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School of Education and Human Development Website: epsy.tamu.edu

Major: Bachelor of Science in Education - Special Education

To qualify for automatic admission through PTA, a student must:

- Students MUST graduate high school before they are eligible to sign up for PTA •
- Complete 30 consecutive hours after high school graduation in residency at any Texas community college or a • combination of Texas community colleges
- A grade of B or better must be earned on **bold**, **italicized** coursework on the first attempt.
- Participants are allowed a maximum of three withdrawals (W's) throughout their college career with a maximum of one withdrawal (W) per bold, italicized course.
- Maintain a minimum 3.2 cumulative GPA (including graded, transferable credit earned in high school)
- Attend a mandatory meeting with a Texas A&M admissions counselor and follow ALL PTA guidelines
- Submit all other required documents (application fee, transcripts, essay, etc.) by the appropriate deadline for admission to • Texas A&M University

| Required Coursework for PTA | | | | | | |
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| Course Title | Credits | TCCNS Course # | TAMU Course # | Notes | | |
| Business Math I or II | 3 | MATH 1324 or 1325 | MATH 140 or 142 | | | |
| **General Biology or Intro to Biology | 4 | BIOL 1406 or BIOL 1408 | BIOL 111 or BIOL 113 | **Only one of these two courses will satisfy this requirement. | | |
| **Physical or Historical Geology | 4 | GEOL 1403 or GEOL 1404 | GEOL 101 or GEOL 106 | **Only one of these two courses will satisfy this requirement. | | |
| Intro to Chemistry | 4 | CHEM 1405 | CHEM 106/116 | | | |

** Any two 4-hour Science courses from above are required.

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| English Composition | 3 | ENGL 1302 | ENGL 104 | | | |
| American History | 6 | HIST 1301 or 1302 and 2301 | HIST 105 or 106 and 226 | | | |
| Government / Political Science | 3 | GOVT 2305 & 2306 | POLS 206 & 207 | | | |
| Creative Arts Elective | 3 | DRAM 1310 | THAR 101 | | | |

Other transferable coursework may be found on the corresponding CEHD degree plan found at: • http://education.tamu.edu/degrees-and-programs/undergraduate-degree-programs

We have endeavored to make this major coursework check sheet error free. All listings are based on the 2022-2023 Texas A&M University Undergraduate Catalog, Edition 145. The catalog is the final word if a discrepancy appears.