

CORE CURRICULUM Core courses must be chosen from approved lists. <i>bit.ly/1d6oP6l</i>	Minimum Hours Required
First Year Signature Course	3
English Composition	3
Humanities	3
American & Texas Government	6
American History	6
Social & Behavioral Science	3
Mathematics (Fulfilled by course in major)	0
Science & Technology-I (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0
Science & Technology-II (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0
Visual & Performing Arts	3

SKILLS & EXPERIENCE FLAGS Flags attached to courses are displayed in the online Course Schedule.	
Two Writing Flags:	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
1. Core Writing Flag (cannot also fulfill another core curriculum requirement)	
2. Additional Writing Flag <i>Note: One of the two writing flags must be upper-division.</i>	
One Quantitative Reasoning Flag	<input type="checkbox"/>
One Global Cultures Flag	<input type="checkbox"/>
One Cultural Diversity in the U.S. Flag	<input type="checkbox"/>
One Ethics and Leadership Flag	<input type="checkbox"/>
One Independent Inquiry Flag	<input type="checkbox"/>

BIOLOGY COMMON CORE	Minimum Hours Required
M 408C or 408R or 408N & 408S. <i>Students who intend to take additional calculus should begin with 408C or 408N.</i>	4–8
CH 301 or 301H, 302 or 302H, and 204	8
BIO 311C, 311D, and 325; or 315H and 325H	6–9
BIO 206L, 208L, or 226L	2
BIO 370	3
SDS 328M	3
1 of the following sequences:	8
PHY 317K, 117M, 317L, 117N (recommended) PHY 302K, 102M, 302L, 102N PHY 303K, 103M, 303L, 103N PHY 301, 101L, 316, 116L	
<i>Note: Option 3 (Marine and Freshwater Science), 4 (Microbiology and Infectious Diseases), and 8 (Teaching) have an alternative lab requirement in Biology Common Core. Introductory science is substantially different for Option 9 (Biology Honors).</i>	

OPTION 7: PLANT BIOLOGY	Minimum Hours Required
BIO 328 and 373	6
1 course or pair of courses from: BIO 322 and 122L, 324 and 124L, 463L	4
2 additional upper-division laboratory courses in biology. <i>Note: Biology 377-FRI/377/379H may be used for one of the laboratory courses if approved in advance by the plant biology faculty adviser.</i>	2–8
Complete all courses from 1 sequence:	9–12
a. Plant Molecular Biology: CH 320M BCH 369 or 339F BIO 320 and 350M	
b. Plant Environmental Biology: BIO 357, 374, and 375	
18 hours of additional upper-division selected from BCH, BIO, CH, and MNS	18

ELECTIVES	Minimum Hours Required
Enough elective hours to reach 120 total <i>(The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on course selections.)</i>	VARY

ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 21 upper-division BIO hours in residence
<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 60 hours in residence overall
<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum 36 upper-division hours
<input type="checkbox"/> 120 hours total overall
<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum grade of C- & minimum 2.0 GPA in all Mathematics & Natural Sciences courses
<input type="checkbox"/> Minimum UT-Austin Grade Point Average of 2.0
<input type="checkbox"/> Must apply to graduate during final semester
<input type="checkbox"/> 2018–20 Catalog expires August 2026