised General Elective	None	3	Advised General 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	PUAD 3301	None	3	PUAD 3305	None	3
	PUAD 3302		3	PUAD 4304		3
	PUAD 3303*		3	Advanced PUAD Elective ¹		3
	Advanced Elective		3	Advanced Elective		3
	Advanced Elective		3	Advanced Elective		3
			Total Hours			15

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	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
F O U R T H	PUAD 4305	None	3	PUAD 4317*	None	3
	PUAD 4319* or CRIJ 3313* or ENGL 3309*		3	PUAD 4318 or CRIJ 4312		3
	Advanced PUAD Elective ²		3	Advanced PUAD Elective		3
	Advanced PUAD Elective		3	Advanced PUAD Elective		3
	Advanced PUAD Elective		3			
			Total Hours			15

*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses

Degree Completion: 120 hours

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Degree Specific

¹PUAD 4315 (or CRIJ 4316) is highly recommended.

²PUAD 4316 (or CRIJ 4318) is highly recommended.

- 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.**

Degree Information

- 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 below may change based on updates to TSU's course offerings.
- 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.
- **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.