

University Core Curriculum (effective Fall 2023 through Summer 2024)

This document includes core courses approved to carry course-level flags offered during the 2023-2024 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 (E); 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^{GC} or T C 303C^{GC}.*

Writing Flag Requirement (3 hours)

- _____ Writing Flag

Mathematics (3 hours)

Check for prerequisites, including required placement tests.

- ADV 309R^{QR} /PR 309R^{QR} Intro to Advertising/PR Research
 - AFR 302M^{QR} Numbering Race
 - AFR 350 Measuring Racial Inequality
 - EDP 308^{QR} Statistical Literacy & Reasoning
 - GOV 350K^{QR} Statistical Analysis in Political Science
 - M 302^{QR} Introduction to Mathematics
 - M 305G Preparation for Calculus CNS
 - M 408C^{QR} Differential and Integral Calculus
 - M 408K^{QR} Differential Calculus
 - M 408N^{QR} Differential Calculus for Sciences
 - M 408Q^{QR} Calculus for Business
 - M 408R Differential & Integral Calculus for Sciences
 - PHL 313^{QR} Introductory Symbolic Logic
 - PSY 317L^{QR} Intro to Behavioral Data Sciences
 - SOC 317L^{QR} Introduction to Social Statistics
 - One course from Statistics & Data Sciences: SDS 301^{QR, E}, 302F^{QR, E}, 320E^{QR, E, II}, 320H^{E, QR, II}, 325H
- Plan II students can choose M 310P^{QR}.*

Humanities (3 hours)

- E 316L^{GC} British Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
 - E 316M^{CD} American Literature (prereq: RHE 306)
 - E 316N^{GC} 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^{CD, E}
- Option 2:
GOV 310L AND ONE of the following:
GOV 305C* or GOV 306C*
- Option 3:
GOV 306C* AND
GOV 305C*

Students who passed the AP Government exam will still need to take the UT Austin Texas Government test before earning credit for GOV 310L.

**GOV 306C is equivalent to Texas Common Course number GOVT 2306*

**GOV 305C is equivalent to Texas Common Course number GOVT 2305*

US History (6 hours)

Six hours are required; three hours may be in Texas History.

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Options for US History:

HIS 314K^{CD}, 315G^{CD}, 315K^{CD}, 315L^{CD}, 317L, 329P, 333L, 333M, 334L, 340S^{CD}, 345J^{CD}, 345L^{CD}, 350R, 351P, 355F^{CD}, 355M^{CD}, 355N^{CD}, 355P^{CD}, 355S^{CD}, 356G^{CD}, 356K^{CD}, 356P^{CD, E}, 356R^{CD, E}, 356S, 357C^{CD}, 357D^{CD}, 365G, 376F

Options for 3 hours of Texas History:

AFR 320C^{CD, E, II}, HIS 320E^{CD}, HIS 320F^{CD}, HIS 320T



☐ Social & Behavioral Sciences (3 hours)

- ☐ ADV 319 Psychology of Advertising
 - ☐ AFR 303^{GC, E, CD} Introduction to Black Studies
 - ☐ AFR 324E Racism and Antiracism
 - ☐ ANT 302^{GC} Cultural Anthropology
 - ☐ ANT 305 Expressive Culture
 - ☐ ANT 307^{CD, GC} Culture & Communication
 - ☐ ANT 318L^{CD} Mexican American Culture
 - ☐ CTI 302 Classics of Social/Political Thought
 - ☐ CTI 365 Classics of Social Scientific Thought
 - ☐ ECO 301^{QR} Introduction to Economics
 - ☐ ECO 304K^{QR} Intro to Microeconomics
 - ☐ ECO 304L^{QR} Intro to Macroeconomics
 - ☐ EDC 312 Foundations of United States Schooling
 - ☐ EDC 319 Qualitative Inquiry & Education for Social Change
 - ☐ ELP 354L Introduction to Leadership Studies
 - ☐ GRG 305^{GC} This Human World
 - ☐ GRG 306C Conservation
 - ☐ GRG 319^{GC} Geography of Latin America
 - ☐ H S 301^{CD} Introduction to Health & Society
 - ☐ HIS 329U Perspectives on Science & Math
 - ☐ HDF 304 Family Relationships
 - ☐ HDF 304H Family Relationships, Honors
 - ☐ HDO 301^E Intro to Human Dimensions of Organizations
 - ☐ KIN 311K Sport Psychology
 - ☐ LIN 306^{GC} Introduction to the Study of Language
 - ☐ LIN 312D Languages around the World
 - ☐ LIN 312E Language of Sign and Gesture
 - ☐ MAS 301^{CD} Intro to Mexican American & Latina/o Studies
 - ☐ MAS 309 Bilingualism in the Americas
 - ☐ PSY 301 Introduction to Psychology
 - ☐ PSY 306 Introduction to Human Sexuality
 - ☐ RTF 303C Intro to Media & Entertainment Industries
 - ☐ R S 310^{GC} Introduction to the Study of Religion
 - ☐ SED 303^{CD} Autism Spectrum Disorder
 - ☐ SOC 302 Introduction to the Study of Society
 - ☐ SOC 307C^{CD} American Families Past and Present
 - ☐ SOC 307D Capital Punishment in America
 - ☐ SOC 307E^{CD} Contemporary US Social Problems
 - ☐ SOC 307F Diversity in American Families
 - ☐ SOC 307G^{CD} Culture and Sociology in the US
 - ☐ SOC 307J Education and Sociology
 - ☐ SOC 307K^{CD, GC} Fertility and Reproduction
 - ☐ SOC 307L^{CD} Gender/Race/Class American Sociology
 - ☐ SOC 307P Introduction to Sociology of Health/Well-being
 - ☐ SOC 307Q Environmental Inequality and Health
 - ☐ SOC 307S Judaism & Christianity in Sociological Perspective
 - ☐ SOC 307T Punishment and Society
 - ☐ SOC 308D Ethnicity and Gender: La Chicana
 - ☐ SOC 308G Rich & Poor in America: Sociological Perspective
 - ☐ SOC 308J Romantic Relationships and Family Formation
 - ☐ SOC 308K^{GC} Social Change and the Future
 - ☐ SOC 308L^{GC} Social Transformation of Love & Relationships
 - ☐ SOC 308M Sociology of Identity
 - ☐ SOC 308N^{GC} Comparative Religion/Politics/Culture
 - ☐ SOC 309C^E Creating the Sustainable Society
 - ☐ SOC 312S Society, Health, & Happiness
 - ☐ SOC 313K Introduction to the Study of Religion
 - ☐ SOC 318 Juvenile Delinquency
 - ☐ SOC 319^{GC} Introduction to Social Demography
- Plan II students can choose S S 302C, D, E, or F.*

☐ Visual and Performing Arts (VAPA) (3 hours)

- ☐ AET 304 Foundations of Arts and Entertainment Technologies
- ☐ AET 336C Video Game History and Culture
- ☐ AFR 311C Performance, Feminism, and Social Change
- ☐ AFR 356C^{CD} African American Theatre History: Precolonial-1950
- ☐ AFR 356D^{CD} African American Theatre History: 1950-Present
- ☐ AFR 356E Black Women and Dance
- ☐ AMS 330^{CD} Modernism in American Design and Architecture
- ☐ ARC 308^{GC} Architecture and Society
- ☐ ARC 312C Appropriate Materials for the 21st Century
- ☐ ARC 318K^{GC} World Architecture: Origins to 1750
- ☐ ARC 318L^{GC} World Architecture: Industrial Revolution-Present
- ☐ ARC 342C^{GC} Mexican Architecture: Pre-Columbian Contemporary
- ☐ ARH 301^{GC} Introduction to Visual Arts
- ☐ ARH 302^{GC} Survey of Ancient through Medieval Art
- ☐ ARH 303^{GC} Survey of Renaissance through Modern Art
- ☐ one of these upper-division ARH courses: 325^{GC}, 327N^{GC}, 327R^{GC}, 327S^{GC}, 328J, 329J^{GC}, 329N, 329R^{GC}, 329T^{GC}, 330G^{GC}, 330J, 331J^{GC}, 331K^{GC}, 331P^{GC}, 331S^{GC}, 332K^{GC}, 332L^{GC}, 333L^{GC}, 335J, 337K^{GC}, 338J, 338L, 338M^{CD}, 338V, 339J, 339K, 339L^{CD}, 339M, 339N, 339P, 339R, 341K^{GC}, 341L^{GC}, 342J, 345J, 346K^{GC}, 346L, 347J^{GC}, 347K^{GC}, 347L^{GC}, 347M^{GC}, 347N^{GC}, 348N^{GC}
- ☐ C C 301^{GC} Introduction to Ancient Greece
- ☐ C C 302^{GC} Introduction to Ancient Rome
- ☐ C C 303^{GC} Introduction to Classical Mythology
- ☐ C C 307C^{GC} Introduction to Greek Archaeology
- ☐ C C 307D^{GC} Introduction to Roman Archaeology
- ☐ CTI 350^E Masterworks of World Drama
- ☐ CTI 351 The Idea of the Beautiful
- ☐ DES 308^E Introduction to Design Studies
- ☐ E 310F Literature, Film, and Other Arts
- ☐ E 310G Introduction to Comic Studies
- ☐ E 310S The Films of Alfred Hitchcock
- ☐ E 321P Shakespeare through Performance
- ☐ E 379P Drama in Performance
- ☐ F A 308 Arts Integration for Multidisciplinary Connections
- ☐ F A 313C See it Live Here: Engaging w/ Arts from the Audience
- ☐ J 308S Introduction to Media Studies
- ☐ MAS 315^{CD} Latina Performance in Popular Culture: From Celia to Selena
- ☐ MUS 302L^{GC} An Introduction to Western Music
- ☐ MUS 303C Fundamentals of Music: Classroom Instrument
- ☐ MUS 303D Fundamentals of Music: Guitar
- ☐ MUS 303E Fundamentals of Music: Piano
- ☐ MUS 303M^{GC} Intro to Traditional Music in World Cultures
- ☐ MUS 303N Intro to Popular Music in World Cultures
- ☐ MUS 306M Elements of Music
- ☐ MUS 307 Topics in Popular Music
- ☐ MUS 312C^{GC, E} Music & Culture
- ☐ MUS 334 The Music of the Americas
- ☐ PHL 317K Introduction to the Philosophy of the Arts
- ☐ PHL 346K Aesthetics
- ☐ R S 346M Music & Religious Identity in the US
- ☐ RTF 306 Introduction to World Cinema History
- ☐ T D 301^{CD} Introduction to Theatre
- ☐ T D 307K^{CD} Dance: Identity & Culture
- ☐ T D 308K^{CD} Costume on Stage & Screen
- ☐ T D 309K^{CD} Musical Theatre: Stage/Screen
- ☐ T D 317C^{GC} Theatre History through the Eighteenth Century
- ☐ T D 317D Theatre History since the Eighteenth Century

☐ Natural Science & Technology – Part I (6 hours)

Choose any two of the following courses from any field of study listed below. Some examples of courses for non-science majors are in **bold**.

*This language reflects University course duplicate relationship rules.

Astronomy (check prereqs)

- AST 301^{QR}**, 307^{QR}, **309C**, **309G**, **309L**, **309N**, **309R**, **309S**
*Only one of the following may be counted: AST 301 or 307.**

Anthropology

- ANT 301**, **304^{GC}**, **304T^{CD}**

Biology (check prereqs)

- BIO 301E**, **302D**, **302E**, **302F**, **302G**, 311C, 311D, 315H, 325H, 326M, 446L, 365S
*Check University course duplication rules if students have retired biology course numbers BIO 301L or 301M on their record.**

Chemistry (check prereqs)

- CH 301^{QR}, 301C, **301N^{QR}**, 302^{QR}, 302C, **302N**
*Only one of the following may be counted: CH 301, 301C, or 301N.**
*Only one of the following may be counted: CH 302, 302C, or 302N.**
*Check University course duplication rules if students have retired chemistry course numbers CH 304K or 305 on their record.**

Geography

- GRG 401C**, **301K**, **404E^{QR, E}**

Geological Sciences (check prereqs)

- GEO 302C**, **D**, **E**, **G**, **J**, **M**, **N**, **P**, **Q**; 303, **303C**, **303E^E**, 401, 405
*Only one of the following may be counted: GEO 401 or GEO 303.**

Marine Sciences (check prereqs)

- MNS 307, 308

Nutrition

- NTR 306

Physical Science & Physics (check prereqs & co-requisites)

- Physical Science 303^{QR}**, **304^{QR}**;
 Physics 301^{QR}, 302K^{QR}, 302L^{QR}, 303K^{QR}, 303L^{QR}, **309K**, **309L**, 316^{QR}, 317K^{QR}, 317L^{QR}, PHY 321
*Only one of the following may be counted: PHY 301, 302K, 303K, 309K, 317K, or P S 303.**
*Only one of the following may be counted: PHY 302L, 303L, 309L, 316, 317L, or P S 304.**

Science (College of Education)

- SCI 365**

UTeach- Natural Sciences (check prereqs)

- UTS 306J**, **306K**, **306L**, **306M**

☐ Natural Science & Technology – Part II (3 hours)

Choose an additional course from the Part I list
OR

choose one of the following courses:

Computer Science

- C S 302^{QR}**, **303E^{QR}**, 312, 314H

Electrical and Computer Engineering

- ECE 302, 302H

Engineering Studies

- E S 301

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