

The University of Texas - Pan American

General Education/University Requirements 2014-2015

This document provides a comprehensive list of UTPA courses and their equivalent UTRGV courses.

A significant number of courses have changed their course prefix, number, and title.

For any additional information, please visit the Academic Advising Center.

Developmental (Non-Credit)

If not Exempt, TSI Assessment scores determine placement.

UTPA Courses

ENG 0301 Reading/Writing Studio
 ENG 0101 Intro to College Reading & Writing (Non-Course Based)
 MATH 1300 Elementary Algebra
 MATH 1334 Intermediate Algebra
 MATI 0290 Intermediate Algebra (Non-Course Based)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ENGL 0301 Reading/Writing Studio
 ENGL 0101 Introduction to College Reading and Writing
 MATH 0310 Elementary Algebra
 MATH 0320 Intermediate Algebra
 MATH 0290 Intermediate Algebra

Learning Frameworks (Retention/Graduation Initiative)

UTPA Courses

UNIV 1301 Learning Framework

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

UNIV 1301 Learning Framework

University Requirement: Second Language Proficiency

Language proficiency demonstrated at undergraduate level by equivalent to six semester credit hours in a language other than English. Equivalent is equal to exam (AP, CLEP, International Baccalaureate) or college credit (Including Dual/Concurrent). The WebCAPE may also be taken to demonstrate proficiency. If UTPA coursework is needed to meet this requirement, courses may be chosen from those listed below:

UTPA Courses

FREN 1321 and FREN 1322 Beginning French I and II
 GERM 1331 and GERM 1332 Beginning German I and II
 SPAN 1301 and SPAN 1302 Spanish for Non-Native Speakers I and II
 SPAN 1303 and SPAN 1304 Spanish for Native Speakers I and II
 SPAN 1387 and SPAN 1388 Beginning Spanish I and II Honors
 SPAN 2307 and SPAN 2308 Intermediate Spanish I and II
 SPAN 2317 and SPAN 2318 Intermediate Medical Spanish I and II
 COMD 1310 and COMD 1320 (Sign Language)
 FORL 1391 and FORL 1392 Level I and II (Chinese and Latin)
 PORT 1341 and PORT 1342 Portuguese I and II

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

FREN 1311 and FREN 1312 Beginning French I and II
 GERM 1311 and GERM 1312 Beginning German I and II
 SPAN 1311 and SPAN 1312 Spanish for Non-Native Speakers I and II
 Select alternative option
 SPAN 1387 and SPAN 1388 Beginning Spanish I and II for Honors Students
 SPAN 2313 and SPAN 2315 Spanish for Native/Heritage Speakers I and II
 SPAN 2317 and SPAN 2318 Spanish for Healthcare Professionals I and II
 COMD 1310 and COMD 1320 Beginning and Intermediate Sign Language
 FORL 1391 and FORL 1392 Elementary Studies in Foreign Languages I and II
 PORT 1311 and PORT 1312 Beginning Portuguese I and II

A – COMMUNICATION– 6 HOURS

ENG 1301 and ENG 1302 must be passed with a grade of "C" or higher.

UTPA Courses

ENG 1301 Rhetoric & Composition I (or ENG 1387 Honors)
 ENG 1302 Rhetoric & Composition II (or ENG 1388 Honors)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ENGL 1301 Rhetoric and Composition I (or ENGL 1387 Honors)
 ENGL 1302 Rhetoric And Composition II (or ENGL 1388 Honors)

B – NATURAL SCIENCE – 8 HOURS

UTPA Courses

ASTR 1401 and ASTR 1402 Astronomy I and II
 BIOL 1401 and BIOL 1402 General Biology II
 BIOL 1487 and BIOL 1488 General Biology I and II Honors
 BIOL 2403 and BIOL 2404 Anatomy and Physiology I and II
 CHEM 1301/1101 and CHEM 1302/1102 Chemistry I and II/Lab
 CHEM 1303/1103 and CHEM 1304/1104 Chemistry I and II (Non-Sci Majors)/Lab
 GEOL 1401 Physical Geology and GEOL 1402 Historical Geology
 PSCI 1421 and PSCI 1422 Physical Science I and II
 PHYS 1401 and PHYS 1402 General Physics I and II
 PHYS 2401 and PHYS 2402 Physics for Scientists & Engineers I and II

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ASTR 1401 and ASTR 1402 Introduction to Astronomy I and II
 BIOL 1406 and BIOL 1407 General Biology II
 BIOL 1487 and BIOL 1488 General Biology I and I Honors
 BIOL 2401 and BIOL 2402 Anatomy and Physiology I and II
 CHEM 1311/1111 and CHEM 1312/1112 General Chemistry I and II/Lab
 CHEM 1303/1103 and CHEM 1304/1104 Chemistry in Society I and II/Lab
 GEOL 1403 Physical Geology and GEOL 1404 Historical Geology
 PSCI 1421 and PSCI 1422 Physical Science I and II
 PHYS 1401 and PHYS 1402 General Physics I and II
 PHYS 2425 and PHYS 2426 Physics for Scientists and Engineers I and II

C – MATHEMATICS – 3 HOURS

Note: MATH 1340 or higher must be passed with a grade of "C" or higher. Also, MATH 1348 and PHIL 1321 are terminal courses and can not be taken as prerequisites for other MATH, EMAT or STAT courses.

UTPA Courses

MATH 1340 College Algebra

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

MATH 1314 College Algebra

Subject to change.

MATH 1341 Business Algebra
 MATH 1348 Contemporary Mathematics (or MATH 1389 Honors)
 MATH 1440 College Algebra (4 Hour)
 MATH 1450 Pre-Calculus with Trig (or MATH 1388 Honors)
 MATH 1460 Calculus I (or MATH 1487 Honors)
 MATH 2330 Statistics
 PHIL 1321 Introduction to Formal Logic

MATH 1324 Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences
 MATH 1332 Contemporary Mathematics
 MATH 1414 College Algebra
 MATH 2412 Precalculus
 MATH 2413 Calculus I (or MATH 2487 Honors)
 MATH 1342 Elementary Statistical Methods
 PHIL 1340 Introduction to Logic

D – HUMANITIES

1 – English Literature – 3 hours

UTPA Courses

ENG 2300 Introduction to Literature
 ENG 2303 Introduction to American Literature
 ENG 2305 Introduction to British Literature
 ENG 2307 Introduction to World Literature
 ENG 2308 Readings in Special Topics
 ENG 2313 Readings in Dramatic Literature
 ENG 2387 Readings in World Literature (Honors Plan)
 ENG 2388 Readings in World Literature (Honors Plan)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ENGL 2341 Introduction to Literature
 ENGL 2326 Introduction to American Literature
 ENGL 2321 Introduction to British Literature
 ENGL 2331 Introduction to World Literature
 ENGL 2308 Readings in Special Topics in Literature
 ENGL 2313 Readings in Dramatic Literature
 ENGL 2387 Readings in World Literature I (Honors)
 ENGL 2388 Readings In World Literature II (Honors)

2 – The Arts – 3 hours

UTPA Courses

ART 1301 Art Appreciation
 ART 1302 Art of our Times
 COMM 1301 Cinema Appreciation
 COMM 2312 Theater Appreciation
 DANC 2323 Dance Appreciation
 LAMS 2301 Inter-American Studies
 MUS 1307 Music Appreciation
 MUS 1308 Mexican Folk Music
 MUS 1309 World Music

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ARTS 1301 Art Appreciation
 Select alternative option
 THTF 2366 Cinema Appreciation
 THTF 1310 Theatre Appreciation
 DANC 2323 Dance Appreciation
 LAMS 2301 Introduction to Inter-American Studies
 MUSI 1306 Music Appreciation
 MUSI 1307 Mexican Folk Music
 MUSI 1309 World Music Cultures

3 – Philosophy and Modern/Classical Language Literature – 3 hours

UTPA Courses

PHIL 1305 Critical Thinking
 PHIL 1310 Introduction to Philosophy
 PHIL 2330 Ethics
 PHIL 2350 Social Philosophy
 PHIL 2370 Introduction to Asian Philosophy
 PHIL 2380 Introduction to Latin American Philosophy
 PHIL 2390 Professional Ethics
 PHIL 2391 Biomedical Ethics
 PHIL 2392 Business Ethics
 PHIL 2393 Engineering Ethics
 PHIL 2395 Environmental Ethics
 MCLL 2301 Topics in Modern and Classical Literature
 ANTH 1354 The Anthropology of Expressive Culture

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

PHIL 1300 Critical Thinking
 PHIL 1301 Introduction to Philosophy
 PHIL 1310 Ethics, Happiness, and the Good Life
 PHIL 1312 Introduction to Social and Political Philosophy
 PHIL 1306 Introduction to Asian Philosophy
 PHIL 1305 Introduction to Latin American Philosophy
 PHIL 2320 Professional Ethics
 PHIL 2322 Professional Ethics: Biomedical
 PHIL 2324 Professional Ethics: Business
 PHIL 2326 Professional Ethics: Engineering
 PHIL 2328 Environmental Ethics
 MCLL 2301 Special Topics in Modern and Classical Literature
 ANTH 1354 The Anthropology of Expressive Culture

E – SOCIAL SCIENCE

1 – American History – 6 hours

UTPA Courses

HIST 2313 American Heritage I (or HIST 2387 Honors)
 HIST 2314 American Heritage II (or HIST 2388 Honors)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

HIST 1301 U.S. History I (or HIST 2387 Honors)
 HIST 1302 U.S. History II (or HIST 2388 Honors)

2 – Political Science – 6 hours

UTPA Courses

POLS 2313 US & TX Govt & Politics I (or POLS 2387 Honors)
 POLS 2314 US & TX Govt & Politics II (or POLS 2388 Honors)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

POLS 2301 U.S. & Texas Government & Politics I
 POLS 2302 U.S. & Texas Government & Politics II

3 – Other Social Sciences – 3 hours

UTPA Courses

ANTH 1323 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

ANTH 2351 Introduction to Cultural Anthropology

ANTH 1324 Human Evolution	ANTH 1324 Human Evolution
ANTH 1342 Introduction to Archaeology	ANTH 2302 Introduction to Archeology
ANTH 1353 Introduction to Folklore	ANTH 1353 Introduction to Folklore
CRIJ 1301 Introduction to the Criminal Justice System	CRIJ 1301 Introduction to the Criminal Justice System
CRIJ 1307 Crime in America	CRIJ 1307 Crime in America
ECON 1301 Introduction to Economics	ECON 1301 Introduction to Economics
ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics
PSY 1310 Introduction to Psychology	PSYC 2301 General Psychology
SOC 1313 Principles of Sociology	SOCI 1301 Introduction to Sociology
SOC 1323 Current Social Issues	SOCI 1323 Social Problems
SOC 1387 Principles of Sociology (Honors)	Select alternative option
SOC 2331 Education and Society	Select alternative option

F – COMPUTER LITERACY – 2 HOURS

UTPA Courses

CIS 1201 Intro to Information Systems & Technology
 CSCI 1201 Intro to Computer Information Technology
 CSCI 1202 Computer & Information Technology (for Education Majors)
 CSCI 1260 Introductory Computer Science Concepts (for STEM Majors)
 MECE 1221 Engineering Graphics (MECE Majors Only)

Course Equivalents at UTRGV

INFS 1301 Computer Information Systems
 CSCI 1201 Introduction to Computer and Information Technology
 Select alternative option
 Select alternative option
 MECE 1221 Engineering Graphics