



College of Science

B.S. Mathematics, Secondary-Level Teacher Certification Mathematics & Physics (Grades 7-12)

2023-2024 Texas Common Course Numbering System Transfer Guide

This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program using as many TCCNS courses as possible. The four-year plan also shows the first point when no TCCNS options are available for this program. See the current [Undergraduate Catalog](#) for course prerequisites. Course availability at UNT is subject to change, and the plan shown below may change based on updates to UNT's course offerings.

FIRST YEAR FALL		FIRST YEAR SPRING	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
ENGL 1310	ENGL 1301	MATH 2100	N/A
MATH 1710	MATH 2313 or 2413	ENGL 1320 or TECM 2700 (TECM 2700 is recommended)	ENGL 1302 or 2311
PSCI 2305	GOVT 2305	PSCI 2306	GOVT 2306
MATH 2000	MATH 2305 or 2405	MATH 1720	MATH 2314 or 2414
UNT Core: Creative Arts	See list of approved courses	TNTX 1200*	N/A
TNTX 1100*	N/A	PHYS 1710/1730	PHYS 2425 or 2325/2125

**Students must be admitted to the Teach North Texas Program prior to enrolling in certain Education courses.*

SECOND YEAR FALL		SECOND YEAR SPRING	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
EDCI 3500*	N/A	EDCI 4060	N/A
Foreign Language Option I or II	Consult UNT advisor	MATH 3000	N/A
MATH 2700	MATH 2318 or 2418	MATH 3680	N/A
MATH 2730	MATH 2315 or 2415	CSCE 1010 or 1020 or 1030	COSC 1315 or 1336 or 1436
PHYS 2220/2240	PHYS 2426 or 2326/2126	Foreign Language Option I or II	Consult UNT advisor

THIRD YEAR FALL		THIRD YEAR SPRING	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
PHYS 3010/3030	N/A	MATH 4060	N/A
MATH 3510 or 3610	N/A	MATH 3850	N/A
MATH Analysis or Algebra Elective (Advanced)	N/A	TNTX 3100	N/A
EDCI 4000*	N/A	UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses
MATH 4050	N/A	UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences	See list of approved courses

FOURTH YEAR FALL		FOURTH YEAR SPRING	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
EDCI 4500*	N/A	EDCI 4608* (Student Teaching I)	N/A
MATH Elective (3350 or higher)	N/A		
MATH Elective (3350 or higher)	N/A	EDCI 4618* (Student Teaching II)	N/A
UNT Core: Language, Philosophy, & Culture	See list of approved courses		
UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses	EDCI 4628* (Student Teaching Seminar)	N/A
UNT Core: Core Option Courses	See list of approved courses		



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Students may not declare a major within the College of Science until they have completed MATH 1100 (MATH 1314 or 1414), or MATH 1180 (MATH 1324) with a 'C' or better, or have demonstrated proficiency through a math placement exam. Applicants who do not meet the math proficiency requirement will be provisionally admitted as Pre-College of Science (PCOS). PCOS students may visit the College of Science Advising Center for assistance.

Courses Recommended for Transfer

The UNT Core requirements are shown with Texas Common Course Numbering System values only when UNT offers equivalent courses. There may be other courses in transfer that apply toward the specific degree requirement, but those listed are known to apply.

UNT Core: Communication

ENGL 1301; and **ENGL 1302** or **2311**

A grade of 'C' or better is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

ENGL 2311 is recommended.

UNT Core: Mathematics

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Mathematics program requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Mathematics program requirement (see next column).

UNT Core: American History

Two courses chosen from: **HIST 1301, 1302, 2301**

UNT Core: Government/Political Science

GOVT 2305 and **2306**

UNT Core: Creative Arts

One course chosen from: **ARTS 1301** or **1304**; **DRAM 1310**; **MUSI 1306** or **1307**; **SPCH 2341**

UNT Core: Language, Philosophy, & Culture

One course chosen from: **ARTS 1303**; **ENGL 2321, 2326, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2341, or 2351**; **HIST 2321 or 2322**; **PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, or 2306**

UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences

One course chosen from: **ANTH 2346** or **2351**; **COMM 1307**; **CRIJ 1301**; **ECON 2301** or **2302**; **GEOG 1303**; **PSYC 2301** or **2330**; **SOCI 1301**; **SOCW 2361**; **SPCH 1318**; **TECA 1354**

UNT Core: Core Option Courses

One course for this requirement will partially be met by fulfilling the B.S. Mathematics program requirements (see next column). In addition, complete one course from Option A OR Option B.

Option A: **ANTH 2301, 2346, or 2351**; **ARTS 1301, 1303 or 1304**; **ASTR 1403 or 1404**; **BIOL 1306 or 1406, 1307 or 1407, 1322, 1308 or 1408, 2301 or 2401, 2302 or 2402, 2306 or 2406**; **CHEM 1311 or 1411, 1312 or 1412**; **COMM 1307 or 2300**; **CRIJ 1301**; **DRAM 1310**; **ECON 2301 or 2302**; **ENGL 1301, 1302, 2311, 2321, 2326, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2341, or 2351**; **GEOG 1303**; **GEOL 1401 or 1403**; **HECO 1322**; **HIST 1301, 1302, 2321, or 2322**; **MATH 1316, 1324, 1325, 1332, 1342 or 1442, 1350, 2312 or 2412, 2313 or 2413, 2314 or 2414**; **MUSI 1306 or 1307**; **PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, or 2306**; **PHYS 1301 or 1401, 1302 or 1402, 1403, 1404, 1410, 1415, 2325 or 2425, or 2326 or 2426**; **PSYC 2301 or 2330**; **SOCI 1301**; **SOCW 2361**; **SPCH 1315, 1318 or 2341**; **TECA 1354**

Option B: **COMM 2302**; **SPCH 1311**; **TECA 1303**

B.S. Mathematics: Major Requirements

- MATH 2305 or 2405
- MATH 2313 or 2413 (also fulfills the Mathematics core requirement)
- MATH 2314 or 2414 (also fulfills a portion of Core Option courses core requirement)
- MATH 2315 or 2415
- MATH 2318 or 2418

Advanced Mathematics Courses

No TCCNS options available.

Students must achieve a grade point average of at least 2.0 in all mathematics courses numbered 3350 and above that are applied toward the major.

Courses listed above are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the UNT B.S. Mathematics major.

B.S. Mathematics: Foreign Language

Students may complete either of two options to satisfy the Mathematics Foreign Language requirement:

Option I: Proficiency in a foreign language equivalent to 1412. Students intending to pursue a graduate degree in mathematics are encouraged to study French, German or Russian.

Option II: Complete 6 hours of technical writing courses from the following: **ENGL 2311** (also fulfills a portion of the Communication core requirement) and one advanced level **TECM** course option at UNT from approved list.

B.S. Mathematics: Laboratory Sciences

Physics Emphasis

- **PHYS 2425** or **2325/2125**
- **PHYS 2426** or **2326/2126**

PHYS 2425 and **2426** also fulfill the Life & Physical Sciences core requirement.

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B.S. Mathematics: Computer Programming

- **COSC 1315** or **1336** or **1436**

Students taking mathematics courses at the 2000-level or above are expected to be competent in computer programming, using languages such as BASIC, C, C++, Fortran, PASCAL or Java. Students are encouraged to complete the programming requirement during their freshman or sophomore year. Students who have acquired a solid programming competency in a non-academic setting, such as through work experience, may demonstrate their programming competency by passing a departmental exam in place of the **CSCE 1010** (at UNT only), **COSC 1315** or **1336** or **1436** course requirement.



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Teach North Texas Program: Minor (Required)

No TCCNS options available.

Students in this degree plan must go through the Teach North Texas Program. This program requires 22 hours for a minor in Mathematics and Science Secondary Teaching and meet all GPA requirements to apply for state certification. Students should contact the Teach North Texas program for more information on enrolling in the certification courses.

A 2.75 GPA is required on all courses counting toward the Mathematics and Science Secondary Teaching Minor; see current UNT Undergraduate Catalog for all minor requirements.

Teacher Certification Information

To be certified to teach in the State of Texas, the student must successfully pass the following exams.

Exam #1 TExES: Pedagogy & Professional Responsibilities (EC-12)

Exam #2 TExES: Physics/Mathematics (7-12)

Additional requirements for Teacher Certification in Mathematics and Physics include a 2.5 overall GPA (including all transferred courses), a 2.5 UNT GPA and a 2.5 major GPA.

Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements: A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 36 must be advanced, and fulfillment of degree requirements for the Bachelor of Science degree as specified in the General University Requirements section of the UNT catalog and the College of Science requirements

UNT Core Curriculum/Transfer of Core Curriculum: UNT complies with the mandate of the Texas Legislature regarding [Core Requirements](#) for state-assisted institutions. Students who successfully complete the common core curriculum (in whole or in part) at a Texas state-assisted institution of higher education are eligible to transfer as “core complete” for those categories in the UNT University Core Curriculum.

Individual academic programs may require courses contained in parts of the University Core Curriculum. Students who wish to take courses that will fulfill both core and major/program requirements simultaneously should check with academic advisors for assistance in selecting core courses.

Choice of Catalog: Any student transferring directly from a Texas public community college to UNT shall have the same choice of catalog designating degree requirements as the student would have had if the dates of attendance at the university had been the same as the dates of attendance at the community college.

The College of Science required curriculum and policies are located in the [undergraduate catalog](#) under the corresponding catalog year.

For additional program and contact information, visit the College of Science Advising Center website at cos.unt.edu/advising.