

Program for Transfer Admissions – Major Coursework Check Sheet



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**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
- Complete all required coursework shown below in bold italics with a grade of B or better
  - A grade of B or better must be earned on the first attempt
- 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				
Course Title	Credits	TCCNS Course #	TAMU Course #	Notes
English Composition	3	<b>ENGL 1302</b>	<b>ENGL 104</b>	
Foreign Language I	4			See <a href="http://catalog.tam.u.edu">catalog.tam.u.edu</a> for options
Foreign Language II*	4			See <a href="http://catalog.tam.u.edu">catalog.tam.u.edu</a> for options *Must be the second course in the corresponding foreign language sequence (i.e. if you took Spanish I, the second course must be Spanish II).
Any Sociology course	3	<b>e.g. SOCI 1301</b>	<b>e.g. SOCI 205</b>	

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Course Title	Credits	TCCNS Course #	TAMU Course #	Notes
Government / Political Science	6	GOVT 2305 & 2306	POLS 206 & 207	
American History	6	HIST 1301 & 1302	HIST 105 & 106	
Communication	3			See <a href="http://core.tam.u.edu">core.tam.u.edu</a> for options
Creative Arts	3			See <a href="http://core.tam.u.edu">core.tam.u.edu</a> for options
Language, Philosophy and Culture	3			See <a href="http://core.tam.u.edu">core.tam.u.edu</a> for options
Life and Physical Sciences	9			See <a href="http://core.tam.u.edu">core.tam.u.edu</a> for options
Mathematics	6	MATH 1324, MATH 1325, MATH 1342, or PHIL 2303	MATH 140, MATH 142, PHIL 240, or STAT 201	

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