

Texas State University
College of Education
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Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science (BESS)
Major in Exercise and Sports Science All - Level Teacher Certification Major Code: 257.18

Worksheet for Advisement Purposes only – Not an Official Outline
 (NOTE: This outline is subject to revision due to State Mandated changes or local policy changes)

CORE Curriculum

Prefix ^(Core)	Course	Sub	Grade	Hours
ENG ⁽¹⁰⁾	1310			3
ENG ⁽¹⁰⁾	1320			3
ENG Lit ⁽⁴⁰⁾	23xx			3
HIST ⁽⁶⁰⁾	1310			3
HIST ⁽⁶⁰⁾	1320			3
POSI ⁽⁷⁰⁾	2310			3
POSI ⁽⁷⁰⁾	2320			3
MATH ⁽²⁰⁾	1315, or 1316, or 1319			3
COMM ⁽¹¹⁾	1310			3
Soc Sci ^{*(80)}				3
BIO ⁽³⁰⁾	1320			3
BIO ⁽³⁰⁾	1421			4
PHIL ⁽⁴¹⁾	1305			3
Fine Arts ⁽⁵⁰⁾	2313			3
PFW ⁽⁹⁰⁾	Act			1
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US ⁽⁹⁰⁾	1100			1
Total				46

✓For this degree, you must take two semesters of foreign language UNLESS you took two years of the same foreign language in high school.

*Choose one from ANTH 1312, ECO 2301, GEO 1310, PSY 1300, or SOCI 1310.

Support Course

Prefix	Course	Sub	Grade	Hours
BIO	2430			4
Total				4

#Second Teaching Field or Minor (see Advisor)

Prefix	Course	Sub	Grade	Hours
Total				18-29

#ESS Major - Physical Education Courses

Prefix	Course	Sub	Grade	Hours
PE	1310			3
PE	2320			3
AT	2356			3
PE	3317/3117			3/1
PE	3320			3
PE	3329			3
PE	4323			3
PE	4351			3
PE**	Elec Theory			3
PE	3322			3
PE	3324			3
PE	1100			1
PE	1171A, or 1172A, or 1177A, or 1178A			1
PE	1170A, or 1176A, or 1192A			1
PE or PFW	1175A, 1110A, or 1110B, or 1110F, or 1135A, or 1135B, or 1190B			1
PE	1179A			1
Total				39

**Choose one from PE 4391, 4392, 4393, 3340, 3323, or 4317.

#Pedagogy & Professional Responsibility

Prefix	Course	Sub	Grade	Hours
CI	3310			3
CI	3325			3
CI	4332			3
CI	4343			3
RDG	3323			3
EDST	4380 & 4381			6
Total				21

#Pedagogy & Professional Responsibility, Major, and Second Teaching Field coursework must be completed with grades of "C" or better.

A maximum of 66 hours from Community/Junior College may be applied toward the degree of 128 hours.

Total minimum hours is 128, at least 39 of which must be advanced.

BACHELOR of EXERCISE AND SPORTS SCIENCE

ALL-LEVEL TEACHER CERTIFICATION

EDUCATION COURSE SEQUENCE

The Sequence prepares a student for Student Teaching through planning the learning activities within the classroom and understanding the learning development of a specific age. Students will integrate and apply knowledge from their entire program while teaching in collaboration with experienced teachers in the public schools with university guidance and supervision.

Additional Information:

1. Block and Student Teaching courses are available in the **Fall and Spring semesters only**.
2. **All CI and RDG** must be completed with a "C" or better.
3. **All degree/certification** coursework must be completed prior to the Student Teaching semester.
4. **Additional courses may be taken with Methods courses and Field Based Block.**
5. Utilize placement services provided by Career Services (<http://www.careerservices.txstate.edu/>).

Methods Courses

CI 3310 Public Education in America

- **Prerequisites:** 60 hrs. complete; must be completed with "C" or better.
- **Must be completed before Field Based Block.**

CI 3325 Adolescent Growth and Development

- **Prerequisite:** 60 hours complete, 2.5 Texas State GPA; must be completed with "C" or better.

PE 3322 Theory of Sports Techniques

- **Prerequisite:** 2.5 Texas State G.P.A. and senior standing; must be completed with "C" or better. 30 hours of fieldwork required.

PE 3324 Movement Exploration in Exercise and Sports Science

- **Prerequisite:** 2.5 Texas State G.P.A. and senior standing; must be completed with "C" or better.
- 45 hours of fieldwork required.

Field Based Block – should be completed the long semester before student teaching; all courses must be completed with grades of "C" or better.

CI 4332 Secondary Teaching: Curriculum and Technology

CI 4343 Instructional Strategies for the Secondary Teacher

RDG 3323 Teaching Reading in the Content Areas

Prerequisites:

1. **An application is required** for the **Field Based Block** and should be submitted **prior to the Advanced Registration** period. Applications are available in the **Curriculum and Instruction Department**.
2. Students must have **at least 60 hours complete, 2.50 Texas State GPA, and a grade of "C" or better in CI 3310** in order to enroll in the **Field Based Block** (CI 4332, 4343, RDG 3323).
3. Students must earn **"C" or better in ENG 1310, and ENG 1320** prior to enrolling in the Field Based Block.
 - **Attend Student Teaching Roundup** at the start of this semester; refer to <http://www.education.txstate.edu/subpages/acadshared/studentteaching.html> for dates and locations. This meeting is **MANDATORY** and begins the Student Teaching Application process.
 - Students are required to **take practice tests** (Content Area and Pedagogy & Professional Responsibility) for the TExES (Texas Examination of Educator Standards) during this semester. Refer to <http://www.education.txstate.edu/subpages/excet/index.htm> for additional information.

Student Teaching – the final long semester, after all coursework has been completed. No other courses may be taken at this time.

EDST 4380, 4381

- **Apply for graduation** at the start of the semester. See Schedule of Classes for deadline. Applications are available on line at (http://www1.txstate.edu/catsweb/ad/adwbadgra_instructions.htm).
- **Take required TExES exams:** Pedagogy and Professional Responsibility Test #160 and Physical Education All-Level Test # 158 are required. If **Second Teaching Field is completed**, the student must take appropriate TExES/ExCET content exam in addition to Pedagogy and Professional Responsibility and Physical Education All-Level test. (Practice tests must be completed to take the "real" exam.)
- Upon **completion of all certification requirements** (student teaching, graduation, and passing scores on required TExES exams), apply for certification on-line. Refer to Teaching Certification application procedures online at <http://www.education.txstate.edu/subpages/acadshared/edcert.html>.

Students are ultimately responsible for knowing and fulfilling all University, College, Major and Certification requirements. Failure to meet requirements and stated deadlines may delay graduation. Students who, at any time, are confused about academic requirements for their progress toward a degree and certification are encouraged and expected to meet with an advisor, adhering to the posted advising schedules and procedures.

This worksheet is intended as a quick and easy guide for your degree/certification but does not substitute for a Degree Audit Report (DAR). It is important that you meet with an advisor and refer to all information given to you throughout the course of your tenure at Texas State. Students are also encouraged to refer to the Undergraduate Texas State Catalog and Schedule of Classes for additional official information and semester calendars. The College of Education website (<http://www.education.txstate.edu>) may provide answers to most questions students have about major and certification requirements.