

Program for Transfer Admissions – Major Coursework Check Sheet



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School of Public Health

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Major: Public Health

Website: <https://public-health.tamu.edu/index.html>

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

- 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
- 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](#)

Required Coursework for PTA				
Course Title	Credits	TCCNS Course #	TAMU Course #	Notes
<i>Mathematics</i>	3	MATH 1324 or MATH 1342 or PHIL 2303	MATH 140 or STAT 201 or PHIL 240	MATH 140 is preferred
<i>Mathematics</i>	3	MATH 1325 or MATH 1342 or PHIL 2303	MATH 142 or STAT 201 or PHIL 240	MATH 142 is preferred
<i>Biology I</i>	4	BIOL 1306/1106 or 1406	BIOL 111	
<i>Biology II</i>	4	BIOL 1307/1107 or 1407	BIOL 112	
<i>Chemistry I</i>	4	CHEM 1311/1111 or 1411	CHEM 119	

Additional Coursework To Be Selected From				
Course Title	Credits	TCCNS Course #	TAMU Course #	Notes
Composition & Rhetoric	3	ENGL 1301 or 1302	ENGL 103 or 104	Either ENGL 103 or 104 may be used
Communication*	3			* See notes below
Social & Behavioral Sciences/CD**	3	core.tamu.edu	core.tamu.edu	
Creative Arts/CD**	3	core.tamu.edu	core.tamu.edu	
History of the United States	3	HIST 1301	HIST 105	
History of the United States	3	HIST 1302	HIST 106	
American National Government	3	GOVT 2305	POLS 206	
State and Local Government	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 207	

- *Suitable courses for the second Communication requirement are the following: Writing about Literature (3 Hrs; TAMU: ENGL 203), Technical and Business Writing (3 Hrs; TCCNS: 2311; TAMU: 210), or Public Speaking (3 Hrs; TCCNS: SPCH 1315; TAMU: COMM 203).
- **Students must complete 3 hours of Cultural Discourse (CD) credits. When completing the Social and Behavioral Sciences, Free Electives, and Creative Arts requirements, please refer to core.tamu.edu and research if these courses double as CD credits.
- Students may have to complete College Algebra (MATH 1314) at their institution before taking MATH 1324 or 1325. College Algebra is a transferable course but will not satisfy the Mathematics requirements in this degree plan.

We have endeavored to make this major coursework check sheet error free. All listings are based on the 2025-2026 [Texas A&M University Undergraduate Catalog](#). The catalog is the final word if a discrepancy appears.