

SPANISH - BA

Program Requirements

First Year

| | | Semester Credit Hours |
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| Fall | | |
| ENGL 104 | Composition and Rhetoric | 3 |
| American history | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#american-history) | 3 |
| Creative arts | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#creative-arts) | 3 |
| Life and physical sciences | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences) | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 4 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 16 |

Spring

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| Select one of the following: | | 3 |
| COMM 203 | Public Speaking | |
| COMM 205 | Communication for Technical Professions | |
| COMM 243 | Argumentation and Debate | |
| ENGL 203 | Writing about Literature | |
| ENGL 210 | Technical and Professional Writing | |
| Language, philosophy and culture | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#language-philosophy-culture) | 3 |
| Mathematics | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#mathematics) | 3 |
| Social and behavioral sciences | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#social-behavioral-sciences) | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 4 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 16 |

Second Year

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| Fall | | |
| SPAN 201 | Intermediate Spanish I | 3 |
| Life and physical sciences | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences) | 3 |
| Mathematics | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#mathematics) | 3 |
| Literature directed elective | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/arts-and-sciences/) | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 15 |

Spring

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| SPAN 202 or SPAN 203 | Intermediate Spanish II or Intermediate Spanish for Heritage Speakers | 3 |
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| American history | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#american-history) | 3 |
| Life and physical sciences | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#life-physical-sciences) | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 15 |

Third Year

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| Fall | | |
| Government/Political science | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#government-political-science) | 3 |
| Spanish language/Linguistic | ² | 3 |
| Spanish literature/Culture | ³ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 15 |

Spring

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| Spanish language/Linguistic | ² | 3 |
| Spanish literature/Culture | ³ | 3 |
| Spanish literature/Culture | ³ | 3 |
| Spanish interdisciplinary elective | ⁴ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 1 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 13 |

Fourth Year

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| Fall | | |
| Government/Political science | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#government-political-science) | 3 |
| Language, philosophy and culture or creative arts | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#language-philosophy-culture) | 3 |
| Spanish language/Linguistic | ² | 3 |
| Spanish interdisciplinary elective | ⁴ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 15 |

Spring

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| Social and behavioral sciences | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/university-core-curriculum/#social-behavioral-sciences) | 3 |
| Literature directed elective | (http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/arts-and-sciences/) | 3 |
| Spanish interdisciplinary elective | ⁴ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| General elective | ¹ | 3 |
| Semester Credit Hours | | 15 |
| Total Semester Credit Hours | | 120 |

¹ Select any 100-499 course not used elsewhere, except SPAN 200-499 (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/span/>).

² Select from the following: SPAN 301, SPAN 302 or SPAN 304, SPAN 303, SPAN 306, SPAN 307, SPAN 318, SPAN 350, SPAN 352, SPAN 407, SPAN 417, SPAN 452, SPAN 462.

³ Select from the following: SPAN 311, SPAN 312, SPAN 320, SPAN 331, SPAN 332, SPAN 341, SPAN 342, SPAN 410, SPAN 411, SPAN 412, SPAN 413, SPAN 414, SPAN 421, SPAN 423, SPAN 445, SPAN 450, SPAN 460, SPAN 461.

⁴ Select from SPAN 100-499 (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/span/>), HISP 100-499 (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/course-descriptions/hisp/>); HISP-related courses (see HISP-Related Interdisciplinary Courses table.)

A grade of C or higher is required if a course is to be counted in the major field.

Graduation requirements include 3 hours of International and Cultural Diversity (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/degree-information/international-cultural-diversity-requirements/>) courses and 3 hours of Cultural Discourse (<http://catalog.tamu.edu/undergraduate/general-information/degree-information/cultural-discourse-requirements/>) courses. A course satisfying a Core category, a college/department requirement, or a free elective can be used to satisfy this requirement. The required 6 hours may be met by courses satisfying other areas of a degree program. See your academic advisor for further information.

Spanish majors are required to complete a credit-bearing 10-week minimum semester-long study or experience abroad in a Spanish-speaking country. Study abroad options include University-sponsored, reciprocal, affiliated, and independent programs. Selection of location and type of experience abroad should be made in consultation with departmental advisors. For students who are unable to study abroad, an internship may be used instead. This option is available only with prior approval by the Spanish advisor.

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| HIST 441 | History of Mexico, 1821 to the Present | 3 |
| HIST 449 | History of Brazil, 1822 to the Present | 3 |
| HLTH 236 | Introduction to Health Disparities and Diversity | 3 |
| IBUS 459 | Latin American Markets | 3 |
| PHIL 283 | Latin American Philosophy | 3 |
| POLS 304 | Latino Politics in the United States | 3 |
| POLS 323 | Political Systems of Latin America | 3 |
| POLS 362 | Latin American Political Thought | 3 |
| POLS 368 | Latin American Legislatures | 3 |
| POLS 423 | U.S.-Latin American Relations | 3 |
| SOCI 203 | U.S.-Mexico Border | 3 |
| SOCI 317/ AFST 317 | Racial and Ethnic Relations | 3 |
| SOCI 337 | International Migration | 3 |
| SOCI 403 | Sociology of Latinos | 3 |
| SOCI 404/ RPTS 404 | Sociology of the Community | 3 |
| THEA 200 | Introduction to World Theatre | 3 |
| Any course, including 489 Special Topics, with 33% Hispanic focus | | |

HISP-Related Interdisciplinary Courses

| Code | Title | Semester Credit Hours |
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| ANTH 308 | Archaeology of Mesoamerica | 3 |
| ANTH 445 | Studies in African Diaspora | 3 |
| ENGL 336 | Life and Literature of the Southwest | 3 |
| ENGL 338 | American Ethnic Literature | 3 |
| ENGL 351/ FILM 351 | Advanced Film | 3 |
| FILM 401 | National Cinema History | 3 |
| FILM 405/ EURO 405 | European Cinema | 3 |
| GEOG 323 | Geography of Latin America | 3 |
| HIST 304 | Southwest Borderlands | 3 |
| HIST 305 | Chicana/o History since 1848 | 3 |
| HIST 307 | Latinx History | 3 |
| HIST 316 | Latino/a Labor in the United States | 3 |
| HIST 319 | U.S. Immigration and Ethnicity | 3 |
| HIST 321 | The Age of Revolution in the Atlantic World | 3 |
| HIST 322 | History of the Iberian World | 3 |
| HIST 326 | History of the Caribbean | 3 |
| HIST 341 | Latin America to 1810 | 3 |
| HIST 342 | Latin America Since 1810 | 3 |
| HIST 343 | Inter-American Relations | 3 |