To be eligible for guaranteed fall 2025 admission to the UT Austin College of Liberal Arts (excluding the Environmental Science major), Coordinated Admission Program students must complete 30 transferable semester hours of approved coursework (including a mathematics course other than College Algebra) with at least a 3.2 grade point average by June 1, 2025.

CAP students may compete for fall 2025 external transfer admission in Business, Communication, Education, Engineering, Fine Arts, Geosciences, Informatics, Liberal Arts (Environmental Science), Natural Sciences, Nursing, pre-Pharmacy, and Social Work. Pursuing admission in these UT Austin programs does not compromise guaranteed admission to Liberal Arts.

Approved CAP general education courses are listed below (with UT Austin transfer credit evaluations). For CAP purposes you can take any listed course, subject to availability and UT Arlington’s placement, prerequisite, or other requirements. Courses with grades lower than C– are not transferable and will not count toward the required 30 CAP hours. Consult an academic advisor before selecting courses, and review the Recommended Courses following the list.

Recommended Courses by UT Austin Major

These recommendations cover major-specific Mathematics, Science & Technology, Visual & Performing Arts, Social Science, or Foreign Language requirements in UT Austin degrees. (English Composition, U.S. History, Humanities, and Government core requirements are the same in all majors.)

It is not a CAP requirement to follow a particular major or complete all recommended courses, but taking courses needed in your planned field of study avoids delays in degree progress and ability to declare a UT Austin major.

**English Composition (core 010)**

1st & 2nd semester courses for any UT Austin degree:
- ENGL 1301 (= RHE 306)
- ENGL 1302 (= RHE 309K)

**Mathematics (core 020)**

Choose at least one course.
- MATH 1301 (= M 302)
- MATH 1308 (= SDS 301)
- MATH 1421 (= M 405G)
- MATH 1426 (= M 408K)
- MATH 2425 (= M 408L)
- MATH 2326 (= M 308M)

* Natural Science majors receive alternative 408M & 409S credit for Calculus I & II.

**Science/Technology (core 030 & 093)**

Three lecture courses. Different disciplines may be combined.
- ANTH 2307 (= ANT 301)
- ANTH 2309 (= ANT 304)
- ASTR 1345 (= AST 309S)
- ASTR 1346 (= AST 301)
- BIOL 1333 (= BIO 302E)
- BIOL 1334 (= BIO 302D)

**Social Science (core 040)**

For students who meet UT Arlington prerequisites, choose one course for any UT Austin degree:
- ENGL 2309 (= E 316N)
- ENGL 2319 (= E 316L)
- ENGL 2329 (= E 316M)

**Humanities (core 049)**

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UT Austin Moody College of Communication recommended courses

Mathematics –
- for Advertising or Public Relations: select a course other than MATH 1308.

Foreign Language – intermediate proficiency.

UT Austin College of Education recommended courses

Mathematics – for Kinesiology/Exercise Science major: MATH 1426.
Science & Technology – for Kinesiology, all majors: BIOL 1441 and CHEM 1441+1442. Add PHYS 1441 for the Exercise Science major.
Social Science – PSYC 1315.

Foreign Language – for Applied Learning, all majors: beginning proficiency. Spanish is recommended for prospective Texas teachers.

UT Austin Cockrell School of Engineering recommended courses

Note: admission to Engineering requires completion of at least four technical courses including MATH 1426, MATH 2425, PHYS 1443 (counts as two courses), and others in BIOL, CHEM, GEOL, MATH, or PHYS chosen from those listed below. Applicants exceeding the four course minimum are more competitive.

Mathematics – MATH 1426+2425+2326 for all degrees.
Science & Technology – PHYS 1443+1444 for all degrees. Additionally...
- for Aerospace, Computational, or Mechanical Engineering: CHEM 1441 or 1465.
- for Architectural Engineering: CHEM 1441 or 1465 and GEOL 1301.
- for Biomedical Engineering: BIOL 1441 and CHEM 1441+1442.
- for Chemical Engineering: CHEM 1441+1442.
- for Civil Engineering: CHEM 1441+1442.
- for Environmental Engineering: BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441+1442, and GEOL 1301.
- for Geosystems or Petroleum Engineering: CHEM 1441+1442 and GEOL 1301.

Visual & Performing Arts – for Architectural Engineering: a dedicated architectural history course is required, unavailable at UT Arlington.

UT Austin College of Fine Arts recommended courses

Visual & Performing Arts –
- for the majors in Art Education, Art History, or Studio Art: ART 1309+1310.
- for the Design major: ART 1310.
- for all other degrees & majors: one course outside the student’s major field of study.

Foreign Language – beginning proficiency for the BA Studio Art major; intermediate proficiency for all other BA degrees.

UT Austin Jackson School of Geosciences recommended courses

Note: Geological Science applicants are strongly encouraged to complete CHEM 1441, GEOL 1301, and MATH 1426. Environmental Science applicants must complete BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441, and MATH 1426 with grades of at least C- and GEOL 1301 with a grade of at least B-.

Mathematics –
- for BA Geological Sciences: MATH 1426.
- for BS Geological Sciences/Teaching option: MATH 1426+2425.
- for BS Geological Sciences/nonteaching options: MATH 1426+2425+2326.
- for Environmental Science: MATH 1426+2425+2326.

Science & Technology –
- for BA Geological Sciences: CHEM 1441+1442, GEOL 1301+1302, and either PHYS 1441 or 1443.
- for BS Geological Sciences: CHEM 1441+1442, GEOL 1301, and PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Geological Science: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and PHYS 1443+1444.

Social Science – for Environmental Science: ECON 2306.


UT Austin School of Information recommended courses

Foreign Language – beginning proficiency for the BA or BS in Informatics.

UT Austin College of Liberal Arts recommended courses

Note: for Environmental Science admission see School of Geosciences.

Mathematics –
- for Economics or Environmental Science: MATH 1426+2425.
- for Psychology (BS) or Urban Studies: MATH 1426 & 1308 (minimum grades of C+ required for admission to Urban Studies).

UT Austin College of Liberal Arts (continued)

Science & Technology –
- for Environmental Science: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, GEOG 2301, GEOL 1301, and PHYS 1443.
- for Health & Society: BIOL 1441.
- for Psychology (BS): two sequences in different disciplines, chosen from BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and PHYS 1441+1442 or 1443+1444.

Social Science –
- for Environmental Science: ECON 2306.
- for Sustainability Studies: one course chosen from ECON 2305 or 2306 and one course chosen from ANTH 2322, GEOG 2002, or SOCI 1311.

Foreign Language – intermediate proficiency for any BA degree; beginning proficiency for Environmental Science and Psychology (BS).

UT Austin College of Natural Sciences recommended courses

Note: to be competitive for admission to Natural Sciences students should at minimum complete MATH 1308 or 1426 and two courses from BIOL 1441, CHEM 1304, CHEM 1441 or 1465, CHEM 1442, CSE 1320, PHYS 1443, or PHYS 1444 and have grades of A or B in all math and science coursework. For Environmental Science admission see School of Geosciences.

Mathematics – MATH 1426 for all degrees/majors. Additionally...
- MATH 2425 for Biochemistry (BSA), Biology, Chemistry (BSA), Computer Science (BA, BSA), Environmental Science, Mathematics, or Neuroscience.
- MATH 2425+2326 for Astronomy, Biochemistry (BS), Chemistry (BA, BS), Computer Science (BS), or Physics.
- MATH 1308 for Textiles & Apparel.

Science & Technology –
- for Astronomy: PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Biochemistry: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Biology: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and either PHYS 1441 or 1443.
- Add PHYS 1442 or 1444 for the BS degree.
- for Chemistry: CHEM 1441+1442 and PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Computer Science: CSE 1320; and a sequence chosen from BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, or PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Environmental Science: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, GEOL 1301, and PHYS 1443.
- for Human Ecology or Human Development & Family Sciences: BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441, and either BIOL 1442 or CHEM 1442.
- for Mathematics: a sequence chosen from BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, or PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Medical Laboratory Science or Public Health: BIOL 1441+1442 and CHEM 1441+1442.
- for Neuroscience: BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and PHYS 1443+1444.
- for Nutrition: BIOL 1441 and CHEM 1441+1442.
- for Physics: PHYS 1443+1444. Add CHEM 1441+1442 for the BA & BS degrees; add BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441, CSE 1320, or GEOL 1301 for the BSA degree.
- for Textiles & Apparel: BIOL 1441 and CHEM 1441+1442.

Social Science –
- for Environmental Science: ECON 2306.
- for Mathematics/Actuarial Science option: ECON 2305+2306.
- for Nutrition: one course chosen from ANTH 2322, ECON 2305 or 2306, PSYC 1315, or SOCI 1311.
- for Public Health: one course chosen from ECON 2305 or 2306 or PSYC 1315.
- for Textiles & Apparel/Merchandising option: ECON 2306.

Foreign Language – intermediate proficiency for any BA degree; beginning proficiency for Environmental Science.

UT Austin School of Nursing recommended courses

Note: admission to Nursing requires completion of BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441, and MATH 1308.

Mathematics – MATH 1308.
Science & Technology – BIOL 1441, CHEM 1441, and either BIOL 1301 or HEED 1301.
Social Science – PSYC 1315.

UT Austin College of Pharmacy recommended courses

Mathematics – MATH 1426 and MATH 1308.
Science & Technology – BIOL 1441+1442, CHEM 1441+1442, and either PHYS 1441 or 1443.

UT Austin School of Social Work recommended courses

Science & Technology – at least one course from BIOL 1333, 1334, or 1441.
Social Science – PSYC 1315, SOCI 1311, and either ECON 2305 or 2306.
Foreign Language – beginning proficiency.