WTAMU

A WORLD OF POSSIBILITIES
The world of today, and surely that of tomorrow, is characterized as one of constant change, uncertainty and greater connectivity through technology.

Programs at West Texas A&M University have been designed to prepare individuals to thrive in this dynamic, global environment, to appreciate the creativity of humans and to acquire the skills to contribute to ongoing creative processes.

At WTAMU, we provide a distinctive mix of faculty excellence and individualized attention to create a superb learning environment for our students. By studying with us, you will learn to critically analyze issues, appropriately apply technology and effectively communicate ideas. You will have the opportunity to study agriculture, business, education, the fine arts, nursing, political science, the natural sciences or any of the dozens of other fields we offer.

At West Texas A&M University you will be challenged to learn, to develop an appreciation of the arts, literature and different cultures and to grow intellectually and socially. At WTAMU, your intellectual and personal growth will take place not only in the classroom, but also in the many social, athletic and extracurricular activities offered on campus.

The West Texas A&M University community welcomes you.
West Texas A&M University is a growing, vibrant campus where innovative ideas thrive and meaningful careers are born. Not only does WTAMU have faculty that have distinguished themselves in research and teaching; they have a genuine commitment to helping students succeed.

West Texas A&M University provides a unique blend of liberal arts and career-oriented educational opportunities, quality instruction, selective admissions, affordable cost and a friendly and safe campus atmosphere. WTAMU serves a diverse student population of almost 10,000 students with approximately 300 international students representing 52 different countries. The University is accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) to award bachelor’s, master’s and doctoral degrees.

University Structure
The University consists of five colleges, two schools and a graduate school:

- College of Agriculture and Natural Sciences
- College of Business
- College of Education and Social Sciences
- School of Engineering, Computer Science and Mathematics
- Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities
- School of Music
- College of Nursing and Health Sciences
- Graduate School

Academic Calendar
- Fall semester – August to December
- Spring semester – January to May
- Summer session I – June to July
- Summer session II – July to August

Where is West Texas A&M University?
West Texas A&M University is located in the great state of Texas, the second largest state in the United States. The University is in the city of Canyon, home to about 14,500 residents and just 15 miles south of Amarillo with 200,000 residents.
All foreign applicants must submit the following items for admission consideration:

- Admission application;
- $75 non-refundable application fee;
- Official transcripts with certified English translations (if documents are not in English);
- Foreign credential evaluation report from University-approved evaluation agency;
- Proof of English proficiency
  - Freshmen and Transfers - TOEFL 197 computer based; 71 iBT; IELTS 6.0 or PTE 48;
  - Graduate Students - TOEFL 213 computer based; 79 iBT; IELTS 6.0 or PTE 53;
  - Score requirements for the M.S. in Biology and Environmental Science - TOEFL 233 computer based; 90-91 iBT; IELTS 6.5 overall band or PTE 62;
- SAT or ACT (for scholarship purposes only);
- GRE or GMAT for graduate students (if required by program);
- Proof of finances for visa; and
- Additional documents as required for specific programs.

From world-class performance facilities to state-of-the-art engineering labs, WTAMU has the right tools to help students succeed. The University’s Hastings Electronic Learning Center has computers stationed throughout its five classrooms and open-access computer lab. The chemistry facilities include a solids and liquids NMR (nuclear magnetic resonance) for structure elucidation and chemical characterization. Other laboratories on campus include the Bell Helicopter Engineering Laboratory and the Brown Consulting Engineers Thermal and Fluids Laboratory. Plus, WTAMU faculty make sure students receive a thorough and rigorous education that combines real-world, hands-on experiences to prepare them for challenging and fulfilling careers.

ACADEMIC ENGLISH PATHWAY PROGRAM

English as a Second Language International (ESLI)

ESLI at WTAMU provides four different levels of intensive English classes. Each level offers English language training on reading, writing, listening and speaking. New ESLI students will take an English placement exam upon arrival at the WTAMU campus. The exam results will help determine language proficiency and placement level. Once the student successfully completes the pre-university level of ESLI training, they will enter University studies without the need for a TOEFL exam. ESLI students can live on the WTAMU campus and enjoy all the amenities offered to all WTAMU students while learning English.

Conditional Admission

Students who meet GPA criteria but do not meet English language proficiency requirements can apply for “conditional admission” through our English as a Second Language International (ESLI) program.
Jorge Calvo
B.A. in Mass Communication

“It wasn’t until I found Maroon Productions (in mass communication) that I found my passion,” Calvo said. “It wasn’t easy. Dr. (Leigh) Browning pushed me to do things I wasn’t comfortable doing, like speaking to a camera in a foreign language. It was so embarrassing for me, but now I do that for a living every night for the whole country to watch.

I can tell you without hesitation that the education I got at WT prepared me to perform as a professional at a very young age and eager to continue in a never-ending learning process. I thank everyone who believed in me and helped me become a Buff.”

Anna Andrianova
Master of Business Administration

“One of the things I most appreciated about WT was the caliber of professors in the College of Business. They were also incredibly approachable. It is an advantage of a smaller school that students can talk to their professors frequently. I also built a strong group of friends at WT with whom I still stay in touch with and visit.

I now work as a reporter in Moscow, Russia for Bloomberg News. I write about the Russian economy for an international audience. I talk to smart economists and government officials pretty much everyday, and thanks to my business degree, we can speak the same language discussing Russia’s investment grade or sanctions’ impact on the economy.”
ALL KINDS OF MAJORS FOR ALL KINDS OF CAREERS

UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS and PROGRAMS

College of Agriculture and Natural Sciences
- Department of Agricultural Sciences
  - Agribusiness
  - Agricultural Business and Economics
- Agricultural Media and Communication
- Agriculture (Teacher Certification)
- Agriculture (Non-Certification)
- Agricultural Media and Communication
- Animal Science
- Equine Industry and Business
- Plant, Soil and Environmental Science
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine

Department of Life, Earth and Environmental Science
- Biology
- Biology Education
- Biotechnology
- Earth Science Education
- Environmental Science
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Medical
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Wildlife Biology

Department of Chemistry and Physics
- Chemistry (Biochemistry)
- Chemistry (General)
- Chemistry (Professional)
- Physics

College of Business
- Department of Accounting, Economics and Finance
  - Accounting
  - Economics
  - Finance
- Department of Computer Information and Decision Management
- Computer Information Systems
- Department of Management, Marketing and General Business
  - General Business
  - Management
  - Marketing

College of Education and Social Sciences
- Department of Education
  - All-Level Education Certification
  - Elementary Education Certification
  - Secondary Education Certification
- Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice
  - Criminal Justice (Administration)
  - Criminal Justice (Corrections)
  - Criminal Justice (Policing)
- Emergency Management Administration
- Political Science
- Pre-Law Studies
- Public Administration
- Social Sciences
- Department of Psychology, Sociology and Social Work
  - Psychology
  - Social Work
  - Sociology
- School of Engineering, Computer Science and Mathematics
  - Civil Engineering
  - Computer Science
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Engineering Technology (Distribution)
  - Engineering Technology (Industrial Manufacturing)
  - Environmental Engineering
  - Mathematics
  - Mechanical Engineering
- Pre-Engineering

College of Nursing and Health Sciences
- Department of Communication Disorders
  - Communication Disorders
- Department of Nursing
  - Nursing (for new students)
  - Nursing (for RNs)
- Department of Sports and Exercise Sciences
  - Athletic Training
  - Exercise Sciences

Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities
- Department of Art, Theatre and Dance Art
  - Dance
  - Graphic Design
  - Musical Theatre
- Studio Art
  - Theatre (Performance)
  - Theatre (Technical Theatre)
  - Theatre (Theatre Arts)
- Department of Communication
  - Communication Studies (Corporate Communication)
  - Communication Studies (Graduate School Preparation)
  - Communication Studies (Speech Performance)
  - Mass Communication (Advertising/Public Relations)
  - Mass Communication (Broadcast Journalism)
  - Mass Communication (Electronic Media)
- Department of English, Philosophy and Modern Languages
  - English (Generalist)
  - English (Traditional)
  - English (Writing)
  - Spanish
- Department of History
  - History
- School of Music
  - Music
  - Music (All-Level Teacher Certification)
  - Music Industry (Arts Management)
  - Music Industry (Music Technology)
  - Business, Composition
  - Performance
  - Music Therapy (Instrumental)
  - Music Therapy (Keyboard)
  - Music Therapy (Voice)
- Office of General Majors
  - Applied Arts and Sciences
  - General Studies

College of Agriculture and Natural Sciences
- Department of Agricultural Sciences
  - Agriculture
  - Agriculture/Animal Science
  - Agriculture/Plant, Soil and Environmental Science
- Department of Life, Earth and Environmental Sciences
  - Biology
  - Environmental Science
- College of Business
  - Department of Accounting, Economics and Finance
  - Accounting MPA, BBA to MPA
  - Finance and Economics*
  - Department of Management, Marketing and General Business
    - Business/General Business*
    - Business/Computer Information Systems*
    - Business/Management*
    - Business/Marketing*
    - Business/Healthcare Management*
    - Business/Computer Information Systems & Business Analytics**
- College of Education and Social Sciences
  - Department of Education**
  - Administration
  - Counseling MA, MED
  - Curriculum and Instruction (Reading)*
  - Curriculum and Instruction (Special Education)*
  - Educational Diagnostician*
  - Educational Leadership*
  - Instructional Design and Technology*
  - Teaching
- Department of Political Science and Criminal Justice
  - Criminal Justice
- Department of Psychology, Sociology and Social Work
  - Psychology
  - Specialist in School Psychology
  - Social Work

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  - Social Work

*Indicates programs available online. **Special visa requirements
Programs listed in blue offer GMAT waiver (may have additional program requirements)
Programs listed in maroon do not require GRE (may have additional program requirements)

TAKE YOUR FUTURE TO THE NEXT LEVEL

GRADUATE MAJORS and PROGRAMS

College of Engineering, Computer Science and Mathematics
- Department of Communication Disorders
  - Communication Disorders
- Department of Nursing**
  - Nurse Practitioner
  - Nursing (Comprehensive RN to MSN)
- Department of Sports and Exercise Sciences
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Sybil B. Harrington College of Fine Arts and Humanities
- Department of Art, Theatre and Dance
  - Studio Art
- Department of Communication
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INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS

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