

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2016-2017**

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

**Spanish**  
**Department of English, Philosophy and Modern**  
**Languages – Classroom Center, Room 324 651-2455**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS
<b>Communication (Code 10)</b>		
ENGL 1301 Introduction to Academic Writing and Argumentation	3	
COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	3	
<b>Mathematics (Code 20)</b>		
MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332*/**, 1350*/**, 2412*, or 2413* (extra MATH hour moves to Code 90)	3	
<b>Life and Physical Sciences (Code 30)</b>		
<b>Take two courses from (extra lab hours move to Code 90): ♦</b>		
ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1408, 1407* or 1409*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1405* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407* (pending approval); 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*/** or SPAN 2315*/** Choose 1	3	
<b>Creative Arts (Code 50)</b>		
ARTS 1303, ARTS 1304; DANC 2303; HUMA 1315; MUSI 1306 or 1208 and 1209* (extra MUSI hour moves to Code 90); 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>		
AGBE 2317*; COMM 2377; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301, 2302; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301 Choose 1	3	
<b>Component Area Option (Code 90)</b>		
<b>Take six hours from: ♦</b>		
AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Code 30); BUSI 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Code 30); CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ENGL 1101, 1302*, 2311*; ENVR lab hour (from Code 30-pending approval); FIN 1307, GEOL lab hours (from Code 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); extra MATH hours (from Code 20); extra MUSI hour (from Code 50); PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Code 30)	6	
<b>SPANISH MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 45-48 HOURS</b> A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.		
<b>SPANISH REQUIREMENTS: 39-42 HOURS</b> If SPAN 2311, 2312, 2313, or 2315 is taken to satisfy the University core, only 33 hours of Spanish is required.		
<b>NOTE: Heritage speakers should take (and will be better served by taking) SPAN 2313 and 2315 rather than 2311 and 2312. Both of these courses require instructor consent in order to determine the most appropriate choice.</b>		
SPAN 2311* Intermediate Spanish I AND SPAN 2312* Intermediate Spanish II OR SPAN 2313* Spanish for Heritage Speakers I AND SPAN 2315* Spanish for Heritage Speakers II	3-6	
SPAN 3301* Advanced Spanish	3	
SPAN 3307* Advanced Conversation	3	
SPAN 3308* Expository Writing in Spanish	3	
SPAN 4320* Advanced Spanish Grammar	3	
SPAN 4330* Spanish Phonology	3	
SPAN 4385* Hispanic Film	3	
SPAN 4375* Hispanic Writers in the U.S. OR SPAN 4395* Mexican Literature and Culture	3	

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SPAN 3314* Latin American Culture & Civilization OR SPAN 3315* Spanish Culture and Civilization	3	
SPAN 4355* Spanish American Literature OR SPAN 4365* Spanish Literature	3	
ADVANCED SPANISH ELECTIVE	3	
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<b>REQUIRED COURSES FROM OTHER AREAS: 6 HOURS</b>		
<b>Take two courses from:</b>		
ENGL 3310* Semantics	6	
ENGL 3311* Introduction to Language Structure		
ENGL 3312* History of the English Language		
ENGL 4304* Web Development and Design for Technical Communicators		
ENGL 4310* Advanced Grammar		
ENGL 4311* Language Acquisition		
HIST 3316 Mexican American History		
HIST 3361 Modern Latin America		
HIST 3364 Mexico, Independence to the Present		
HIST 3366 North American Borderlands History		
HIST 4315 Spaniards, Indians, and the Creation of Hispanic North America, 1580-1821		
HIST 4321 Civil Rights Movements in the United States		
<b>ELECTIVES: 30-33 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT—SEE NOTE ♦</b> If a student begins with Spanish 1411 and 1412, this will count toward eight hours of electives. Native speakers of Spanish or students who have taken 3+ years of high school Spanish are encouraged to begin their Spanish requirements at the 2000-level, bypassing SPAN 1411 and 1412.		
<b>ELECTIVES (ANY LEVEL) ♦</b>		
	30-33	
<b>MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>	<b>120</b>	

♦ 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. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core curriculum requirements when options are available.

\* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.

\*\* While MATH 1332 and 1350 will fulfill core math requirements, they will NOT prepare students for higher-level math courses such as Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1316) or Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412).

\*\*\* Recommended by department.

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 60 semester hours in Spanish (SPAN), six hours in religion (RELI) and six hours in physical education (PHED) can be counted toward a 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 Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities, located in Mary Moody Northen Hall, Room 181 (or call 806-651-2782), 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	SPAN 2311/13	3	H o u r s  15	SPAN 2312/15	3
	See <b>Note</b> below				
	CORE 10-Engl 1301	3		CORE 10-COMM	3
				COMM 1315, 1318 or 1321	
	CORE 20-MATH	3		CORE 30	3
	CORE 30	3		CORE 50	3
CORE 60	3	CORE 60	3		

Second Year					
Fall			Spring		
H o u r s  15	SPAN 3301	3	H o u r s  15	SPAN 3308	3
	SPAN 3314/15	3		SPAN 4355/65	3
	CORE 70	3		CORE 70	3
	CORE 80	3		CORE 90	3
CORE 90	3	ELECTIVE	3		

Third Year					
Fall			Spring		
H o u r s  15	SPAN 3307	3	H o u r s  15	SPAN 4330	3
	SPAN 4320	3		SPAN 4375/95	3
	ENG/HIST OPTION	3		ENG/HIST OPTION	3
	See checklist for options			See checklist for options	
	ELECTIVE	3		ELECTIVE	3
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Fourth Year					
Fall			Spring		
H o u r s  15	SPAN 4385	3	H o u r s  15	ADV SPAN 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.

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