

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2022-2023**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ WT ID: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**History**  
**Department of History**  
**OM 407 651-2424**

| CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦  |     | HRS | FPC |
|--|-----|-----|-----|
| <b>Communication (Code 10)</b>   |     |     |     |
| ENGL 1301 Intro. To Academic Writing & Argumentation OR ENGL 1311 Writing About Ideas  | 3   |     |     |
| COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321   | 3   |     |     |
| <b>Mathematics (Code 20)</b>   |     |     |     |
| MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332**/**, 1342**/**, 1350**/**, 2412*, or 2413* (2412 & 2413: fourth hr. moves to Code 90)   | 3   |     |     |
| <b>Life and Physical Sciences (Code 30)</b>  |     |     |     |
| Take two courses from (extra lab hours move to Code 90): ♦<br>ANSC 1319; BIOL 1406 or 1408, 1407* or 1409*, 1411, 1413; CHEM 1405* or 1411*, 1412*; ENVR 1407*; GEOL 1401 or 1403, 1402, 1404; PHYS 1401*, 1402*, 1411, 1412, 1471, 2425*, 2426*; PSES 1301, 1307  | 6   |     |     |
| <b>Language, Philosophy and Culture (Code 40)</b>  |     |     |     |
| See University Core Requirements below   | (3) |     |     |
| <b>Creative Arts (Code 50)</b>   |     |     |     |
| ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, 1307 (for music majors), 1310; or THRE 1310 Choose 1  | 3   |     |     |
| <b>American History (Code 60)</b>  |     |     |     |
| HIST 1301 or 2381, 1302 or 2382, 2301 Choose 2   | 6   |     |     |
| <b>Government/Political Science (Code 70)</b>  |     |     |     |
| POSC 2305 and 2306   | 6   |     |     |
| <b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (Code 80)</b>  |     |     |     |
| AGBE 2317*; COMM 2377; CRIJ 1301; ECON 2301, 2302; PSYC 2301; SOCI 1301 Choose 1   | 3   |     |     |
| <b>Component Area Option (Code 90)</b>   |     |     |     |
| Take six hours from: ♦<br>AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Code 30); BUSI 1301, 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Code 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ENGL 1101, 1102, 1302*, 1312*, 2311*; ENVR lab hour (from Code 30); GEOL lab hours (from Code 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); extra MATH hours (from Code 20); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Code 30); SES 1120 | 6   |     |     |
| <b>HISTORY MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 39 HOURS</b><br>A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.  |     |     |     |
| <b>UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 3 HOURS ♦</b>   |     |     |     |
| <b>CORE 40</b><br>HIST 2311 Western Civilization   |     | FPC | 3   |
| <b>HISTORY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 15 HOURS</b><br>The prerequisite for advanced work (3000- and 4000-level courses) is six semester hours of history unless otherwise indicated.   |     |     |     |
| HIST 2302 The Historian's Craft: Writing and Historiography  | 3   |     |     |
| Take two courses from:<br>HIST 2315 Byzantium and Beyond: Europe from the Periphery<br>HIST 2370 Greco-Roman History to A.D. 300<br>HIST 2371 Modern East Asia, 1600 to Present  | 6   |     |     |
| HIST 3301* Historical Research Methods   | 3   |     |     |
| HIST 4301* Senior Seminar in History   | 3   |     |     |

**Bachelor of Arts Degree**  
**BA.HIST (111)**

| ADVANCED HISTORY ELECTIVES: 21 HOURS  |            |       |
|---|------------|-------|
| Nine hours must be in U.S. history, and nine hours must be in non-U.S. history. |            |       |
| ADVANCED U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ADVANCED U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ADVANCED U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ADVANCED NON-U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ADVANCED NON-U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ADVANCED NON-U.S. HISTORY ELECTIVE  | 3          |       |
| ANY ADVANCED HISTORY ELECTIVE   | 3          |       |
| <b>BACHELOR OF ARTS REQUIREMENTS: 6 HOURS FPC OPTION</b>                        |            |       |
| Six hours of foreign language.  | (6-8)      |       |
| <b>ELECTIVES: 34-36 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT—SEE NOTE</b>                            |            |       |
| <b>ELECTIVES ♦</b>  |            | 34-36 |
| <b>MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>                                | <b>120</b> |       |

♦ The core curriculum must total **exactly 42 hours**; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core curriculum requirements when options are available.  
 \* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.  
 \*\* While MATH 1332, 1342 and 1350 will fulfill core math requirements, they will NOT prepare students for higher-level math courses such as Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1316) or Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412).

NOTE: At least 36 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of six semester hours in religion (RELI) and six semester hours in physical education (PHED) courses can count toward a baccalaureate degree.

**NOTE: This is NOT a degree plan. All undergraduate students must request an official degree plan from their academic dean's office by the time they have completed 30 credit hours.**



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 Bachelor of Arts Degree  
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Degree Plan Total Hours: 120

Major Code: 111

| First Year                      |                           |                           |                                 |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Fall                            |                           | Spring                    |                                 |
| H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>14 | CORE 10-ENGL              | 3                         | H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>16 |
|                                 | ENGL 1301 or 1311         |                           |                                 |
|                                 | CORE 20-MATH              | 3                         |                                 |
|                                 | See Checklist for Options |                           |                                 |
|                                 | CORE 30-LAB SCIENCE       | 4                         |                                 |
|                                 | See Checklist for Options |                           |                                 |
| CORE 60-HIST                    | 3                         | CORE 90-ENGL              | 3                               |
|                                 |                           | 1302 or 2311              |                                 |
|                                 |                           | CORE 10-COMM              | 3                               |
|                                 |                           | 1315, 1318 or 1321        |                                 |
|                                 |                           | CORE 30-LAB SCIENCE       | 4                               |
|                                 |                           | See Checklist for Options |                                 |
|                                 |                           | CORE 60-HIST              | 3                               |
|                                 |                           |                           |                                 |
|                                 |                           | CORE 90-IDS 1071          | 1                               |
|                                 |                           | ELECTIVE                  | 3                               |

| Second Year                     |                           |                    |                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Fall                            |                           | Spring             |                                 |   |
| H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>16 | HIST 2302                 | 3                  | H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>16 |   |
|                                 | FOREIGN LANGUAGE          |                    |                                 | 4 |
|                                 | CORE 70-POSC              | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | 2305 or 2306              |                    |                                 |   |
|                                 | CORE 50-ARTS              | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | See Checklist for Options |                    |                                 |   |
| ELECTIVE                        | 3                         | CORE 40            | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                           | HIST 2311          |                                 |   |
|                                 |                           | HIST BLOCK         | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                           | 2315, 2370 or 2371 |                                 |   |
|                                 |                           | FOREIGN LANGUAGE   | 4                               |   |
|                                 |                           |                    |                                 |   |
|                                 |                           | CORE 70-POSC       | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                           | 2305 or 2306       |                                 |   |
|                                 |                           | CORE 80            | 3                               |   |

| Third Year                      |                    |                    |                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Fall                            |                    | Spring             |                                 |   |
| H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>15 | HIST BLOCK         | 3                  | H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>13 |   |
|                                 | 2315, 2370 or 2371 |                    |                                 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                    |                                 | 3 |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                    |                                 | 3 |
| ADV ELECTIVE                    | 3                  | HIST 3301          | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                    | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                    |                    |                                 |   |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                    |                    |                                 |   |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           | 1                               |   |

| Fourth Year                     |                    |                    |                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Fall                            |                    | Spring             |                                 |   |
| H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>15 | HIST 4301          | 3                  | H<br>o<br>u<br>r<br>s<br><br>15 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                    |                                 | 3 |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                    |                                 | 3 |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* | 3                  |                                 |   |
|                                 | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                    |                                 | 3 |
| ADV ELECTIVE                    | 3                  | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* | 3                               |   |
|                                 |                    | ADV HIST ELECTIVE* |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ADV ELECTIVE       |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           |                                 | 3 |
|                                 |                    | ELECTIVE           |                                 | 3 |

**DISCLAIMER:** This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 30 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.

**Notes:**

\* Students need 3 US History electives and 3 Non-US History electives as well as one advanced history elective.