Bachelor of Arts in Spanish  
COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCIES  
Degree Map | 2019-2020

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<td><strong>Freshman</strong></td>
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| Complete general education requirements.  
Enroll in 14 credit hours in the Fall and 15 in the Spring semester.  
Take SPAN 1411 and SPAN 1412*  
| Participate in New Student Orientation  
Meet with your Academic Advising Center Freshman Advisor before registration.  
Ask you Advisor about the COED recommended core courses for your degree plan.  
| Prioritize Your Wellness  
Participate in campus recreation  
Attend Financial Literacy seminars  
Form healthy study habits  
Build Your Community  
Use FalconLink & attend Club Day  
Volunteer  
Attend campus events  
Attend the Latin American Writers Series  
Explore Your World  
Attend an athletics event, musical performance, or visit the art gallery  
| Build Your Brand  
Draft your resume  
Register for the Job Board  
Craft Your Future  
Explore career options  
Have coffee with a faculty member  |
| **Sophomore**        |                   |                       |                   |
| Complete general education requirements.  
Enroll in 16 credit hours per semester.  
Take SPAN 2311 and 2312*  
| Meet with your Academic Advising Center Freshman Advisor before registration.  
Ask you Advisor about the recommended core courses for your degree plan.  
| Prioritize Your Wellness  
Enjoy outdoor spaces on campus  
Build Your Community  
Join an organization (ex: Latin American Film Club)  
Explore campus leadership (SGA, Orientation Leader, Resident Asst.)  
Explore Your World  
Consider study abroad  
Attend a lecture series  
| Build Your Brand  
Update your resume  
Join LinkedIn  
Consider student employment  
Craft Your Future  
Participate in mock interviews  
Attend an internship/career fair  |
| **Junior**           |                   |                       |                   |
| Complete core courses recommended for your degree plan  
Enroll in 15 credit hours Fall and Spring semester.  
Include SPAN 3301 Advanced Grammar and Syntax and SPAN 3302 Advanced Composition and Conversation to your schedule  
Focus on Spanish courses.  
| Meet with your Academic Advisor before registration.  
| Prioritize Your Wellness  
Attend a health fair  
Build Your Community  
Run for organization officer role  
Apply to be a Falcon Ambassador  
Explore Your World  
Consider study abroad  
Participate in service learning  
| Build Your Brand  
Update your resume  
Conduct research with faculty  
Craft Your Future  
Search for internships or fellowships  |
| **Senior**           |                   |                       |                   |
| Enroll in 15 credit hours per semester.  
Focus on Spanish courses.  
| Meet with your Academic Advisor before registration.  
| Prioritize Your Wellness  
Attend financial literacy seminars  
Build Your Community  
Attend your ring ceremony  
Join Alumni Association upon graduation  
Explore Your World  
Consider study abroad (summer prior to senior year)  
| Build Your Brand  
Update your resume  
Present research  
Craft Your Future  
Participate in an internship or fellowship  
Apply for jobs  |

UTPB students will graduate with these skills:  
• Leadership  
• Problem-solving  
• Communication  
• Intercultural competence  
• Social Responsibility  
• Research  
• Global Awareness  
• Teamwork  
• Critical Thinking  

Career opportunities:  
• Educator  
• Translator  
• Bilingual Author/Journalist  
• Public Relations/Foreign Affairs  
• Social Services
# Bachelor of Arts in Spanish (BA) Suggested Degree Map

## Semester 1
- *SPAN 1411 Spanish:
- HIST 1301 American History I
- Communication Component
- Life/Physical Science with Lab
- Language/Philosophy/Culture

15 hours

## Semester 2
- *SPAN 1412 Spanish:
- HIST 1302 American History II
- Mathematics
- Communication Component
- Life/Physical Science with Lab

15 hours

## Semester 3
- *SPAN 2311 Spanish:
- Government/Political Science
- Creative Arts
- Communication 1315
- Social/Behavioral Sciences

16 hours

## Semester 4
- *SPAN 2312 Spanish:
- Government/Political Science
- Component Area
- Minor Course (3 hours)
- Minor Course (3 hours)

15 hours

## Semester 5
- **SPAN 3301 Advanced Grammar & Syntax
- **SPAN 3310 Intro to Spanish Linguistics
- **SPAN 3000 Level or 4000 Level Linguistics course
- Minor Course (3 hours)
- Elective course (3 hours)

15 hours

## Semester 6
- **SPAN 3302 Advanced Composition & Conversation
- **SPAN 3308 Intro to Literature & Literary Analysis
- **SPAN 3321 Hispanic Civilization
- **SPAN 3000 Level Spanish Elect or 4000 Level
  Peninsular lit course
- Minor Course (3 hours)

15 hours

## Semester 7
- *SPAN 4000 Level Latin American Literature course
- 3000 Level or 4000 Level Linguistic course or elective
- Minor Course (3 hours)
- Minor Course (3 hours)
- Elective course

15 hours

## Semester 8
- SPAN 3000 Level or 4000 Level Spanish Elective course
- SPAN 4000 Level Peninsular literature course
- Minor Course (3 hours)
- Elective course
- Elective course

15 hours

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**NOTE:** Students must earn upper-level Spanish credits in at least one course in each category: Spanish linguistics, Latin American literature, and Peninsular literature.

*Language Requirements:* SPAN 14XX and 23XX = Students who completed high school Spanish may take the Spanish CLEP and get 14 sch of lower-level Spanish. If this is the case, students may start major courses earlier.

**Required course for Spanish BA Degree:**
Spanish elective courses can be taken abroad during the summer sessions.