

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, Focus Area 5: Teaching, Physical Science, 126 Hours

2026-2028 Catalog Expires Summer 2034

Four-year Degree Suggestion (for planning purposes only)

Currently enrolled students should meet with their academic advisor

FIRST YEAR

Fall:

Core/Major: CH 401C (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>)	4 hours
Core/Major: M 408C (<i>Mathematics</i>)	4 hours
Core: RHE 306 (<i>Communications</i>)	3 hours
Core: UGS 302 / 303 (<i>Institutionally Designated Option</i>)	3 hours
Major: UTS 101	1 hour
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: CH 402C (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>)	4 hours
Major: M 408D	4 hours
Core: VAPA (<i>Visual & Performing Arts</i>)	3 hours
Major: UTS 110	1 hour
	Total 12 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:	
• Core: U.S. History (<i>History</i>)	3 hours
• Core: GOV 310L (<i>Government</i>)	3 hours

SECOND YEAR

Fall:

Major: CH 128K and 328C or 328M	4 hours
Core/Major: PHY 301 (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 2</i>) and 101L	4 hours
Major: M 427J	4 hours
Major: EDC 365C	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: CH 128L and 329C or 328N	4 hours
Major: PHY 316 and 116L	4 hours
Major: M 427L	4 hours
Major: EDC 365D	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:	
• Core: U.S. History (<i>History</i>)	3 hours
• Core: GOV 312L (<i>Government</i>)	3 hours

THIRD YEAR

Fall:

Major: CH 353	3 hours
Major: BCH 369	3 hours
Major: PHY 315 and 115L	4 hours
Core: E 316L/M/N/P (<i>Humanities</i>)	3 hours
Major: UTS 121F	1 hour
	Total 14 hours

Spring:

Major: CH 153K	1 hour
Major: CH 368	3 hours
Major: CH 354	3 hours
Major: Upper-Division Physics ¹	3 hours
Elective	3 hours
	Total 13 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

FOURTH YEAR**Fall:**

Major: CH 354C	3 hours
Major: CH 154K	1 hour
Major: CH 455	4 hours
Major: EDC 365E	3 hours
Elective	3 hours
	Total 14 hours

Spring:

Major: EDC 651S	6 hours
Major: UTS 170	1 hour
	Total 7 hours

¹ Must be majors-level

LEGEND**Terms:**

Major: 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