

Stephen F. Austin State University



and

BLINN COLLEGE

2005-06 Blinn Catalog

Elementary Certification: 4th through 8th grade
Bachelor of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies

BLINN CORE COURSES	SFA	MAJOR REQUIREMENTS	SFA
Communication (12-13 hours)		For English, Language Arts and Reading/ Social Studies:	
ENGL 1301 Comp: Rhetoric & Argument	ENG 131	3 hours Western Civ from: HIST 2311 or 2312	
ENGL 1302 Comp: Critical & Analytical	ENG 132 (Note 1) (Note 2)	HIST 2301 Texas History	HIS 335 ⁹
		SOCI 1301 Intro to Sociology	SOC 137
		GEOG 1301 Physical Geography	GEO 130
Mathematics (9 hours)		For English/Language Arts and Reading:	
MATH 1350 Intro Math for Elem Teach	MTH 127	NA No Equivalent	ENG 200
MATH 1351 Interm Math for Ele Teach	MTH 128		
NA No Equivalent	MTH 129 ³ (Note 3)	Math major requires:	
		MATH 1314 College Algebra	MTH 138
		MATH 1342 Intro to Statistics	MTH 220
		NA No Equivalent	MTH 129
Natural Sciences (8 hours)		Science Major requires:	
8 hours of two different lab sciences (Note 4)		BIOL 1408,1403,GEOL 1403 if not taken in Core-Note 8	
Visual and Performing Arts (3 hours)		Social Studies Major requires:	
3 hours of visual and performing arts (Note 5)		HIST 2311 Western Civilization I	HIS 151
Humanities (3 hours)		HIST 2312 Western Civilization II	HIS 152
3 hours of humanities (Note 6)		HIST 2301 Texas History	HIS 335 ⁹
US/Texas History (6 hours)		SOCI 1301 Intro to Sociology	SOC 137
HIST 1301 US History to 1877	HIS 133 ⁷	GEOG 1301 Physical Geography	GEO 130
HIST 1302 US History 1877 to Present	HIS 134 ⁷	Additional College Requirements:	
Political Science/Government (6 hours)		NA No equivalent	HMS 138
GOVT 2305 Amer Govt: Theory & Politics	PSC 141	2 hours of KINE/PHED activity	
GOVT 2306 Amer Govt: Struct & Function	PSC 142	EDUC 1301 Intro to Education	MLG 400 ¹⁰
Social & Behavioral Science (3 hours)		EDUC 2301 Intro Special Populations	EPS 380 ¹⁰
GEOG 1303 World Regional Geography	GEO 131		

Please choose 66 hours from the list above. Only 66 hours from community colleges will count towards your degree.

Note 1 Students must take 3 hours of either BCM 247 or SPCH 1315.

Note 2 The remaining 3-4 hours can be selected from the following: ENGL 2311; FREN 1411,1412; SPAN 1411, 1412; beginning foreign language; SGNL 1401,1402.

Note 3 MATH 1314 or advisor approved math can be substituted for 129.

Note 4 Students must take two different laboratory science courses from the following: CHE/ PHY 125 and BIOL 1408 or GEOL 1403.

Note 5 Students must take a visual/performing arts course from Blinn's Core however **ARTS 1301 strongly recommended.**

Note 6 Students must take a humanities course from the following: ENGL 2322,2323,2332,2333 or 2000-level Lit.

Note 7 Three hours of Texas history can be substituted in satisfying this requirement.

Note 8 BIOL 1413 and GEOL 1403 are required if BIOL 1408 was taken in Natural Science core; or BIOL 1408 and 1413 if GEOL 1403 was taken in the core.

Note 9 HIST 2301 will substitute for HIS 335.

Note 10 EDUC 1301 and 2301 will substitute for the advanced level courses listed.

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