

The University of Texas at Austin
Bachelor of Science, Statistics & Data Science, Opt: Honors 120 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:

Major: SDS 313	3 hours
Core/Major: M 408D AP-H or 427 AP-H (<i>Mathematics</i>)	4 hours
Core: RHE 306 (<i>Communication</i>)	3 hours
Core: UGS 302 (<i>Institutionally Designated Option</i>)	3 hours
Elective:	3 hours
Total 16 hours	

Spring:

Major: C S 303E (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 2</i>)	3 hours
Major: M 408D, 408L, or 408S	4 hours
Major: SDS 315	3 hours
Core: U.S. History (<i>History</i>)	3 hours
Core/Major: Science and Tech (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>)	4 hours
Total 16 hours	

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship

SECOND YEAR

Fall:

Major: SDS 431	4 hours
Major: M 340L or 341 or M 341-H	3 hours
Major: Lower-division breadth course	3 hours
Core: GOV 310L (<i>Government</i>)	3 hours
Core: E 316L/M/N/P (<i>Humanities</i>)	3 hours
Major: NSC 109.1, 109.2, or 109.4	1 hour
Total 17 hours	

Spring:

Major: SDS 334	3 hours
Major: Lower-division breadth course	3 hours
Core: U.S. History (<i>History</i>)	3 hours
Core/Major: Science and Tech (<i>Science & Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i>)	3 hours
Elective: (C S 313E) ¹	3 hours
Total 15 hours	

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship

¹ Students are encouraged to take C S 313E. It is a prerequisite for C S 327E.

THIRD YEAR

Fall:

Major: SDS 336	3 hours
Major: C S 327E	3 hours
Major: Upper-division breadth course	3 hours
Core: GOV 312L (<i>Government I</i>)	3 hours
Major: Additional honors breadth coursework	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: Approved SDS Elective ²	3 hours
Major: Upper-division breadth course	3 hours
Major: 3 additional hours of honors breadth coursework, excluding SDS	3 hours
Core: VAPA (<i>Visual & Performing Arts I</i>)	3 hours
Elective:	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

FOURTH YEAR

Fall:

Major: SDS 354	3 hours
Major: Approved SDS Elective ³	3 hours
Core: (<i>Social & Behavioral Science I</i>)	3 hours
Major: SDS 379H or NSC 323	3 hours
Elective:	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

Spring:

Major: SDS 357	3 hours
Major: SDS 379H or NSC 371	3 hours
Elective:	3 hours
Elective:	3 hours
	Total 12 hours

Summer:

(none)

² Approved SDS Electives: SDS 364, 366, 368

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Terms:

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