

Requirements	Min. Hours Required
CORE CURRICULUM Core courses must be chosen from approved lists. bit.ly/1d6oP6l	
First Year Signature Course	3
English Composition	3
Humanities	3
American & Texas Government	6
American History	6
Social & Behavioral Science	0 <i>Fulfilled by course in major</i>
Mathematics (<i>Fulfilled by course in major</i>)	0
Science & Technology-I (<i>Fulfilled by courses in major</i>)	0
Science & Technology-II (<i>Fulfilled by courses in major</i>)	0
Visual & Performing Arts	3
Writing Intensive Course	3
INTRODUCTORY SCIENCE	
1 from: M408C, 408N, 408R, SDS 324E	3–4
Statistics: SDS 302F <i>Note: either the calculus or statistics course must be designated as an honors course.</i>	3
Chemistry: CH 301 or 301C	3
Biology: BIO 311C	3
3 hours of chemistry or biology from: BIO 311D, CH 302 or 302C	3
3 hours of additional science: AST, BIO, CH, CS, GEO, Math, NEU, NTR (not NTR 306), or PHY <i>Note: courses designed for non-science majors may not count.</i> <i>Note: Introductory science is different for Options 1 and 5.</i>	3
SOCIAL SCIENCE	
9 additional hours, including 3 upper-division, from: ECO, SOC, PSY, and social or cultural ANT <i>Note: PSY 304, 333D, and 339 will not count toward degree.</i>	9

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OPTION 6: HONORS IN ADVANCED HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY SCIENCES	
Honors: HE 101P, 102P, and 103P NTR 306 or PBH 317 3 additional hours from NTR, PBH, TXA or HDF 322. Students should confer with their advisors about courses appropriate to their career goals.	9
Family relationships: Honors HDF 304H	3
Health and Development/Gender and Sexuality HDF 305 or 306	3
Child Development: Honors, lecture and lab: HDF 313H & 114H	4
Research methods: HDF 315L	3
18 hours from: 18 credit hours chosen from HDF upper division offerings (excluding HDF 322, 357, 359, 352, 652F, 352L, 652P, 355H, 355R, and 379H). Three credit hours of upper-division coursework must include a writing course. <i>Note: Honors faculty advisor may approve select social sciences courses toward the requirement.</i>	18
Honors thesis: HDF 355H HDF 379H At least one of the 3 hours must be HDF 379H.	12
SUPPORTING COURSEWORK	
15 upper-division hours approved by faculty honors adviser	15
ELECTIVES Enough elective hours to reach 120 total <i>(The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on course selections.)</i>	VARY

ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- ☐ Minimum 21 upper-division hours in residence
- ☐ Minimum 18 School of Human Ecology hours in residence
- ☐ Minimum 60 hours in residence overall
- ☐ Minimum 36 upper-division hours
- ☐ 120 hours total overall
- ☐ Minimum grade of C- & minimum 2.0 GPA in all Mathematics & Natural Sciences courses
- ☐ Minimum UT-Austin Grade Point Average of 3.3
- ☐ Minimum Human Development & Family Sciences Grade Point Average of 3.5
- ☐ Must apply to graduate during final semester
- ☐ 2026-28 Catalog expires August 2034