



Anthropology – Bachelor of Arts

College of Arts and Sciences

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2023-2024 Transfer Course Sheet

Minimum GPA | 2.75

Minimum Transferable Hours | 24

Maximum Transferable Hours | 75

Second-Choice Major Eligible | YES

Required Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Composition and Rhetoric	3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 104
Introduction to Archaeology	3*	ANTH 2302	ANTH 202
Social & Cultural Anthropology		ANTH 2351	ANTH 210
Physical/Biological Anthropology		ANTH 2301	ANTH 225

• **Maximum Transferable Hours are hours completed at time of application.**

• ENGL 1302 must be completed with a grade of C or better.

• ENGL 1301 is a transferable course but may not satisfy the Communication requirements in this degree plan.

• TCCNS may vary by institution.

*Students must complete one of the three Anthropology courses listed as a requirement for admission.

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Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
*Foreign Language I	4	e.g. SPAN 1411	SPAN 101
*Foreign Language II	4	e.g. SPAN 1412	SPAN 102

*Students must complete 4 semesters of the same foreign language

**Applicants with 60 credit hours are REQUIRED to have at least two semesters of the same foreign language completed at the time of application.

The recommendations below represent what a typical TAMU student's schedule looks like during the first four semesters. If working to complete an Associate's Degree before transferring, please align your degree plan to satisfy TAMU degree requirements. Keep in mind that these are recommendations and some small deviations are expected between applicants.

First Year

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
ANTH 2351	ANTH 210	Social and Cultural Anthropology	3
ENGL 1301	ENGL 103	Intro to Rhetoric and Composition	3
		Beginning Foreign Language I	4
	TAMU Core	American History	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 206	American National Government	3
Total			16

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
ANTH 2302	ANTH 202	Introduction to Archaeology	3
ENGL 1302	ENGL 104	Composition and Rhetoric	3
		Beginning Foreign Language II	4
	TAMU Core	American History	3
GOVT 2306	POLS 207	State and Local Government	3
Total			16

Second Year

FALL SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
	ANTH 225/226	Introduction to Biological Anthropology/Lab	4
		Intermediate Foreign Language I	3
	TAMU Core	Life and Physical Science	3
	TAMU Core	Mathematics	3
	TAMU Core	Communication	3
Total			16

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
		Intermediate Foreign Language II	3
	TAMU Core	Social and Behavioral Sciences	3
	TAMU Core	Life and Physical Science	3
	TAMU Core	Mathematics	3
	TAMU Core	Creative Arts	3
Total			15



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- While four semesters are listed it is recommended that applicants apply to transfer as soon as they meet minimum requirements rather than trying to complete all allowable coursework elsewhere.
- Consider taking courses that fulfill the 6 hours of [International and Cultural Diversity requirement](#) when completing their core curriculum requirements.

Coursework Timeline

- Competitive applicants will have the Recommended or Required coursework completed by the application deadline.
- Applicants to the summer/fall term **may be** asked to submit spring final grades, this is not a guarantee.
- Summer coursework **will not** be considered for summer/fall applicants.
- Fall coursework **will not** be considered for spring applicants.
- Applicants to the spring term should have the Recommended or Required coursework completed by the end of Summer II semester before applying.

Additional Transfer Requirements

- Transfer applicants should have completed a full semester (spring or fall) course load of 12 transferable hours (minimum) after graduating from high school.
- The Department of Anthropology is looking for students who are interested in pursuing our degree as a focus. Students should indicate our department as the primary major they are interested in if they wish to be admitted. The essay and supporting materials should reflect that the student is interested in pursuing our degree.
- AP/IB scores must be submitted at the time of application to be considered for coursework required for admission.
- Maximum credit hours listed are at the time of application. All courses completed, regardless of degree applicability, are considered including accepted credit by exam hours. Applicants cannot select which hours are transferable, or opt to exclude completed hours, and all completed hours will be factored when calculating total credit hours completed.
- Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. The entire record is reviewed for consistency in coursework and grades.
- Maximum credit hours listed are hours completed at the time of application. All courses completed, regardless of degree applicability, are considered including transcripted credit by exam hours.
- Applicants cannot select which hours are transferable, or opt to exclude completed hours, and all hours will be factored when calculating maximum transferable hours.

Additional Information

- Applicants should be serious about earning a degree in Anthropology. Intended major changes after the first semester may be limited, based on the number of credit hours already completed.
- Transfer applicants are instructed NOT to accept transfer admission to any major with the expectation of later applying for an on-campus change of major.

Career & Educational Opportunities

Anthropology is the study of what it means to be human in the broadest sense, through an examination of culture and society (sociocultural and linguistic anthropology), the biology and evolution of humans and our closest relatives (biological anthropology), and the study of past human communities and material culture (archaeology). Students in this major develop an appreciation of the value of physical and cultural differences at the local, national, and global levels, and learn critical thinking skills that support them in careers that involve working with individuals of diverse national or ethnic backgrounds. For more information please visit careercenter.tamu.edu.

Transfer Course Sheet Notes

1. Admission preference is given to applicants with the highest GPA and the most appropriate courses completed.
2. Transfer applicants are encouraged to complete [University Core Curriculum](#) coursework found in the [Undergraduate Catalog](#) unless specified above.
3. This Transfer Course Sheet was supported in a partnership between the Office of Admissions and the College of Arts and Sciences at Texas A&M University with the Undergraduate Catalog having the most extant and definitive information.