

The degree requirements below are outlined in the 2023 Undergraduate Catalog and will remain valid through summer 2029.

INSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1-9 Hours

- _____ US 1100: University Seminar (1-Hr Open Elective if Exempt)
 _____ Foreign Language Proficiency (see [catalog](#))

PROGRAM-SPECIFIC CORE

15 Hours

- ☐ Mathematics (020)
 MATH 1315 (or 1312, or 1319, or calculus/pre-calculus)
- Life and Physical Sciences (030)
 _____ GS 2310: Life Science Concepts
 _____ PHYS 1365: Physics for Educators
- ☐ Social and Behavioral Sciences (080) – select one from:
 _____ GEO 1310: World Geography
 _____ ANTH 1312: Cultural Anthropology
- Component Area (090)
 _____ COMM 1310: Fundamentals of Human Communication

GENERAL EDUCATION CORE

27 Hours

- ☐ ☐ Communication (010) – select two from:
 _____ ENG 1310: College Writing I
 _____ ENG 1320: College Writing II
 _____ ENG 1321: Writing for Sustainable Change
- ☐ Language, Philosophy, and Culture (040) – select one from:
 _____ PHIL 1305: Philosophy & Critical Thinking
 _____ PHIL 1320: Ethics & Society
 _____ ENG 2310: British Literature before 1785
 _____ ENG 2320: British Literature after 1785
 _____ ENG 2330: World Literature before 1600
 _____ ENG 2340: World Literature after 1600
 _____ ENG 2359: American Literature before 1865
 _____ ENG 2360: American Literature after 1865
 _____ ENG 2371: U.S. Literature: Writing Identities
- ☐ Creative Arts (050) - select one from:
 _____ ART, DAN, MU, or TH 2313: Introduction to Fine Arts
- ☐ ☐ American History (060) - select two from:
1st course:
 _____ HIST 1310: History of United States to 1877
 _____ HIST 2327: History of Mexican America to 1865
 _____ HIST 2381: African American History to 1877
2nd course:
 _____ HIST 1320: History of United States from 1877
 _____ HIST 2328: History of Mexican America from 1865
 _____ HIST 2382: African American History from 1877
- ☐ ☐ Government/Political Science (070) – select two from:
 _____ POSI 2310: Principles of American Government
 _____ POSI 2320: Functions of American Government
- ☐ Component Area (090) – select one from:
 _____ ENG 2310: British Literature before 1785
 _____ ENG 2320: British Literature after 1785
 _____ ENG 2330: World Literature before 1600
 _____ ENG 2340: World Literature after 1600
 _____ ENG 2359: American Literature before 1865
 _____ ENG 2360: American Literature after 1865
 _____ ENG 2371: U.S. Literature: Writing Identities

MAJOR

45 Hours

- _____ CI 3325: Adolescents and Society
 _____ CI 3338: Social Studies in Elementary & Middle School
 _____ CI 4332: Secondary Teaching: Curriculum & Technology
 _____ CI 4350: Teaching Mathematics to Diverse Children in 3rd-6th Grade
 _____ CI 4355: Science in Elementary Education
 _____ GS 3310: Earth Science Concepts
 _____ MATH 2311: Principles of Mathematics I
 _____ MATH 2312: Informal Geometry
 _____ SPED 2360: Survey of Exceptionalities
 _____ SPED 3338: Educating Students with Emotional/Behavioral Disorders
 _____ SPED 3390: Assessing Students with Disabilities
 _____ SPED 4340: Evid. Based Instruct. Practices for Students w/ Mid-Mod
 _____ SPED 4345: Teaching Language Arts to Students with Disabilities
 _____ SPED 4374: Classroom & Behavior Mgmt. for Students w/ Disabilities
 _____ SPED 4381: Educating Students w/ Intell. & Develop. Disabilities

CERTIFICATION

33 Hours

English as a Second Language (ESL) Block

- _____ CI 3332: Foundations of Bilingual & ESL Education
 _____ CI 4360: Methods & Materials for Teaching ESL in the Content

High School Field-Based Block

- _____ CI 4370: Building Relationships in the Secondary Classroom
 _____ CI 4372: Teaching in Communities
 _____ RDG 3323: Teaching Literacies in the Content Areas

Elementary Field-Based Block + Practicum

- _____ RDG 3315: Assessing Literacy: EC-6
 _____ RDG 3321: Literacy Instruction for EC-6
 _____ CI 4325: Classroom Management & Teacher-Student Relationships
 _____ SPED 4389: Special Education Practicum

Clinical Teaching

- _____ EDST 4380: Clinical Teaching All-Level I
 _____ EDST 4381: Clinical Teaching All-Level II

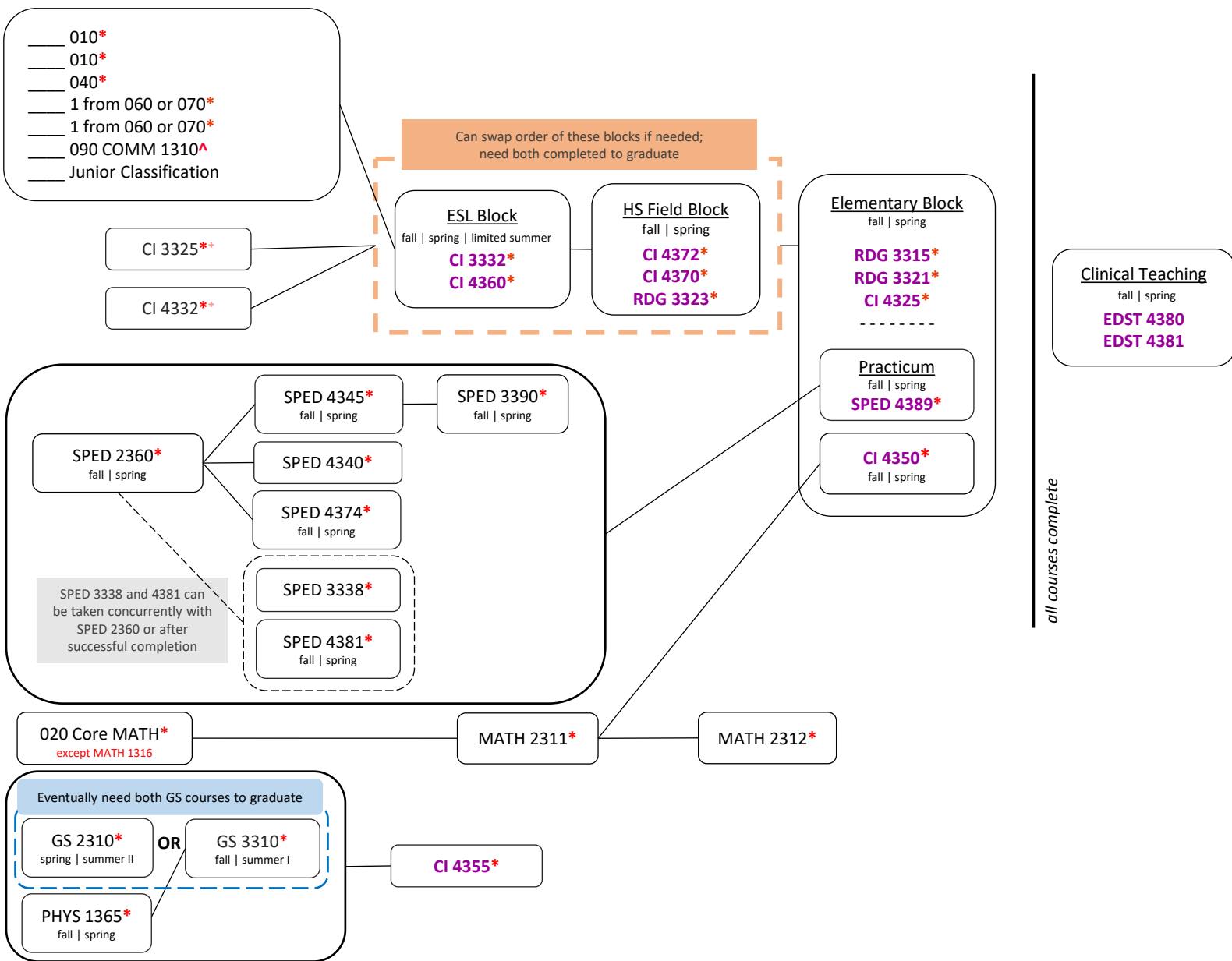
121 HOURS

Degree: Bachelor of Science | Major: Education | Certification: Special Education (EC-12th)

The sequencing below reflects course prerequisites that are subject to change each academic year.
For use in planning **Fall 2023, Spring 2024, and Summer 2024** semesters.

PRIORITY DUE TO SEQUENCING

Prioritize these courses in your schedule each semester



ADDITIONAL REQUIRED COURSES

Use these courses to fill remaining space in your schedule each semester

Core Curriculum

- ___ 050
- ___ 060 or 070
- ___ 060 or 070
- ___ 080 GEO 1310 or ANTH 1312
- ___ 090B

Major

- ___ **CI 3338*+**

- ☐ US 1100 ☐ Foreign Language Proficiency

GPA restricted (2.75 Overall) | * requires grade of 'C' or better | ^ requires grade of 'B' or better | + classification restriction

This degree program also requires a 2.0 Texas State GPA, 2.75 Overall GPA, 2.25 Major GPA, and 2.0 Minor GPA (if declared) to graduate.