

**West Texas A&M University  
STARR Center  
Degree Checklist  
2008-2009**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ WT ID: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Social Sciences  
Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice  
OM 414B (806)651-2433**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS	
<b>Communication (10)</b>			
ENGL 1301 (ENG 101); 1302* (ENG 102) or 2311* (ENG 270)	6		
<b>Communication (11)</b>			
SCOM 1315 (101), 1318 (103), or 1321 (201)	3		
<b>Mathematics (20)</b>			
MATH 1314* (110), 1324* (115), 1332*/*, 2412*, or 2413*	3		
<b>Natural Sciences (30)</b>			
<b>Take two courses from:</b> PSES 1301 (216), 1307 (112); ANSC 1319 (121); BIOL 1406 (101) or 1408 (NEW), 1407* (102) or 1409* (NEW), 1411 (122), 1413 (121); CHEM 1405 (121), 1411* (101), 1412* (102); GEOL 1401 (GESC 111) or 1403 (GEOL 101), 1402 (GESC 112), 1404 (GEOL 102); PHYS 1401* (101), 1402* (102), 1411, 1412, 2425* (210), 2426* (211)			
	6-8		
<b>Humanities (40-41)</b>			
ENGL 2321* (NEW), 2326* (NEW), 2331* (NEW), 2341* (NEW), 2343* (NEW); HIST 2311 (110), 2372 (210); MCOM 1307 (MC 107); PHIL 1301 (101), 2374 (204); or SPAN 2312*/* (207) <b>Choose 1</b>	3		
<b>Visual and Performing Arts (50)</b>			
HUMA 1315 (FA 101); ARTS 1303 (ART 151), ARTS 1304 (ART 152); DANC 2303 (NEW); MUSI 1306 (MUS 101) or 1208 and 1209; or THRE 1310 (105) <b>Choose 1</b>	3		
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (60)</b>			
HIST 1301 (201), 1302 (202), 2301 <b>Choose 2</b>	6		
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (70)</b>			
POSC 2305 (101) or POSC 2370 (NEW); 2306 (102)	6		
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (80)</b>			
AGBE 2317 (213), ANTH 2351 (201); CRIJ 1301 (CJ 105); ECON 2301 (ECO 201), 2302 (ECO 202), 2371; GEOG 1302 (202); PSYC 2301 (PSY 201); SCOM 2377 (255); SOCI 1301 (201); or SOCW 2361 (SOWK 201) <b>Choose 1</b>	3		
<b>Institutionally Designated Option (90)</b>			
PHED 1111 (SES 101); PHED/ANSC activity course; DANC 1241 (1070), 2241* (2370); MUEN 1026 Upon written recommendation of the University physician or the coordinator for Student Disability Services, students may substitute a one hour elective course in lieu of physical education course.	1-2		
<b>SOCIAL SCIENCE REQUIREMENTS: 54 HOURS</b> <b>Take 18 semester hours in each of two social sciences (anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology). Also, take nine semester hours in each of two additional social sciences. No one-semester-hour courses may be counted toward these requirements. (See NOTE)</b>			
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**Bachelor of Arts Degree  
BS.SOCIAL.SCI (121)**

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<b>BACHELOR OF SCIENCE REQUIREMENTS: 6 HOURS OPTION</b>			
Six hours chosen from biology, chemistry, geology, geosciences, mathematics, physics and natural sciences.	6		
<b>ELECTIVES: 18 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT</b>			
ELECTIVES (ADVANCED)			
ELECTIVES (ANY LEVEL)			
<b>TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>	<b>120</b>		

♦ Core curriculum courses should be taken during the first two years of enrollment. For a list of core courses with descriptions see [www.wtamu.edu/starr/](http://www.wtamu.edu/starr/).  
\* Indicates prerequisites—see [catalog](#) for more information.  
\*\* While MATH 1332 will fulfill core math requirements for students in the 2008-2009 catalog, it will NOT prepare them for math beyond MATH 1332 such as Business Math II (MATH 1325), Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412), etc.  
\*\*\* Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in French or German.  
NOTE: Students will be advised by the head of the department in which they elect to meet one of the 18-semester-hour requirements. At least 36 hours of advanced work (courses at the 3000- or 4000-level) are required to receive a bachelor's degree. At least 30 must be earned in residence at WTAMU.

**Note: This is NOT a degree plan. Upon completion of 60 hours, apply for a degree plan in the office of the dean of the College of Education and Social Sciences located in Old Main, Room 410D, or call 651-2600.**