

Program for Transfer Admission – Major Coursework Check Sheet



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College of Education and Human Development

Major: Education (EDUC) Middle Grades 4-8 Language Arts/Social Studies

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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
<i>Mathematics I or II</i>	3	<i>MATH 1350 or 1351</i>	<i>MATH 135/136</i>	
<i>Life and Physical Science</i>	3 or 4		<i>Any core LPS</i>	See core.tamu.edu for options
<i>English Composition</i>	3	<i>ENGL 1301 or 1302</i>	<i>ENGL 103 or 104</i>	

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Course Title	Credits	TCCNS Course #	TAMU Course #	Notes
Intro to Education	3	EDUC 1301	TEFB 273	
Intro to Special Populations	3	EDUC 2301	INST 210	
English Composition	3			See core.tamu.edu for options
Economics	3	ECON 2301 or 2302	ECON 202 or 203	
US History I	3	HIST 1301	HIST 105	
US History II	3	HIST 1302	HIST 106	
Texas History	3	HIST 2301	HIST 226	
Political Science	3	GOVT 2305	POLS 206	
Political Science	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 207	
Geography	3	GEOG 1302 or 1303	GEOG 201 or 202	
Creative Arts	3			See core.tamu.edu for options
Language, Philosophy & Culture	3			See core.tamu.edu for options

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.