

HISTORY, BACHELOR OF ARTS

Requirements

General Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
	Core Curriculum	42
	Required Support Courses	18
	Major (Required) Courses	36
	Minor	18
	Electives	6
Total Credits		120

- 36 upper-division credit hours required for degree
- 30 advanced hours from A&M-SA for residency
- CIP Code: 54.0101

All students must complete the University's Core Curriculum (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/core-curriculum/>) and the specific requirements of the major. In some cases, a course that is required for a major may also be counted towards the Core Curriculum.

Code	Title	Credits
Core Curriculum ¹		
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
	Mathematics	3
	Life & Physical Sciences	3
	Life & Physical Sciences	3
	Lang/Phil/Culture	3
	Creative Arts	3
	American History	3
	American History	3
	Government/Political Science	3
	Government/Political Science	3
	Social & Behavioral Sciences	3
SPCH 1315	Fund of Public Speaking	3
HIST 2321	World Civilizations I	3
Subtotals:		42
Required Support Courses ²		
UNIV 1301	First Year Seminar	3
	Foreign Language	3
	Foreign Language	3
	Foreign Language	3
	Foreign Language	3
HIST 2322	World Civilizations II	3
Subtotals:		18
Major (Required) Courses ³		
	HIST Adv. Elective	3
<i>Essentials of the Major</i>		
HIST 3301	Intro to Historical Analysis	3
HIST 4301	Methods of Historical Research ⁴	3
<i>Global Cultural Literacy</i>		

Select one of the following:		3
HIST 2312	Native American History	
HIST 2327	History of Spanish Borderlands	
HIST 2328	Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
HIST 2381	African American History	

Select one of the following:		3
HIST 2313	Islamic World I	
HIST 2314	Islamic World II	
HIST 2351	Latin America I: Colonial Era	
HIST 2352	Latin American II: Modern Era	
HIST 2358	Asian History	

<i>Focused Surveys</i>		
Select three of the following:		9
HIST 2301	Texas History	
HIST 3303	History of San Antonio	
HIST 3312	Europe in the Middle Ages	
HIST 3315	Early Modern Europe to 1815	
HIST 3316	Europe 1815 to 1914	
HIST 3317	Modern Middle East	
HIST 3318	Europe Since 1914	
HIST 3330	Colonial America	
HIST 3331	Amer Rev Early Repub 1763-1850	
HIST 3334	Civil War and Reconstruction	
HIST 3335	Gilded Age and Progressive Era	
HIST 3336	America's Rise to World Power	
HIST 3338	United States Since 1945	
HIST 3356	Mexico	

<i>Thematic Concentrations</i>		
Select two courses from two of the following lists: ⁵		12
<i>Global/Borderlands History</i>		
HIST 2327	History of Spanish Borderlands	
HIST 3312	Europe in the Middle Ages	
HIST 3330	Colonial America	
HIST 3356	Mexico	
HIST 4347	The American West	
HIST 4363	War and Society	
HIST 4364	Women & Gender-Latin America	

<i>Political, Economic, Military History</i>		
HIST 3316	Europe 1815 to 1914	
HIST 3317	Modern Middle East	
HIST 3318	Europe Since 1914	
HIST 3331	Amer Rev Early Repub 1763-1850	
HIST 3334	Civil War and Reconstruction	
HIST 3356	Mexico	
HIST 4317	Nazi Germany	
HIST 4342	U.S. Foreign Policy	
HIST 4363	War and Society	

<i>Social, Cultural, Gender History</i>		
HIST 3302	Introduction to Public History	
HIST 3317	Modern Middle East	
HIST 3335	Gilded Age and Progressive Era	
HIST 3338	United States Since 1945	

HIST 4319	The Holocaust	
HIST 4340	US Social and Cultural History	
HIST 4360	Women in History	
HIST 4366	Childhood in America	
HIST 4364	Women & Gender-Latin America	
Subtotals:		36
Minor⁶		
A minimum of 6 upper-division credit hours required. Actual number of hours depends on the minor selected		18
Subtotals:		18
Electives		
As needed to complete 120 credit hours required		6
Total Credits		120

- Other courses may satisfy core curriculum requirements. Courses listed under the core curriculum above are also specific degree requirements, and are recommended in the core to expedite degree completion.
- Preferably one language, maximum of 2 languages; conversational language will not count
- 2.0 overall GPA for major
- Course should be taken during the semester the student intends to graduate.
- HIST 4370 Crucial Topics in History may be taken twice for credit in place of two of the courses listed below. A course can only count for one category even if it is listed more than once.
- 2.0 overall GPA

Plan of Study

This suggested plan of study is intended to be used as a guide in conjunction with official degree requirements outlined in the catalog. While this plan demonstrates a course of study that covers eight semesters, each student's academic path is unique and your timeline may look different. Students should regularly consult with academic advisors as they plan their course schedules as course offerings may vary.

First Year

First Semester		Credits
HIST 1301	US History to 1865	3
ENGL 1301	Composition I	3
Government/Political Science		3
Language		3
UNIV 1301	First Year Seminar	3
Credits		15

Second Semester

HIST 1302	US History from 1865	3
ENGL 1302	Composition II	3
	or ENGL 2311 or Technical Writing	
Government/Political Science		3
Mathematics		3
Language		3
Credits		15

Second Year

First Semester

HIST 2321	World Civilizations I	3
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Life and Physical Sciences		3
SPCH 1315	Fund of Public Speaking	3
Language		3
Global Cultural Literacy I		3
HIST 2328	Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
or	or Native American History	
HIST 2312	or History of the Spanish Borderlands	
or	or African American History	
HIST 3311		
or		
HIST 2381		

Credits 15

Second Semester

HIST 2322	World Civilizations II	3
Life and Physical Sciences		3
Global Cultural Literacy II		3
HIST 2312	Native American History	
or	or History of the Spanish Borderlands	
HIST 3311	or Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
or	or African American History	
HIST 2328		
or		
HIST 2381		

Language, Philosophy and Culture 3

Language 3

Credits 15

Third Year

First Semester

HIST 3301	Intro to Historical Analysis	3
Social and Behavioral Sciences		3
Focused Survey		3

HIST 2301	Texas History	
or	or Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
HIST 2328	or Europe in the Middle Ages	
or	or Early Modern Europe to 1815	
HIST 3312	or Europe 1815 to 1914	
or	or Europe Since 1914	
HIST 3315	or Colonial America	
or	or Amer Rev Early Repub 1763-1850	
HIST 3316	or Civil War and Reconstruction	
or	or Gilded Age and Progressive Era	
HIST 3318	or America's Rise to World Power	
or	or Mexico	
HIST 3330		
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HIST 3331		
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HIST 3334		
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HIST 3335		
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HIST 3336		
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HIST 3356		

Creative Arts 3

Minor 3

Credits 15

Second Semester

Global Cultural Literacy	3
HIST 2313 Islamic World I	
or Islamic World II	
HIST 2314 or Latin America I: Colonial Era	
or Latin American II: Modern Era	
HIST 2351 or Asian History	
or	
HIST 2352	
or	
HIST 2358	
Thematic Concentration I	3
Focused Survey II	3
HIST 2301 Texas History	
or or Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
HIST 2328 or Europe in the Middle Ages	
or or Early Modern Europe to 1815	
HIST 3312 or Europe 1815 to 1914	
or or Europe Since 1914	
HIST 3315 or Colonial America	
or or Amer Rev Early Repub 1763-1850	
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HIST 3334	
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HIST 3335	
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HIST 3336	
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HIST 3356	
Elective	3
Minor	3
Credits	15

Fourth Year

First Semester

Thematic Concentration II	3
Focused Survey III	3

HIST 2301 Texas History	
or or Mexican American Hst 1848-Pres	
HIST 2328 or Europe in the Middle Ages	
or or Early Modern Europe to 1815	
HIST 3312 or Europe 1815 to 1914	
or or Europe Since 1914	
HIST 3315 or Colonial America	
or or Amer Rev Early Repub 1763-1850	
HIST 3316 or Civil War and Reconstruction	
or or Gilded Age and Progressive Era	
HIST 3318 or America's Rise to World Power	
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HIST 3335	
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HIST 3336	
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HIST 3356	
Thematic Concentration III	3
Minor	3
Minor	3
Credits	15
Second Semester	
HIST 4301 Methods of Historical Research	3
Thematic Concentration IV	3
Elective	3
Elective	3
Minor	3
Credits	15
Total Credits	120