

| | | 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 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 | SPAN 2313 | Spanish for Bilinguals I | c | | Native or Near-Native Proficiency in Spanish. | Satisfies Language Proficiency Requirement. |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | American History (Core) | | 060 | | See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST 1387 or HIST/MASC 2327 |
| | | 4 | Choose 1 | Life and Physical Sciences (Core) | | 030 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core) | | 080 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| | | | | | UNIV 1301 | Learning Framework | | |
| 16 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | | |
| 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 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 | SPAN 2315 | Spanish for Bilinguals II | c | | SPAN 2313 | Satisfies Language Proficiency Requirement. |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core) | | 090 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| 16 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | | |
| SECOND YEAR | FALL | 3 | Choose 1 | Language, Philosophy & Culture (Core) | | 040 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| | | 3 | SPAN 3300 | Advanced Spanish Grammar & Composition I | c | | SPAN 2313 and SPAN 2315. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. |
| | | 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. |
| | | 1 | Choose 1 | Integrative/Experiential Learning Option (Core) | | 090 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | Government/Political Science (Core) | | 070 | | See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2305 or POLS 2385 (H) |
| | | 3 | SPAN 3305 | Techniques of Literary Analysis | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Offered in Edinburg Fall and Spring, and in Brownsville in the Fall semester only. |
| 16 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | | |
| SECOND YEAR | SPRING | 3 | SPAN 3301 | Advanced Spanish Grammar & Composition II | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. | |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | Government/Political Science (Core) | | 070 | | See General Education Core for more details Options: POLS 2306 or POLS 2386 (H) |
| | | 3 | Choose 1 | Creative Arts (Core) | | 050 | | See General Education Core for course options. |
| | | 3 | SPAN 3307 | Introduction to Latin American Literature | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Offered in Edinburg Fall and Spring, and in Brownsville in the Spring semester only. |
| | | 3 | EDFR 2301 | Intercultural Context of Schooling | c | | | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. |
| 15 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | | |

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

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| THIRD YEAR | FALL | 3 | SPAN 3306 | Introduction to Spanish Literature | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. Offered in Edinburg Fall and Spring, and in Brownsville in the Fall semester only. | |
| | | 3 | SPAN 3308 | Introduction to Latina/o Literature | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | 13XX-43XX | Free Elective | | | | SPAN 3309 is recommended. | |
| | | 3 | SPAN 4310 | Spanish Applied Linguistics | c | | SPAN 2313, SPAN 2315 and SPAN 3300. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. SPAN 4310 is only offered via ITV in the Fall semester, both campuses. | |
| | | 3 | EDUC 3301 | The Teaching Profession and Student Learning in Contemporary Schools | c | | EDFR 2301, Admission to COE Teacher Education Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | 13XX-43XX | Free Elective | | | | | |
| | | | 18 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | |
| THIRD YEAR | SPRING | 3 | SPAN 3311 or SPAN 4311 | Spanish Phonology and Phonetics or Spanish in Social Context | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315, Spanish 3300 and SPAN 3301 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. SPAN 3311 is offered in Edinburg Fall and Spring, and in Brownsville in the Fall semester only. SPAN 4311 is offered in the Spring semester only. | |
| | | 3 | SPAN 4315 | Acquisition of the Spanish Language | c | | SPAN 2313, SPAN 2315 and SPAN 3300. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | 13XX-43XX | Free Elective | | | | | |
| | | 3 | SPAN 3338 | The Hispanic World | c | | Spanish 2313, Spanish 2315 and Spanish 3300 with a grade of C or better. May be taken concurrently with SPAN 3300, Advanced Grammar and Composition I. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | EDUC 3302 | Human Development, Learning Theories, and Student Learning | | | EDFR 2301, Admission to COE Teacher Education Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | EDUC 3303 | Teaching in Today's Diverse Classrooms | c | | EDFR 2301, Admission to COE Teacher Education Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 18 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | |
| FOURTH YEAR | FALL | 3 | SPAN 4370 | The Teaching of Spanish as a Heritage Language | c | | SPAN 2313 and SPAN 2315, 3300, 3301, 4310, 4315 | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. SPAN 4370 is only offered via ITV in the Spring semester, both campuses. | |
| | | 3 | SPAN 4380 | Senior Seminar | c | | 18 hours in advanced Spanish including SPAN 2313, SPAN 2315, SPAN 3300, SPAN 3306, SPAN 3307, and SPAN 3308 | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. SPAN 4380 is only offered via ITV in the Fall semester, both campuses. | |
| | | 3 | EDUC 4306 | Implementing & Assessing Effective Secondary Content Pedagogy | | | Admission to the COE Teacher Preparation Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | READ 4305 | Content Area Literacy | | | Admission to COE Teacher Education Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 3 | EDUC 3304 | Instructional Planning, Classroom Management & Assessment to Promote Student Learning | | | Admission to the COE Teacher Preparation Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | | 15 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | |
| | SPRING | 6 | EDUC 4611 | Student Teaching Secondary or All-Level | | | Admission to the COE Teacher Preparation Program. | Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement. | |
| | | 6 Semester Total Hours | | | | | | | |

* All courses in the major require grade of "C" or better

Progression Requirements

For teacher certification, students must apply for admission and be accepted to the College of Education and P-16 Integration prior to enrolling in teacher certification courses, except for EDFR 2301 which is open to all students. Students unable to be admitted to EDUC 4611 will be required to substitute 6 advanced hours, as recommended by advisor.

Graduation Requirements

1. Students must pass the TExES LOTE Spanish Exam (TEA), and pass the TExES PPR Exam (TEA).
2. 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
(60) TOTAL ADVANCED HOURS

Approved:
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