

Bachelor of Science, Education PK-3

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Core Curriculum Requirements	Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Communication (6 hours)	Composition I	3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1301
	Composition II	3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 1302
Mathematics (3 hours)	Introduction to Foundations of Mathematics I	3	MATH 1350	MATH 1384
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours) ¹	Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list. <i>BIOL 1408 & BIOL 1436 are preferred.</i>			
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours) ¹	Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list. <i>ENGL 2332 or ENGL 2333 is preferred.</i>			
Creative Arts (3 hours)	Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
American History (6 hours)	United States History to 1876	3	HIST 1301	HSTY 1301
	United States History since 1876	3	HIST 1302	HSTY 1302
Government/Political Science (6 hours)	American Government	3	GOVT 2305	POLS 2305
	Texas Government	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306
Social & Behavioral Science (3 hours) ¹	Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list. <i>PSYC 2301 (PSYC 1301) is suggested.</i>			
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours)	Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
Major Requirement or Field of Study	Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Both	Becoming A Teacher	3	EDUC 1301	CIEE 2333
Both	Introduction to Special Education	3	EDUC 2301	SPED 2301
Both	Human Growth & Learning	3	TECA 1354	EDUC 2305
Both	Introduction to Foundations of Mathematics II	3	MATH 1351	MATH 1385

*SHSU accepts a maximum of 70 credit hours: 66 academic hours + 4 hours of activity-based physical education (kinesiology) hours.

Students must earn a 2.75 minimum overall GPA in all coursework.

Students must meet a 2.75 minimum overall major GPA or in the last 60 semester hours in all major coursework.

Students must earn a 2.0 minimum SHSU GPA in all coursework.

Students must meet a 2.75 minimum SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

Students must maintain a 2.75 GPA or greater overall or in the last 60 semester hours to earn teacher certification. This includes transfer and SHSU courses.

A minor is NOT required for this program.

1 - Substitute courses may be considered.

Full degree can be found here: [Education, BS](#)

Field of Study for [Education \(EC-3 Core\)](#)

Course(s) may not be required for the Bachelor's degree, but it will be accepted at SHSU.

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