

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2017-2018**

(For assistance completing this form, contact Advising Services at 806-651-5300)

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

**Economics (see note below)**  
**Department of Accounting, Economics and Finance**  
**CC 220 651-2525**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS
<b>Communication (Code 10)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(6)	
<b>Mathematics (Code 20)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
<b>Life and Physical Sciences (Code 30)</b>		
Take two courses from (extra lab hours move to Code 90): ♦ ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1408, 1407* or 1409*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1405* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407*; GEOL 1401 or 1403, 1402, 1404; PHYS 1401*, 1402*, 1411, 1412, 2425*, 2426*; PSES 1301, 1307		
	6	
<b>Language, Philosophy and Culture (Code 40)</b>		
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312**/**, 2313*, 2315*, or 2371	Choose 1	3
<b>Creative Arts (Code 50)</b>		
ARTS 1303, ARTS 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, MUSI 1307, MUSI 1310; or THRE 1310	Choose 1	3
<b>American History (Code 60)</b>		
HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381	Choose 2	6
<b>Government/Political Science (Code 70)</b>		
POSC 2305 and 2306		6
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (Code 80)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(3)	
<b>Component Area Option (Code 90)</b>		
See University Core Requirements below	(6)	
<b>ECONOMICS REQUIREMENTS: 66 HOURS</b> A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
<b>UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 18 HOURS</b>		
ENGL 1301 Introduction to Academic Writing and Argumentation	PB	3
<b>CORE 10***</b> COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321		3
<b>CORE 20</b> MATH 1324* Math for Business and Economics	PB	3
<b>CORE 80</b> ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics	PB	3
<b>CORE 90**</b> ENGL 1302* Academic Writing and Research OR ENGL 2311* Introduction to Professional and Technical Communication		3
<b>CORE 90**</b> BUSI 1304, CIDM 1301 or 1315, or FIN 1307	PB	3
<b>ECONOMICS MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 33 HOURS</b>		
ECON 2302 Principles of Microeconomics	PB	3
ECON 3311* Intermediate Microeconomic Theory		3
ECON 3312* Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory		3
ADVANCED ECONOMICS ELECTIVE*		3

**Bachelor of Science Degree**  
**BS.ECO (319)**

ADVANCED ECONOMICS ELECTIVE*	3	
MATH 1325* Math for Business & Economics II	3	
CIDM 2342* Statistics for Business and Economics	3	
<b>ELECTIVES BY ADVISEMENT: 15 HOURS</b>		
COURSE SELECTED WITH ECONOMICS ADVISER	3	
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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: 24 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT—SEE NOTE</b>		
ELECTIVES (ADVANCED)	0-15	
ELECTIVES (ANY LEVEL) Recommended electives are ACCT 2301 and 2302.	9-18	
<b>MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>	<b>120</b>	

Once students are admitted to West Texas A&M University, they can gain admittance to the College of Business by satisfactorily completing a set of pre-admission courses (see PB note below) and completing 30 credit hours of undergraduate course work. Students seeking admission to the business program that have completed 30 or more credit hours in a different major or as a transfer student may be admitted to the business program with a 2.5 cumulative GPA or approval by the associate dean of undergraduate business programs. (See catalog or Pre-Business checklist for more details.)

NOTE: The core curriculum must total **exactly 42 hours**; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements.

**PB The pre-business courses include 12 credit hours from the following: ECON 2301 or ECON 2302; MATH 1324 (or equivalent); ENGL 1301; BUSI 1304, CIDM 1301 or 1315, FIN 1307, or University Core 90 equivalent.**

♦♦ Or University Core 90 equivalent. **Note: only six hours are required for Code 90;** extra hours from 4-hour Core 30 courses (if taken) will count towards Core 90 (or as elective hours if the two 3-hour courses indicated are taken for Core 90.

\* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.

\*\* Or an equivalent course (second year, first or second semester) in a foreign language.

\*\*\* COMM 1321 or 1318 Recommended Course.

NOTE: At least 39 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU, and 30 of the final 36 hours counted toward the degree must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion (REL) and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

**Note: This is NOT a degree plan. After completing 30 hours, students are encouraged to request an official degree plan by using the online [Degree Plan Request](#) form. The dean's office of the College of Business, located in the Classroom Center, Room 216 (phone 806-651-2530), can answer questions about the degree plan. Students who have completed 45 hours will not be allowed to progress without requesting a degree plan.**



First Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s  15	CORE 10	3	H o u r s  15	CORE 90	3
	ENGL 1301 (PB)			ENGL 1302* or 2311* (PB)	
	CORE 20	3		MATH 1325*	3
	MATH 1324 (PB)				
	ECON 2301 (PB)	3		ECON 2302 (PB)	3
	(Required for CORE 80)				
	CORE 10	3		CORE 60	3
	COMM 1315 or 1321			HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381	
	CORE 90	3		CORE 70	3
	Business Course*** (PB)			POSC 2305	

Second Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s  15	CIDM 2342*	3	H o u r s  15	CORE 30	3
				See checklist for options	
	CORE 30	3		CORE 50	3
	See checklist for options			See checklist for options	
	CORE 40	3		ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3
	See checklist for options			3000- or 4000-level ECON	
	CORE 60	3		COURSE SELECTED	3
	HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2381			WITH ECON ADVISER	
	CORE 70	3		COURSE SELECTED	3
	POSC 2306			WITH ECON ADVISER	

Third Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s  15	ECON 3312* (F)	3	H o u r s  15	ECON 3311* (S)	3
	ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3		ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3
	3000- or 4000-level ECON			3000- or 4000-level ECON	
	ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3		ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3
	3000- or 4000-level ECON			3000- or 4000-level ECON	
	BS REQUIREMENT	3		BS REQUIREMENT	3
	See checklist for options			See checklist for options	
	COURSE SELECTED	3		COURSE SELECTED	3
	WITH ECON ADVISER			WITH ECON ADVISER	

Fourth Year					
Fall		Spring			
H o u r s  15	ADV. ECON ELECTIVE*	3	H o u r s  15	ELECTIVE	3
	3000- or 4000-level ECON				
	COURSE SELECTED	3		ELECTIVE	3
	WITH ECON ADVISER				
	ELECTIVE	3		ELECTIVE	3
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**DISCLAIMER:** This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 45 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.

**Notes:**  
 \* Indicates prerequisites required--see University catalog.  
 (PB) Pre-Business. Students must complete these courses with a "C" or better before declaring a Business major.  
 (F) Fall ONLY\*\*  
 (S) Spring ONLY\*\*  
 \*\* Course rotations are not definitive and should be used for general planning purposes. A number of factors can influence when courses are offered. Students should always consult with their academic adviser before scheduling classes.  
 \*\*\* BUSI 1304, CIDM 1301, CIDM 1315, FIN 1307 or University Core 90 equivalent.