

		!	H	A	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes	
FIRST YEAR	FALL		3		Choose 1	Communication (Core)	C	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on ENGL portion of ACT test or TSI reading/writing exams or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302/1388, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301/1387.	See General Education Core for more details Options: ENGL 1301 or ENGL 1387 (H)	
			3		ARTS 1303 or 1304	Creative Arts (Core)		050		Satisfies General Education Core.	
			3		ARTS 1311	Design I				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
			3		ARTS 1316	Drawing I				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
			3		Choose 1	Government/Political Science (Core)		070		See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2305 or POLS 2385 (H)	
					UNIV 1301	Learning Framework				Only if required, based on ACT/SAT and high school rank.	
<b>15 (0) Semester Total Hours</b>											
FIRST YEAR	SPRING		3		Choose 1	Communication (Core)	C	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on ENGL portion of ACT test or TSI reading/writing exams or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302/1388, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301/1387.	See General Education Core for more details Options: ENGL 1302 or ENGL 1388 (H) or ENGL 1305	
			3		Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 1387 or HIST/MASC 2327	
			3		Choose 1	Mathematics (Core)	C	020	Satisfactory scores on Math portion of ACT test or TSI math exam or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options. Must be MATH 1314 or higher.	
			3		ARTS 1312	Design II				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
			3		ARTS 1317	Drawing II				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
		<b>15 (0) Semester Total Hours</b>									
SECOND YEAR	FALL		3		Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1302 or HIST 1388 or HIST/MASC 2328	
			4		Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030		See General Education Core for course options.	
			3		Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core)		090		See General Education Core for course options.	
			3		ARTS 1303 or 1304	Art History I or Art History II				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
			3		ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.	
		<b>16 (0) Semester Total Hours</b>									
	SECOND YEAR	SPRING		3		Choose 1	Language, Philosophy & Culture (Core)		040		See General Education Core for course options.
				4		Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030		See General Education Core for course options.
				3		ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
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<b>16 (0) Semester Total Hours</b>											

CORE: The 2017-2018 list of core courses can be found at: [www.utrgv.edu](http://www.utrgv.edu) > Academics > Undergraduate > General Education Core  
[www.utrgv.edu/core](http://www.utrgv.edu/core)

**Symbols Key**

**Critical (!):** sequence sensitive course.

**Minimum Grade:** A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.

**General Education Core (GEC) Sections:** 010 - Communication; 020 - Mathematics; 030 - Life and Physical Sciences; 040 - Language, Philosophy & Culture; 050 - Creative Arts; 060 - American History; 070 - Government/Political Science; 080 - Social and Behavioral Sciences; 090 - Computer Application; 090 - Interdisciplinary ;090 - Science Labs; 090 - Wellness.

**Language Proficiency Requirement:** Student is required to demonstrate language proficiency in a language other than English at the undergraduate level equivalent to a minimum of six credits.

		!	H	A	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
THIRD YEAR	FALL		3		Choose 1	Government/Political Science (Core)		070		See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2306 or POLS 2386 (H)
			3		ARTS 23XX	Studio Art Lower Level Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 3311	Intermediate Drawing				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
	<b>15 (9) Semester Total Hours</b>									
THIRD YEAR	SPRING		1		Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core)		090		See General Education Core for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 333X-433X	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
		3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.	
<b>16 (15) Semester Total Hours</b>										
FOURTH YEAR	FALL		3		Choose 1	Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core)		080		See General Education Core for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 335X-435X	Art History Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
			3	(3)	XXXX 33XX-43XX	Art or Free Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
	<b>15 (12) Semester Total Hours</b>									
FOURTH YEAR	SPRING		3	(3)	ARTS 4340	Portfolio for Studio Art				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
			3	(3)	ARTS 4397	BFA Exhibit in Studio Art (Capstone)				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
			3	(3)	ARTS 33XX-43XX	Studio Art Advanced Elective				See Degree Plan for course options.
<b>12 (12) Semester Total Hours</b>										

**Graduation Requirements**

In addition to the graduation requirements listed in the UTRGV 2017-2019 Undergraduate Catalog, demonstration of proficiency in a language other than English is required at the undergraduate level equivalent to a minimum of six credit hours. Proficiency can be demonstrated by a college credit exam, a placement test approved through the UTRGV department of Writing and Language Studies, and/or to six credit hours of college-level language coursework.

**120 TOTAL HOURS**  
**(48) TOTAL ADVANCED HOURS**

Approved:  
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