

The University of Texas at Austin
Bachelor of Science, Astronomy, Option 2: Honors, 120 Hours
2024-2026 Catalog Expires Summer 2032

Four-year Degree Suggestion (for planning purposes only)

Currently enrolled students should meet with their academic advisor

FIRST YEAR

Fall:

Major: M 408D AP-H or 427L AP-H	4 hours
Core/Major: PHY 301 (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>) (<i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: PHY 101L	1 hour
Core: RHE 306 (<i>Communication I</i>)	3 hours
Core: UGS 303 (<i>Writing Flag</i>) (<i>Institutionally Designated Option 1</i>)	3 hours
	Total 14 hours

Spring:

Major: M 427J	4 hours
Core/Major: PHY 316 (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>) (<i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: PHY 116L	1 hour
Core: VAPA (<i>Visual & Performing Arts I</i>)	3 hours
Core: GOV 310L (<i>Government I</i>)	3 hours
	Total 14 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

SECOND YEAR

Fall:

Major: PHY 315	3 hours
Major: PHY 115L	1 hour
Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>) ¹	3 hours
Core: Soc & Behav Sci (<i>Social & Behavioral Science I</i>) (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Liberal Arts/Fine Arts course (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Core/Major: CH 301C (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>)	3 hours
	Total 16 hours

Spring:

Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Upper-division AST (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Additional Science honors course	3 hours
Major: Liberal Arts/Fine Arts course (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

¹ Upper-division AST/PHY courses found in the Course Schedule.

THIRD YEAR

Fall:

Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Upper-division AST (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: RHE 309S-NSDS (<i>Writing Flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Additional Science honors course	3 hours
Core: U.S. History (<i>History I</i>) (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Upper-division PHY (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Upper-division AST (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Major: Additional Science honors course	3 hours
Core: U.S. History (<i>History I</i>) (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Summer:

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- Opportunities:
- Study Abroad
 - Internship
 - Course(s)

FOURTH YEAR

Fall:

Major: AST 379H	3 hours
Major: Upper-division AST (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Core: GOV 312L (<i>Government I</i>)	3 hours
Elective (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Elective (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: AST 379H	3 hours
Major: Upper-division PHY/AST (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Core: E 316L/M/N/P (<i>Humanities I</i>) (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
Elective (<i>May carry a flag</i>)	3 hours
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	Total 15 hours

Summer:

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- Opportunities:
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 - Final Course(s)

LEGEND

Terms:

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- Major: As published in the Undergraduate Catalog
General Education: As published in the Undergraduate Catalog.
Elective: Additional hours contributing to reach the degree plan total required hours
Core: Required part of the 42-hour core curriculum