

		I	H	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 English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details Option: ENGL 1301
			3	Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST/MASC 2327
			3	Choose 1	Creative Arts (Core)		050		See General Education Core for course options.
			3	Choose 1	Mathematics (Core)	C	020	College Ready TSI status in Mathematics or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options.
			3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
				UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001 Living and Working by Design				As required, based on credit hours earned, TSI status, High School rank, major declaration.
	15 Semester Total Hours								
	SPRING		3	Choose 1	Communication (Core)	C	010	For all 010 courses: Satisfactory scores on English portion of ACT test and TSI examination or ENGL 0301. For ENGL 1302, a grade of "C" or better in ENGL 1301.	See General Education Core for more details Options: ENGL 1302 or ENGL 1305
		3	Choose 1	American History (Core)		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1302 or HIST/MASC 2328	
		4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030/090	May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options.	
		3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
		3	Choose 1	Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core)		080		See General Education Core for course options.	
16 Semester Total Hours									
SECOND YEAR	FALL	I	H	Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
			3	POLS 2305	U.S. Federal Govt & Politics		070		
			4	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences (Core)		030/090	May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options.
			1	Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core)		090		See General Education Core for course options.
			3	HIST 2321	World History I		040		Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
			3	XXXX X3XX	Minor				
	14 Semester Total Hours								
	SPRING		3	POLS 2306	Texas Government & Politics		070		
			3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
			3	HIST 2322	World History II		090		Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		I	3	HIST 3300	Historiography and Methods				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
		3	XXXX X3XX	Minor					
15 Semester Total Hours									

**CORE:** The 2020-2021 list of core courses can be found in the 2020-2021 Undergraduate Catalog: [www.utrgv.edu/catalog](http://www.utrgv.edu/catalog) > See 'Core Curriculum'

#### 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 - Applied Communication and Literacies; 090 - Humanities; 090 - Leadership; 090 - Science Labs; 090 - Interdisciplinary ; 090 - Technologies; 090 - Language Diversity & Writing.

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FALL	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>U.S. History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Europe, Latin America, World, or Asia/Middle Eastern History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course option.
	3	XXXX X3XX	Minor				
	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>							
SPRING	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>U.S. History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Europe, Latin America, World, or Asia/Middle Eastern History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course option.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	XXXX X3XX	Minor				
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>							
! H		Course #	Course Title	Min. Grade	GEC	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
FALL	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	33XX 43XX	Minor (Advanced)				
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	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>							
SPRING	3	HIST 4399	Senior Research Seminar			HIST 3300 and 15 advanced hours in History.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Major Advanced Prescribed Elective			prerequisite of HIST 3300 may apply	<b>Additional History Elective.</b> See Degree Plan for course options. <b>Note: HIST 3301 does not fulfill the HIST elective requirement.</b>
	3	13XX-43XX	Free Elective				
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<b>15 Semester Total Hours</b>							

#### Notes

HIST 3301 will not count as an advanced HIST elective for this degree plan.

Minors vary in credit hours required. If applicable, the credit hours in the minor selected may impact the number of free electives required to reach the 120 credit hours needed to earn a bachelor's degree.

The B.A. in History requires free elective credit hours. The number of free electives required for the B.A. in History is contingent on the credit hours of the minor selected. **Advanced hours will vary to meet the minimum 42 advanced institutional credit hour requirement for a bachelor's degree.**

#### Major Graduation Requirements

A student graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in History is required to demonstrate proficiency (beginning, intermediate or advanced) in a foreign language. Proficiency can be demonstrated by:

- Earning 6 credits of foreign language through successful completion of coursework
- Earning 6 credits through a foreign language college credit exam (e.g. AP, CLEP, International Baccalaureate)
- Demonstrating proficiency by meeting the WebCAPE scores approved by the Department of Writing and Language Studies
- Demonstrating proficiency by an exam approved by the Department of Writing and Language Studies

**120 TOTAL HOURS (42 Advanced minimum credit hours)**

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