

College of Business Administration

B.S. Applied Science - Psychological Sciences

Degree Offered at Stephenville, Fort Worth, Waco, Midlothian, and Online Locations

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YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
FIRST	ENGL 1301 TSU Core: CAO	ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1302 TSU Core: Communications	ENGL 1302	3
	TSU Core: Life & Physical Science	See list of approved courses	4	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
	MATH 1314 TSU Core: Mathematics	MATH 1314	3	GOVT 2305 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2305	3
	FYS 1100 TSU Core: CAO	PSYC or EDUC 1100, PSYC or EDUC 1200, PSYC or EDUC 1300	1	PSYC 2301 TSU Core: Social & Behavioral Science	PSYC 2301	3
	Total Hours			14	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
SECOND	GOVT 2306 TSU Core: Government/Political Science	GOVT 2306	3	Prior Learning Credit (12-36 hours) ¹	None	
	TSU Core: Communications	See list of approved courses	3			
	TSU Core: Language, Philosophy, & Culture	See list of approved courses	3	Electives (0-24 Hours) ²	None	
	TSU Core: Creative Arts	See list of approved courses	3			
	PHIL 1301	PHIL 1301	3			
	Total Hours			15	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER			SECOND SEMESTER		
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours
THIRD	PSYC 2317	PSYC 2317	3	PSYC 3435*	None	4
	PSYC 3301	None	3	Advanced PSYC Elective [#]	None	3
	PSYC 3309*	None	3	Advanced Elective [#]	None	3
	Advanced Elective [#]	None	3	Advanced Elective [#]	None	3
	Advanced PSYC Elective [#]	None	2			
	Total Hours			14	Total Hours	
YEAR	FIRST SEMESTER					
	TSU Requirement	TCCNS Option	Credit Hours			
FOURTH	PSYC 4320	None	3			
	Advanced PSYC Elective [#]	None	3			
	Advanced PSYC Elective [#]	None	3			
	Advanced Elective [#]	None	3			
	Total Hours			12		

*Designates Writing Intensive Courses

[#]See University Catalog or Academic Advisor for Applicable Courses

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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 in mind.**
- ¹**Prior Learning Credit:** The degree accepts credit which must be prequalified by a BSAS Psychology Advisor and approved by the Interdisciplinary Degree Programs Committee for 12 - 36 credits during the first semester a student is enrolled in
- ²**Electives:** 0-24 hours depending on the number of Prior Learning Credits applied. The total credits combined for coursework, training and electives must equal 36 semester hours subject to the minimum required (12) in one technical discipline for a student to qualify for the program.
- All Psychology degrees at Tarleton require students to earn CV points. The CV points will be accumulated during the completion of a Psychology degree and a pass/fail grade will be given by the Senior Capstone (PSYC 4350) instructor.

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 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 subject.
- 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.

