

International Affairs - Bachelor of Arts

Bush School of Government and Public Service Andy Armstrong BushSchoolAdvisingUG@tamu.edu bush.tamu.edu/inta/degrees/ints/ 2024-2025 Transfer Course Sheet
Minimum GPA | 2.75
Minimum Transferable Hours | 24
Maximum Transferable Hours | 60
Second-Choice Major Eligible | YES

Required Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Composition and Rhetoric I or II	3	ENGL 1301 or	ENGL 103 or
		ENGL 1302	ENGL 104
Foreign Language I & II *	8	XXXX 1411 &	XXXX 101 &
		1412	102

This transfer course sheet is applicable for applicants applying between August 1st, 2024 and October 15th, 2025.

- Applicants with 24-30 hours must have completed the 1st semester beginner foreign language with the 2nd semester in progress at time of application.
- Applicants with 31-45 hours must have completed 1st year (2 semesters) of beginner foreign language at the college level with the 3rd semester in progress at time of application.
- Applicants with 46-60 hours must have completed 3rd semester (intermediate college level) of foreign language and 4th semester in progress at time of application.
- Applicants over 45 hours without the first year of the foreign language completed will not be considered for admission
- Applicants must pursue one of the modern languages offered at Texas A&M: Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Russian, or Spanish.
- Admission to INTA is based on completion of foreign language courses prior to transfer. As such, students should be completing the foreign language consistent with their desired area of study. Change of foreign language option upon admission is **not** permitted.
- If students expect credit due to foreign language placement exams, credit must be on student's transcripts for consideration.

Recommended Coursework for Admission

Course Name	Hrs.	TCCNS	TAMU
Principles of Microeconomics *	3	ECON 2302	ECON 202
Principles of Macroeconomics *	3	ECON 2301	ECON 203

^{*}Applicants with **45 credit hours or more** earned are **REQUIRED** to have both ECON courses completed or in progress at the time of application.

- Maximum Transferable Hours are hours completed at the time of application. See "Additional Transfer Requirements" on page 2 of this
 document for more information.
- Required courses listed must be completed with a grade of C or better.
- Students may have to complete ENGL 1301 at their institution before taking ENGL 1302.
- The Department of International Affairs will accept AP/IB credit when applicable. DO NOT retake classes for which you have AP/IB credit.

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. You may not have to complete the coursework in the sequence below but this major requires or recommends specific coursework to be completed.

First Year

FALL SEMESTER

SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
XXXX 1411	XXXX 101	Foreign Language I	4
HIST 1301	HIST 105	American History	3
ENGL 1301	ENGL 103	Composition and Rhetoric	3
ECON 2302	ECON 202	Principles of Microeconomics	3
		Total	13

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
XXXX 1412	XXXX 102	Foreign Language II	4
HIST 1302	HIST 106	American History	3
ENGL 1302	ENGL 104	Composition and Rhetoric	3
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		Total	13

^{*} Foreign Language completion requirements:



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Second Year

FALL SEMESTER SPRING SEMESTER

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
XXXX 2311	XXXX 201	Foreign Language III	3
GOVT 2305	POLS 206	Government/Political Science	3
ECON 2301	ECON 203	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
	core.tamu.edu	Life & Physical Science	3
		Total	12

TCCNS	TAMU	Course Name	Hrs.
XXXX 2312	XXXX 202	Foreign Language IV	3
GOVT 2306	POLS 207	Government/Political Science	3
MATH 1342	STAT 201	Elementary Statistical Inference	3
	core.tamu.edu	Creative Arts	3
		Total	12

Coursework Timeline

- Competitive applicants will have the Required and Recommended 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 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 International Affairs is looking for students who are interested in pursuing our degree as a focus. The essay and
 supporting materials should reflect the students' interest in pursuing our degree, including but not limited to background circumstances
 in academic career, influences towards major consideration, career aspirations with degree as part of students' path, and students'
 understanding of impacts from acts of service.
- Meeting minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. The entire record is reviewed for consistency in coursework and grades, and preference is given to applicants with the highest GPA and the most appropriate courses completed.
- 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 understand and agree to continue progress with the same foreign language as previously completed before transfer.
- 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.
- International Experience is required after completion of the intermediate language level to complete this degree program.

Career & Educational Opportunities

This interdisciplinary program captures the broad range of social, political, cultural, and economic forces at play in an increasingly interdependent world. Courses are linked by language, topic, and region of the world, and class work is enhanced by a related international study abroad experience. The degree couples a thorough background in foreign language with one of six separate degree tracks: *Politics and Diplomacy; Commerce; Communication and Media Studies; Global Cultural Studies; Environmental Studies;* or *Geographic Information Systems*. Students develop language proficiency, analytical skills, substantive knowledge, and cultural sensitivity. For more information please visit careercenter.tamu.edu.

Transfer Course Sheet Notes

- 1. Transfer applicants are encouraged to complete <u>University Core Curriculum</u> coursework found in the <u>Undergraduate Catalog</u> unless specified above.
- 2. This Transfer Course Sheet was supported in a partnership between the Office of Admissions and the Bush School of Government and Public Service at Texas A&M University with the Undergraduate Catalog having the most extant and definitive information.