

4th – 8th Grade Teaching Associate of Arts in Teaching

Texas Southmost College
Division of Humanities

An Associate of Arts in Teaching degree prepares students for further studies in education leading to baccalaureate degree, which is required to become certified to teach in Texas public schools.

FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	CREDIT HOURS
ENGL 1301 ⁺ Composition I	3
MATH 1314 ⁺ College Algebra.....	3
HIST 1301 United States History I OR HIST 2327 ⁴ Mexican American History I	3
EDUC 1300 ⁺ Learning Frameworks.....	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences	3
 FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
ENGL 1302 Composition II	3
HIST 1302 United States History II OR HIST 2328 ⁴ Mexican American History II	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences.....	3
PSYC 2301 ⁺ General Psychology.....	3
MATH 1350 ^{+,1} Mathematics for Teachers I.....	3
 SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	
XXXX X3XX ³ Language, Philosophy & Culture.....	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences.....	3
MATH 1351 ^{+,1} Fundamentals of Mathematics II.....	3
EDUC 1301 ^{+,1} Introduction to the Teaching Profession.....	3
 SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
GOVT 2306 Texas Government.....	3
SPCH 1315 Public Speaking	3
ARTS 1301 Art Appreciation	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences.....	3
EDUC 2301 ^{+,1} Intro to Special Populations.....	3
 TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60	

⁺ Grade of “C” or better is required for graduation.

¹ Courses must be taken in the order offered.

² Life and Physical Sciences courses suggested: BIOL 1308 (BIOL 1108 recommended), BIOL 1309 (BIOL 1109 recommended), PHYS 1315 (PHYS 1115 recommended), PHYS 1317 (PHYS 1117 recommended).

³ Language, Philosophy and Culture: Any General Education Course that meets this category.

⁴ Courses must be taken in sequence: United History I and United History II or Mexican American History I and Mexican American History II.

Grade of “B” or better in SPCH 1315 is required for admission to some Teacher Education Programs.