Spanish | Bachelor's Degree



	FIRST YEAR	MIDDLE YEARS	LAST YEARS
ADVANCE your academic journey	Meet with a First Year Advisor to develop your academic planning. Explore majors with a MyMajors assessment. Complete Your Language Type May Surprise You assessment and learn about which language is the best match for you. Take advantage of free tutoring in the Department of World Languages and Literatures.	Visit the College of Liberal Arts Advising Center for guidance with successful degree completion, identifying resources, and help achieving academic, personal, and professional goals. Continue your coursework in certificates in professional Spanish, business Spanish, Spanish for health professions; the minor in Spanish, the major in Spanish with concentration options in hispanic literatures & culture, linguistics, secondary education with teacher certification, and Spanish for the professions. Consider the Teaching Assistant Program (NALCAP or similar program).	Check your Degree Audit and meet with your Spanish academic advisor. Explore next steps & Apply to Spanish graduate programs such as the Master's program in Spanish, the graduate Minor in Spanish, and the Professional Spanish Certificate with a focus on Translation Theory and Practice offered at TXST. Consider the Teaching Assistant Program (NALCAP or similar program) as a post-graduation plan.
EXPAND your personal and social development	Join Spanish program student activities such as: Spanish Connections, Noches de Cine; and Intercambio: Spanish Language-Mixer. Review your degree plan for course options that include the Service-Learning Excellence program. Build social networks by joining events and organizations through the Bobcat Organization Hub. Attend the College of Liberal Arts Undergraduate Research Expo to explore innovative student research.	Consider study abroad or international internship options for Spanish majors. Participate in Spanish program student activities such as Spanish Connections, Noches de Cine; and the Intercambio: Spanish Language-Mixer. Apply for membership to the Spanish National Honors Society: Sigma Delta Pi. Consider going on our faculty-led summer study abroad program in Valladolid, Spain; Cuenca, Spain; and Latin America. Meet with an advisor in Education Abroad to explore financial aid options.	Seek out a leadership role with the Leadership & Service. Lead Spanish program student activities such as Spanish Connections, Noches de Cine; and the Intercambio: Spanish Language-Mixer. Lead the Sigma Delta Pi honor society. Consider joining Peace Corps Prep to learn how to gain valuable international experience, make a global impact, and engage in meaningful cultural exchange.
ENRICH your practical competence	Explore the TXST One Stop for more information about the scholarships provided to new and continuing students. Attend an IDEA Center workshop to learn more about undergraduate research. Visit BOSS for scholarship opportunities.	Join the Sigma Delta Pi honor society to enhance your Spanish studies, gain exclusive opportunities, and connect with a supportive network of students and faculty. Contribute to Al Principio, the student poetry & literary magazine. Attend guest lectures and presentations by language professionals. Create an internship plan with Career Services. Review micro internship opportunities for professional development in which you learn and earn.	Learn about Global Career Accelerator options that give you experience with global companies and indemand tech skills. Join a professional organization in your major or passion. Deliver a presentation in a student conference, workshop, seminar or community organization.
ELEVATE your career and professional life	Complete your <u>Career Assessments</u> , such as Focus2. Create your <u>Handshake</u> profile. Create your <u>LinkedIn</u> profile and connect with colleagues and leaders. Develop and review your <u>resume</u> with Career Services.	Develop and review your <u>resume with Career Services</u> . Build <u>Career & Graduate School Fairs</u> into your schedule to ensure your connection maximum opportunities. Join <u>Employer Information Sessions</u> at Career Services or your department. Prepare to <u>ace your job interviews</u> with Career Services.	Develop a full-time employment or graduate school plan with <u>Career Services</u> . Complete your <u>First Destination Survey</u> to share your post-graduation plans. Identify faculty and professional references.

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OUTCOMES

Marketable Skills

Think critically

Analyze and solve problems

Communicate clearly and effectively

Ability to communicate in Spanish (read, write, speak, understand)

Ability to demonstrate sensitivity to culturally specific behavior, customs, and values

See more marketable skills for this major

Experiences in Spanish

The bachelor of arts major in spanish experience is intellectually challenging and supportive through excellent teaching, learning, research and service. Students learn to read and think critically, write and speak professionally, and to develop expertise in the spanish language and the cultures of the spanish-speaking world. The program is dedicated to creating the highest quality educational experiences and mentorship toward the production of outstanding scholarship that embraces the principles of academic freedom, variety of people and ideas, and a global perspective. Teacher certification from early childhood to grade twelve is available. Students in the major may participate in internships and student organizations and are encouraged to apply for nationally recognized service opportunities to contribute to their experience.

Career Opportunities

Localization specialist Digital nomad entrepreneur

International user experience (UX) Foreign service officer

Designer International relations specialist

Multilingual content creator Immigration specialist

Global marketing strategist Healthcare professional interpreter

Foreign language intelligence Social worker

Analyst Public relations specialist

International business consultant Journalist