

# GEOGRAPHY - MINOR

Geography explores the relationships between people and their environment, which vary from place to place across the Earth. Geographers compare and quantify the drivers of the variable and changing characteristics of Earth's systems, which have been transformed into human habitat and are thus undergoing change. Geography coursework for the minor integrates physical sciences, social sciences, and the humanities.

## Program Requirements

Code	Title	Semester Credit Hours
GEOG 201	Introduction to Human Geography	3
GEOG 203 & GEOG 213	Planet Earth and Planet Earth Lab	4
	Select one of the following:	3
	400-level GEOG course ( <a href="http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/geog/">http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/geog/</a> )	
	Electives	6
	Select from the following:	
GEOG 202	Geography of the Global Village	
GEOG 301	Geography of the United States	
GEOG 304	Economic Geography	
GEOG 305	Geography of Texas	
GEOG 306	Introduction to Urban Geography	
GEOG 309	Geography of Energy	
GEOG 311	Cultural Geography	
GEOG 320	The Middle East	
GEOG 323	Geography of Latin America	
GEOG 324	Global Climatic Regions	
GEOG 330	Resources and the Environment	
GEOG 331	Geomorphology	
GEOG 355	Concepts in Geographic Education	
GEOG 360	Natural Hazards	
GEOG 361	Remote Sensing in Geosciences	
GEOG 370/ MARS 370	Coastal Processes	
GEOG 380	Workshop in Environmental Studies	
GEOG 390	Principles of Geographic Information Systems	
GEOG 398	Interpretation of Aerial Photographs	
GEOG 400	Arid Lands Geomorphology	
GEOG 401	Political Geography	
GEOG 405	Field Trips	
GEOG 420	Geography of Terrorism	
GEOG 435	Principles of Plant Geography	
GEOG 440	History and Nature of Geography	
GEOG 450	Field Geography	
GEOG 489	Special Topics in...	
<b>Total Semester Credit Hours</b>		<b>16</b>

The selection of courses must be made in agreement with the geography department advisor for minor programs.

Minimum GPA of 2.000 must be maintained in the minor coursework. 6 hours must be upper division courses, 3 of which must be at the 400-level.

## General Requirements

1. Geography Minor: minimum of 16 credits in the discipline with at least 6 hours in upper-division courses, 3 hours of which must be at the 400 level.
2. Minimum of 6 credits must be taken in residence at either Texas A&M University or Texas A&M at Galveston.
3. Students must meet with the department's advisor for minor programs for approval of courses selected (any substitutions must be approved by the department head).
4. Minimum cumulative GPR of 2.0 must be achieved for all courses in the minor.