University Core Curriculum
Effective Fall 2018 through Summer 2019

This document includes core courses approved to carry course-level flags offered during the 2018-2019 academic year.

Courses carrying course level writing flags are not included here.

This information is also available on the online course schedule: registrar.utexas.edu/schedules

Course Flags: Cultural Diversity in the US (CD); Ethics and Leadership (EL); Global Cultures (GC); Independent Inquiry (II); Quantitative Reasoning (QR)

First-Year Signature Course (3 hours)
- UGS 302 First-Year Signature Course (seminar-format)
- UGS 303 First-Year Signature Course (large-format)
  Plan II students can choose T C 302.

English Composition (3 hours)
- RHE 306 Rhetoric and Composition
- RHE 306Q (for non-native English speakers only)
  Students born in an even-numbered month may sign up for RHE 306 for the fall semester. Students born in an odd-numbered month take the course in the spring.
  Plan II students can choose either E 303C or T C 303C.

Writing Flag Requirement (3 hours)
- Writing Flag

Mathematics (3 hours)
Check for prerequisites, including required placement tests.
- ADV 309R/PR 309QR Intro to Advertising/PR Research
- AFR 302M Numbering Race
- AFR 350 Measuring Racial Inequality
- EDP 30RQR Statistical Literacy & Reasoning
- EDP 371QR Introduction to Statistics
- M 302QR Introduction to Mathematics
- M 305G Preparation for Calculus CNS
- M 408CQR Differential and Integral Calculus
- M 408KQR Differential Calculus
- M 408NQR Differential Calculus for Sciences
- M 408RQR Differential & Integral Calculus for Sciences
- PHL 313QR Introductory Symbolic Logic
- SOC 317LQR Introduction to Social Statistics
- One course from Statistics & Data Sciences: SDS 301QR, EL, 302QR, EL, 303QR, 304QR, 305QR, 306QR, 328MQR
  Plan II students can choose M 310PQR.

Humanities (3 hours)
- E 316LQR British Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
- E 316MQR American Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
- E 316NQR World Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
- E 316P Masterworks of Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
  Plan II students can choose either E 303D or T C 303D.

American and Texas Government (6 hours)
(complete one option below)
- Option 1:
  GOV 310L AND
  GOV 312L or GOV 312P
- Option 2:
  GOV 310L AND
  GOV 3TX OR GOV 3US (in transfer)
- Option 3:
  GOV 3TX (in transfer) AND
  GOV 3US (in transfer)
  Students who passed the AP Government exam will still need to take the UT Austin Texas Government test before earning credit for GOV 310L.

US History (6 hours)
Six hours are required; three hours may be in Texas History.
- Options for US History:
  Options for 3 hours of Texas History:
  HIS 320LQR, 320PQR, 320RQR

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Plan II students can choose 3 S's 302C, D, E, or F.
Natural Science & Technology – Part I (6 hours)
Must be taken in the same subject. Requirements vary by major. Visit www.utexas.edu/ugs/core/sciencepairings-II for a chart of approved course pairings.
Some examples of courses for non-science majors are in bold.

Astronomy (check prereqs)
- Only one of the following: AST 301 or AST 307QR
- Only one of the following: AST 309C, AST 309G, AST 309L, AST 309N, AST 309R, or AST 309S

Biology (check prereqs)
Complete two courses from one of the following series:
- BIO 301D, BIO 301G, BIO 301L, BIO 301M, BIO 305F, BIO 309D
- BIO 311C with one of the following: BIO 311D, BIO 326M, BIO 446L, or BIO 365S
- BIO 315H and BIO 325H
Plan II students may pair Biology 301E with BIO 301D, 301G, 305F, 309D, 311C, or 315H.

Chemistry (check prereqs)
Complete two courses from one of the following series:
- CH 301QR and CH 302QR
- CH 301HQR and CH 302HQR
- CH 304KQR and CH 305

Geological Sciences (check prereqs)
- Only one of the following: GEO 401 or GEO 303

Marine Sciences
- Complete this series: MNS 307 and MNS 308

Natural Sciences (nine hours of this interdisciplinary sequence can be used to complete parts I and II)
- Complete two courses from this series: NSC 306J, NSC 306K, NSC 306L, NSC 306M

Physical Science & Physics (check prereqs)
Complete two courses from one of the following series:
- PS 303QR and PS 304QR
- PHY 309K and PHY 309L
- PHY 301QR and PHY 316QR (note: PHY 301 is taken with PHY 101L and PHY 316 is taken with PHY 116L; for Physics majors)
- PHY 302KQR and PHY 302LQR (note: PHY 302K is taken with PHY 102M and PHY 302L is taken with PHY 102N)
- PHY 303KQR and PHY 303LQR (note: PHY 303K is taken with PHY 103M and PHY 303L is taken with PHY 103N; for Engineering)
- PHY 317KQR and PHY 317LQR (note: PHY 317K is taken with PHY 117M and PHY 317L is taken with PHY 117N)
Plan II students may pair Physics 321 with any of the PHY or PS courses listed above.

Natural Science & Technology – Part II (3 hours)
3 hours from a subject other than the one chosen for Part I of the sciences requirement; again, requirements vary by major. Visit www.utexas.edu/ugs/core/sciencepairings-II to help choose a subject for this requirement.

Anthropology
- ANT 301, ANT 304QR, ANT 304T

Computer Science
- CS 302QR, CS 303E, CS 312

Electrical Engineering
- EE 302

Geography
- GRG 301C, GRG 301K, GRG 304ELQR

Nutrition
- NTR 306

Additional Part I Course from Another Subject
- Any course from the Part I list can be taken as an option to fulfill Part II as long as you are not using that subject for Part I

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