



College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences

B.S. Social Science

Secondary Teacher Certification in Social Studies

2024-2025 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 |
| UNT Core: Mathematics | See list of approved courses | UNT Core: Creative Arts | See list of approved courses |
| ENGL 1310 or TECM 1700 | ENGL 1301 | ENGL 1320 or TECM 2700 | ENGL 1302 or 2311 |
| HIST 1050 | HIST 2321 | HIST 1060 | HIST 2322 |
| PSCI 2305 | GOVT 2305 | PSCI 2306 | GOVT 2306 |
| Elective | Consult UNT advisor | Elective | Consult UNT advisor |

| Second Year Fall | | Second Year Spring | |
|------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------|--|
| UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences | See list of approved courses | UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences | See list of approved courses |
| ECON 1110 | ECON 2301 | ECON 1100 | ECON 2302 |
| GEOG 1200 | GEOG 1303 | GEOG 2170 | GEOG 1302 |
| HIST 2610 | HIST 1301 | HIST 2620 | HIST 1302 |
| PSYC 1630 | PSYC 2301 | SOCI 1510 | SOCI 1301 |
| Elective | Consult UNT advisor | Elective | Consult UNT advisor |

| Third Year Fall | | Third Year Spring | |
|--|---------------------|---|---------------------|
| UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| ECON 3050 or FIPL 2770 | BUSI 1307 | ECON 4100 or 4850 | N/A |
| EDCI 3800 | N/A | EDCI 3830 | N/A |
| HIST 3700 | HIST 2301 | Advanced African, Asian, Latin American, or Middle Eastern History Course | N/A |
| Advanced American Government & Politics Course | N/A | Advanced European History Course | N/A |
| Advanced U.S. History Course | N/A | Advanced Human Geography Course | N/A |
| Elective | Consult UNT advisor | Elective | Consult UNT advisor |



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| Fourth Year Fall | | Fourth Year Spring | |
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| UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option | UNT Requirement | TCCNS Option |
| EDCI 4060 | N/A | EDCI 4108* (Student Teaching) | N/A |
| EDCI 4070 | N/A | EDCI 4118* (Student Teaching) | N/A |
| EDCI 4840* | N/A | | |
| UCRS 4700 | N/A | | |

* Students must be admitted to the Teacher Education Program prior to enrolling in certain Education courses.



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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 higher is required on courses applied toward this requirement.

UNT Core: Mathematics

One course chosen from: **BUSI 2305**; **MATH 1324, 1325, 1332, 1342, 2312** or **2412, 2313** or **2413**

UNT Core: Life and Physical Sciences

For students **not** majoring in Science, Mathematics, or Engineering, completing two courses from the list below is recommended (Consult UNT advisor for more options).

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| • ANTH 2401 or 2301/2101 | • GEOL 1403 or 1303/1103 |
| • ASTR 1403 or 1303/1103 | • PHYS 1403 |
| • ASTR 1404 or 1304/1104 | • PHYS 1404 |
| • BIOL 1408 or 1308/1108 | • PHYS 1410 |
| • BIOL 2406 or 2306/2106 | • PHYS 1415 |
| • GEOL 1401 or 1301/1101 | |

UNT Core: American History

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major requirements.

UNT Core: Government/Political Science

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major requirements.

UNT Core: Creative Arts

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

UNT Core: Language, Philosophy and Culture

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major requirements.

UNT Core: Social and Behavioral Sciences

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major requirements.

UNT Core: Core Option Courses

This requirement will be met by fulfilling the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major requirements.

Social Science (Teacher Certification): Major Requirements

TCCNS options:

- **BUSI 1307**
- **ECON 2301** and **2302** (also fulfills the Social & Behavioral Sciences and a portion of the Core Option Courses core requirements)
- **GEOG 1302** and **1303**
- **GOVT 2305** and **2306** (also fulfills the Government/Political Science core requirement)
- **HIST 1301** and **1302** (also fulfills the American History core requirement)
- **HIST 2301** (approved substitution for UNT's **HIST 3700**, but will not count toward the advanced hours requirement)
- **HIST 2321** and **2322** (also fulfills the Language, Philosophy & Culture and a portion of the Core Option Courses core requirements)
- **PSYC 2301**
- **SOCI 1301**

Courses listed above are TCCNS options and do not include all courses required for the B.S. Social Science (Teacher Certification) major.

Social Science: Teacher Education Program

Prior to enrolling in the education courses, students must have:

- Completed a minimum of 60 semester hours, including the University Core Curriculum
- A 2.75 UNT GPA
- A 2.75 overall GPA (includes courses transferred to UNT, plus all courses taken at UNT)
- TSI Complete Status, or have appropriate exam scores on either the ACT or SAT
- Completed the application process and been admitted to Teacher Education through the College of Education Student Advising Office

Continuation in the Teacher Education Program is not guaranteed by the admission process.

Social Science: Teacher Certification Information

No TCCNS options available.

Students must complete the required 21 hours in upper-level education courses and meet all GPA requirements to apply for state certification. See current UNT Undergraduate Catalog for all requirements.

To be certified to teach in the state of Texas, students must successfully pass appropriate state exams. Consult the College of Education TExES Success Office for specific exams requirements and information.

Additional requirements for Teacher Certification in Social Studies include a 2.75 overall GPA (including all transferred courses), a 2.75 UNT GPA, a 2.75 major GPA, and a 2.75 GPA in all Teacher Education courses.



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Special Notes

Hours Required and General/College Requirements: A minimum of 120 semester hours, of which 42 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 Liberal Arts and Social Sciences 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 Liberal Arts and Social Sciences 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 Liberal Arts and Social Sciences Student Advising website at class.unt.edu/advising.