

Bachelor of Arts (BA)
History
Minor Required

The 2026-2027 list of core courses can be found in the 2026-2027 Undergraduate Catalog: www.utrgv.edu/catalog > See 'Bachelors Degree Program Regulations'

Symbols Key											
Campus: B - Offered in Brownsville; E - Offered in Edinburg; O - Offered Online; T - Travel Required											
Bolded Course Number*: Program Admission Requirement											
Min Grade: A - Excellent; B - Good; C - Satisfactory; D - Below Average; CR - Credit; P - Passing; S - Satisfactory.											
Core: 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;											
Core: 090 - Applied Communication and Literacies; Humanities; Leadership; Science Labs; Interdisciplinary; Technologies; Language Diversity & Writing											
Year	Semester	Credit Hours	Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Minimum Grade	Core	Prerequisite	Additional Notes		
1	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Communication	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		
	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1301 or HIST/MASC 2327		
	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Creative Arts		050		See General Education Core for course options.		
	Fall	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Mathematics	C	020		College Ready TSI status in Mathematics or MATH 0314/0332/0342.	See General Education Core for course options.	
	Fall	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective						
	Fall			B/E/O	UNIV	1301 Learning Framework 1101 Academic and Career Success 1001/1300 Living and Working by Design				As required, based on a number of factors such as credit hours earned, TSI status, high school rank, major declaration, etc.	
	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours								
	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Communication	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	
	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	American History		060		See General Education Core for more details. Options: HIST 1302 or HIST/MASC 2328		
	Spring	4	B/E/O	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030		May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options. 1 credit hour of lab may apply to category 090.	
	Spring	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective						
	Spring	3	B/E/O	Choose 1	Social and Behavioral Sciences		080		See General Education Core for course options.		
	Spring	16	Semester Total Hours								
	Year	Semester	Credit Hours	Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Minimum Grade		Core	Prerequisite	Additional Notes
	2	Fall	3	B/E/O	POLS 2305	U.S. Federal Govt & Politics			070		
Fall		4	B/E/O	Choose 1	Life and Physical Sciences		030	May apply pending course selection	See General Education Core for course options. 1 credit hour of lab may apply to category 090.		
Fall		1	B/E/O	Choose 1	Integrative/Experiential Learning Option		090		See General Education Core for course options.		
Fall		3	B/E/O	HIST 2321	World History I		040		Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.		
Fall		3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	*Minor						
Fall		14	Semester Total Hours								
Spring		3	B/E/O	POLS 2306	Texas Government & Politics		070				
Spring		3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective						
Spring		3	B/E/O	HIST 2322	World History II		090		Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.		
Spring		3	B/E	HIST 3300	Historiography and Methods				Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.		
Spring		3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	*Minor						
Spring		15	Semester Total Hours								

Year	Semester	Credit Hours	Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Minimum Grade	Core	Prerequisite	Additional Notes	
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Prescribed Electives - United States History			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	U.S. History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Prescribed Electives- United States History			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Europe, Latin America, World, or Asia/Middle Eastern History Elective. See Degree Plan for course option.	
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	*Minor					
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
3	Fall	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
3	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours							
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Prescribed Electives - European History, Latin American History, World History, Asian/Middle Eastern History			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	See Degree Plan for course options.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Prescribed Electives - European History, Latin American History, World History, Asian/Middle Eastern History			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	See Degree Plan for course options.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
3	Spring	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	*Minor					
3	Spring	15	Semester Total Hours							
Year	Semester	Credit Hours	Campus	Course Number	Course Title	Minimum Grade	Core	Prerequisite	Additional Notes	
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
4	Fall	3	B/E/O	33XX-43XX	*Minor (Advanced)					
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4	Fall	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
4	Fall	15	Semester Total Hours							
4	Spring	3	B/E	HIST 4399	Senior Research Seminar			HIST 3300 and 15 advanced HIST hours: 6 advanced hours at the 4000 level; and 9 advanced hours at the 3000 and/or 4000 level.	Satisfies Major-Specific Requirement.	
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	HIST 33XX - 43XX	Additional Advanced History Electives			Prerequisite of HIST 3300 or 3308 may apply	Additional History Elective. See Degree Plan for course options.	
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
4	Spring	3	B/E/O	13XX-43XX	Free Elective					
4	Spring	15	Semester Total Hours							

120 TOTAL HOURS
(42) Advanced minimum credit hours