

2008-2009

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS
Field of Study in Political Science (Government)

STUDENT NAME _____ SS# _____
ADDRESS _____ CITY, STATE, & ZIP CODE _____
TELEPHONE (DAY) _____ EVE _____ ENROLLMENT DATE _____

PLACEMENT TESTING:

Alternative Exam:	Read	Writing	Math	*TSI COMPLETE/EXEMPT/WAIVED DATE: _____
Accuplacer/ASSET/COMPASS/THEA	_____	_____	_____	
ACT	_____	_____	_____	
SAT	_____	_____	_____	

*Texas Success Initiative Rules

Reading: _____ None _____ READ 70 _____ READ 80 _____ READ 90 _____ Non Course Remediation
Writing: _____ None _____ ENGL 71 _____ ENGL 81 _____ ENGL 91 _____ Non Course Remediation
Math: _____ None _____ MATH 80 _____ MATH 85 _____ MATH 90 _____ Non Course Remediation

Major Courses			SCH	COLLEGE	SEM/YR	GRADE	COMMENTS
FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER							
SPCH	1311	Intro. to Speech Communication or SPCH 1315 or SPCH 1318 or SPCH 1321	3				
HIST	1301	United States History I or HIST 2327	3				
ENGL	1301	Composition	3				
COSC	1301	Microcomputer Applications	3				
GOVT	2301	American Government I	3				
FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER							
HIST	1302	United States History II or HIST 2328	3				
ENGL	1302	Composition II - Rhetoric	3				
MATH	1414	College Algebra or MATH 1442 or MATH 2412 or MATH 2413	4				
GOVT	2302	American Government II	3				
		Visual & Performing Arts Elective-Core Curriculum	3				
SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER							
GOVT	2304	Introduction to Political Science	3				
GOVT	2311	Mexican American Politics	3				
		*Elective - Field of Study	3				
		Natural Sciences Elective - Core Curriculum	4				
		*Modern Language Elective-Field of Study	3				
SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER							
PHIL	2307	Introduction to Social & Political Philosophy	3				
		Natural Sciences Elective - Core Curriculum	4				
		Social & Behav. Science Elective-Core Curriculum	3				
		*Modern Language Elective-Field of Study	3				

*See back of degree plan for **Field of Study elective** options.

The student is required to take two semesters (6 credits) of modern foreign language.

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____ FACULTY/ADVISOR'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

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PRE-REQUISITES:

- SPCH 1311 INTRODUCTION TO SPEECH COMMUNICATION**
Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 or equivalent.
- SPCH 1315 PUBLIC SPEAKING**
Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 or equivalent.
- SPCH 1318 INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS**
Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 or equivalent.
- SPCH 1321 BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL SPEAKING**
Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 or equivalent.
- HIST 1301 UNITED STATES HISTORY I**
Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
- HIST 2327 MEXICAN AMERICAN HISTORY I**
*Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
(May substitute for HIST 1301.)*
- ENGL 1301 COMPOSITION**
*Prerequisite: A score of 60+/E-6, E-7, E-8 or 80+/E-5 on the ACCUPLACER Exam for Writing, equivalent placement score, or completion of ENGL 0091 with a grade of "C" or better; **and** a score of 61 on the ACCUPLACER Exam for Reading, the completion of READ 0080 or equivalent.*
- COSC 1301 MICROCOMPUTER APPLICATIONS**
Prerequisite: Successful completion of READ 0090 or equivalent.
- GOVT 2301 AMERICAN GOVERNMENT I**
Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
- HIST 1302 UNITED STATES HISTORY II**
Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
- HIST 2328 MEXICAN AMERICAN HISTORY II**
*Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
(May substitute for HIST 1302.)*
- ENGL 1302 COMPOSITION II - RHETORIC**
Prerequisite: A grade of "C" or higher in ENGL 1301.
- MATH 1414 COLLEGE ALGEBRA**
Prerequisite: A score of 68+ on the Elementary Algebra ACCUPLACER Exam, or a score of 63+ on the CLM ACCUPLACER Exam; or completion of MATH 0090 with a grade of "P", "C" or better, or equivalent.
- MATH 1442 STATISTICS**
Prerequisite: A score of 68+ on the Elementary Algebra ACCUPLACER Exam, or a score of 63+ on the CLM ACCUPLACER Exam; or completion of MATH 0090 with a grade of "P", "C" or better, or equivalent.
- MATH 2412 PRECALCULUS ALGEBRA AND TRIGONOMETRY**
Prerequisite: MATH 1414 with a "C" or better.
- MATH 2413 CALCULUS I**
Prerequisite: MATH 2412 with a grade of "C" or better.
- GOVT 2302 AMERICAN GOVERNMENT II**
*Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
Recommended: Completion of GOVT 2301.*
- GOVT 2304 INTRODUCTION TO POLITICAL SCIENCE**
Prerequisite: A passing score of 78+ on the Reading ACCUPLACER Exam or equivalent; or completion of READ 0090 with a grade of "C" or better.
- GOVT 2311 MEXICAN AMERICAN POLITICS**
Prerequisite: Completion of GOVT 2301 or GOVT 2302 with a grade of "C" or better.
- PHIL 2307 INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL & POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY**
Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 and ENGL 0081 or equivalent.

VISUAL & PERFORMING ARTS ELECTIVE - 3 CREDITS (Depending on the course, check the catalog for pre-requisites.)

NATURAL SCIENCES ELECTIVE-8 CREDITS (Depending on the course, check the catalog for pre-requisites.)

SOCIAL / BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES ELECTIVE - 3 CREDITS (Depending on the course, check the catalog for pre-requisites.)

***PRE-REQUISITES FOR FIELD OF STUDY ELECTIVES**

The student is required to take two of the following courses (6 credits) from the following list:

HIST 2321 WORLD CIVILIZATIONS I

Prerequisite: HIST 1301 and HIST 1302.

HIST 2322 WORLD CIVILIZATIONS II

Prerequisite: HIST 1301 and HIST 1302.

PHIL 2303 INTRODUCTION TO LOGIC

Prerequisite: Eligible for ENGL 1301.

PHIL 2306 INTRODUCTION TO ETHICS

Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 and ENGL 0081 or equivalent.

ECON 2301 PRINCIPLES OF ECONOMICS I - MACRO

Prerequisite: MATH 0085 or equivalent, or BNKG 1340.

PSYC 2317 STATISTICAL METHODS IN PSYCHOLOGY

Prerequisite: Completion of READ 0080 with a grade of "C" or better or equivalent.

MATH 1442 STATISTICS

Prerequisite: A score of 68+ on the Elementary Algebra ACCUPLACER Exam, or a score of 63+ on the CLM ACCUPLACER Exam; or completion of MATH 0090 with a grade of "P", "C" or better, or equivalent.

Note: Either GOVT 2311 or GOVT 2389 must be taken. Both can be taken. If only one is taken, students must choose an additional course from the list above.

***PRE-REQUISITES FOR FIELD OF STUDY MODERN LANGUAGE ELECTIVES**

*The student is required to take two semesters (6 credits) of modern foreign language.

Depending on the course, check the catalog for pre-requisites.