

**The University of Texas at Austin**  
**Bachelor of Science and Arts, Honors, Astronomy, 120 Hours**  
**2022-2024 Catalog Expires Summer 2030**

**Four-year Degree Suggestion (for planning purposes only)**

Currently enrolled students should meet with their academic advisor

**FIRST YEAR**

**Fall:**

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Core/Major: M 408C ( <i>Mathematics I</i> ) ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i> )	4 hours
Core/Major: Secondary Science ( <i>Science &amp; Tech – Natural Sciences 2</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> ) <sup>1</sup>	3-4 hours
Core: RHE 306 ( <i>Communication I</i> )	3 hours
Core: UGS 303 ( <i>Writing Flag</i> ) ( <i>Institutionally Designated Option 1</i> )	3 hours
Core: Soc & Behav Sci ( <i>Social &amp; Behavioral Science I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 16-17 hours</b>

**Spring:**

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Major: M 408D	4 hours
Core/Major: PHY 301 ( <i>Science &amp; Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i> ) ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: PHY 101L	1 hour
General Ed: Language/Arts/Culture ( <i>May carry a flag</i> ) <sup>2</sup>	3 hours
Core: GOV 310L ( <i>Government I</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 14 hours</b>

**Summer:**

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

**SECOND YEAR**

**Fall:**

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Major: M 427J ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i> )	4 hours
Core/Major: PHY 316 ( <i>Science &amp; Tech – Natural Sciences 1</i> ) ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: PHY 116L	1 hour
Core: GOV 312L ( <i>Government I</i> )	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 14 hours</b>

**Spring:**

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Major: PHY 315 ( <i>Quantitative Reasoning Flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: PHY 115L	1 hour
Major: Secondary Science ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3-4 hours
General Ed: Language/Arts/Culture ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Elective: ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	<b>Total 16-17 hours</b>

**Summer:**

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

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1 12 hrs of majors-level coursework from one or more of the following: BIO, CH, CS, GEO, M, SDS (select one course that can also fulfill Sci & Tech II for the core)  
2 12 hrs from subjects in 2 of 4 areas found in the Undergraduate Catalog under Prescribed Work

## THIRD YEAR

### Fall:

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Major: AST 352K, 353, or 358	3 hours
Major: Secondary Science ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3-4 hours
General Ed: Language/Arts/Culture ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core: U.S. History ( <i>History I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 15-16 hours

### Spring:

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Major: AST 352K, 353, or 358	3 hours
Major: Secondary Science ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3-4 hours
General Ed: Language/Arts/Culture ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 15-16 hours

### Summer:

Opportunities:

- Study Abroad
- Internship
- Course(s)

## FOURTH YEAR

### Fall:

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Major: Upper-division AST or PHY <sup>3</sup>	3 hours
Minor/Certificate/Field of Study ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core: US History ( <i>History I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Core: VAPA ( <i>Visual &amp; Performing Arts I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Elective: ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
	Total 15 hours

### Spring:

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Major: Upper-div AST or PHY	3 hours
Core: E 316L/M/N/P ( <i>Humanities I</i> ) ( <i>May carry a flag</i> )	3 hours
Major: NSC 371 ( <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:

Opportunities:

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- Final Course(s)

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3 Upper-division AST or PHY courses found in the Course Schedule

## LEGEND

### Terms:

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Major: As published in the Undergraduate Catalog

Minor/Certificate/Field of Study: Transcript-recognized minor or certificate or 15 hrs in a single field of study outside CNS,

Pharmacy, Engineering, Geoscience, & Nursing; see advisor for information

Elective: Additional hours needed to reach the required total of 120

Core: Required, part of the 42hour core curriculum