



Required Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Chemistry I	4	CHEM 1411 (1311/1111)	CHEM 119
Biology I	4	BIOL 1406 (1306/1106)	BIOL 111
MATH	6	MATH 1324 MATH 1325 MATH 2412 MATH 2413 PHIL 2303	MATH 140 MATH 142 MATH 150 MATH 151 PHIL 240
Communications	3		

This transfer course sheet is applicable for applicants applying between August 1st, 2025, and October 15th, 2026.

- Courses listed must be completed with a grade of C or better.
- Any core mathematics can be accepted **EXCEPT** for STAT 201 (MATH 1342). We encourage students to take:
 MATH 140
 MATH 142
 MATH 150
 MATH 151
 PHIL 240
- The student must explicitly connect the degree of Animal Science with their future career goals in their essay. Participation in collegiate judging teams is preferred and should be listed in the accompanying essay.

The recommendations below represent what a typical TAMU student's schedule looks like during the first four semesters. If working to complete an associate degree before transferring, please align your degree plan to satisfy TAMU degree requirements.

You may not have to complete the coursework in the sequence below, as certain courses may not be offered at your institution, but this major requires or recommends specific coursework to be completed.

First Year

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
CHEM 1411 (1311/1111)	CHEM 119	Chemistry I	4	BIOL 1406 (1306/1106)	BIOL 111	Biology I	4
GOVT 2305	POLS 206	American National Government	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 207	State & Local Government	3
	core.tamu.edu	Mathematics	3		core.tamu.edu	Mathematics	3
	core.tamu.edu	Communication	3		core.tamu.edu	Communication	3
Total				Total			
13				13			

Second Year

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
CHEM 1412 (1312/1112)	CHEM 120	Chemistry II	4	BIOL 2421	BIOL 206	Microbiology	4
BIOL 1407 (1307/1107)	BIOL 112	Biology II	4		core.tamu.edu	Social and Behavioral Science	3
	core.tamu.edu	American History	3		core.tamu.edu	American History	3
	core.tamu.edu	Language, Philosophy & Culture	3		core.tamu.edu	Creative Arts	3
Total				Total			
14				13			

- PHYS 1401 (1301/1101) and PHYS 1402 (1302/1102) are not required on the ANSC degree plan, but one or both are required in order to apply for the TAMU Veterinary and Medical Schools. Courses may be taken in two-year plan if professional school is intended.
- Consider taking courses that fulfill the 3 hours of International and Cultural Diversity requirement when completing the Language, Philosophy, Culture or Creative Arts requirements.**



Coursework Timeline

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

Additional Transfer Requirements

- Students intending to participate in a collegiate judging team should explicitly list **JUDGING TEAM** participation in their essay.
- The Department of Animal Science 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.
- The essay will be reviewed and considered. The student must explicitly connect the degree of Animal Science with their future career goals in their essay. The essay should address why the student wishes to be an ANSC major, and how the major will help the student achieve future career goals. Any relevant background information may be discussed. Any excessive grades of D's, F's, Q's, NG's and/or W's should be explained.
- Meeting minimum requirements **does not** guarantee admission. The entire record is reviewed for consistency in coursework and grades.
- The Department of Animal Science **does not** accept upper-level animal science transfer coursework.

Additional Information

- Applicants should be serious about earning a degree in Animal Science.
- Applicants should indicate in the essay which degree option they wish to pursue (Science or Production/Industry Option).
- 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.
- Please contact the department regarding second-choice major consideration before applying.
- It is highly recommended to meet with an academic advisor prior to submitting the application.

Career & Educational Opportunities

From medicine (veterinary or human) to animal marketing, Animal Science majors have knowledge and experience in animal breeding and genetics; equine, dairy, and meat science; animal nutrition; and physiology of reproduction. Students who plan to attend veterinary, medical, pharmacy or graduate school are encouraged to select the **science option** while students seeking careers in animal production, agricultural extension work, or feed sales usually select the animal **production/industry option**. 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 Agriculture & Life Sciences at Texas A&M University with the Undergraduate Catalog having the most extant and definitive information.