



College of Information

B.A. Linguistics with a concentration in Language and Law

2025-2026

This four-year plan provides a model for on-time completion of this UNT program. Texas Common Course Numbering System (TCCNS) show how course transfers apply to UNT degree requirements. 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
UNT Core: Social & Behavioral Sciences	See list of approved courses	ENGL 1320 or TECM 2700	ENGL 1302 or 2311
ENGL 1310	ENGL 1301	PSCI 2306	GOVT 2306
PSCI 2305	GOVT 2305	Foreign Language 1020	Foreign Language 1412
Foreign Language 1010	Foreign Language 1411	Elective	Consult UNT advisor

Second Year Fall		Second Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: American History	See list of approved courses
UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: Life & Physical Sciences	See list of approved courses
UNT Core: Core Option Course	See list of approved courses	UNT Core: Core Option Course	See list of approved courses
UNT Core: Language, Philosophy & Culture	See list of approved courses	LING 2080	N/A
Foreign Language 2040	Foreign Language 2311	Foreign Language 2050	Foreign Language 2312

Third Year Fall		Third Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
LING 3020	N/A	LING 3080	N/A
LING 3070	N/A	LING 4055	N/A
Elective (Advanced)	N/A	LING Elective	N/A
Elective (Advanced)	N/A	Elective (Advanced)	N/A
Elective	Consult UNT advisor	Elective (Advanced)	N/A

Fourth Year Fall		Fourth Year Spring	
UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option	UNT Requirement	TCCNS Option
LING 3090	N/A	LING 4950	N/A
LING 4040	N/A	LING Elective	N/A
LING 4090	N/A	LING Elective	N/A
LING Elective	N/A	LING Elective	N/A
Elective (Advanced)	N/A	Elective (Advanced)	N/A



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The Linguistics program expects students to have completed the Texas State recommended high school program and be ready to enroll in Language 2050 (TCCNS: Language 2312). If you are not prepared for this level, the necessary prerequisites will either replace electives or increase the hours required for this degree.

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).

- **ANTH 2401** or **2301/2101**
- **ASTR 1403** or **1303/1103**
- **ASTR 1404** or **1304/1104**
- **BIOL 1408** or **1308/1108**
- **BIOL 2406** or **2306/2106**
- **GEOL 1401** or **1301/1101**
- **GEOL 1403** or **1303/1103**
- **PHYS 1403** or **1303/1103**
- **PHYS 1404** or **1304/1104**
- **PHYS 1410** or **1310/1110**
- **PHYS 1415** or **1315/1115**

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 and Culture

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

***LING 2050** and **3010** (both at UNT only) is an option for the major and will fulfill the Language, Philosophy & Culture core requirement.*

UNT Core: Social and Behavioral Sciences

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

UNT Core: Core Option Courses

Complete two courses from Core Option A OR one course from Core Option A AND one course from Core Option B.

Option A: **ANTH 2401** or **2301/2101, 2346, or 2351**; **ARTS 1301, 1303** or **1304**; **ASTR 1403** or **1303/1103, or 1404 or 1304/1104**; **BIOL 1306** or **1406, 1307** or **1407, 1322, 1408** or **1308/1108, 2401** or **2301/2101, 2402** or **2302/2102, 2406** or **2306/2106**; **BUSI 1307** or **2305**; **CHEM 1411** or **1311/1111, 1412** or **1312/1112**; **COMM 1307** or **2300**; **CRIJ 1301**; **DRAM 1310**; **ECON 2301** or **2302**; **ENGL 1301, 1302, 2311, 2321, 2326, 2331, 2341, or 2351**; **GEOG 1303**; **GEOL 1401** or **1301/1101, or 1403 or 1303/1103**; **HECO 1322**; **HIST 1301, 1302, 2301, 2321, or 2322**; **MATH 1324, 1325, 1332, 1342, 2312** or **2412, 2313** or **2413, 2314** or **2414**; **MUSI 1306** or **1307**; **PHIL 1301, 1304, 2303, or 2306**; **PHYS 1401** or **1301/1101, 1402** or **1302/1102, 1403** or **1303/1103, 1404** or **1304/1104, 1410** or **1310/1110, 1415** or **1315/1115, 2425** or **2325/2125, or 2426** or **2326/2126**; **PSYC 2301**; **SOCI 1301**; **SOCW 2361**; **SPCH 1315, 1318** or **2341**; **TECA 1354**

Option B: **COMM 2302**; **COSC 1301**; **SPCH 1311**; **TECA 1303**

***LING 2070** (at UNT only) is an option for the major and will apply 3 hours to the Core Option Course core requirement.*

Linguistics (Language & Law): Foreign Language Requirement

TCCNS options:

- Any foreign language **2311** and **2312**

Courses must be taken in the same language.

Note: Prerequisites for foreign language **2311** and **2312** courses are **1411** and **1412**. Placement exams may be available; see your community college academic advisor for details.

Linguistics (Language & Law): Major Requirements

No TCCNS options available.

Linguistics (Language & Law): Additional Requirements

A minimum grade point average of **2.5** is required on all courses counted toward the major.

Linguistics (Language & Law): Optional Minor

Linguistics majors who would like to study cutting-edge practices and technologies managing linguistic data for computational and quantitative analysis may choose to minor in information science.

Linguistics: Grad Track Option

The B.A. Linguistics major has a grad track option leading to a M.A. Linguistics. For more information, review the UNT undergraduate catalog and consult a UNT advisor.



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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 Arts degree as specified in the General University Requirements section of the UNT catalog and the College of Information 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 Information 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 Information Student Advising website at <https://ci.unt.edu/advising>.