## Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences

**Course Name** | **Hours** | **TCCNS** | **SHSU**
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**Communication (6 hours)**<br>Composition I | 3 | ENGL 1301 | ENGL 1301<br>Composition II | 3 | ENGL 1302 | ENGL 1302
**Mathematics (3 hours)**<br>Pre Calculus Algebra or College Mathematics | 3 | MATH 1314 | MATH 1314<br>MATH 1332 | MATH 1332
**Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)**<br>Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.
**Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours)**<br>Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.
**Creative Arts (3 hours)**<br>Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.
**American History (6 hours)**<br>United States History to 1876 | 3 | HIST 1301 | HIST 1301<br>United States History Since 1876 | 3 | HIST 1302 | HIST 1302
**Government/Political Science (6 hours)**<br>American Government | 3 | GOVT 2305 | POLS 2305<br>Texas Government | 3 | GOVT 2306 | POLS 2306
**Social & Behavior Sciences (3 hours)**<br>Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.
**Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours)**<br>Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.

### Full Degree can be found here: Career and Technology Program: Bachelor of Applied Arts and Sciences < Sam Houston State University (shsu.edu)

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*SHSU accepts a maximum of 70 credit hours: 66 academic hours + 4 hours of activity-based physical education (kinesiology) hours. Students must earn a 2.0 minimum overall GPA in all coursework and in all major coursework.

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Minimum of thirty-six semester hours of advanced level credits (courses taken at the junior-senior [3000-4000] level at a senior institution). A minor area of study in a field related to the student's technical specialty or meeting a career goal must be selected. Most any minor offered may be selected but if the selected minor does not require twenty-one advanced hours the student must take extra advanced electives to reach the required minimum of 36 advanced hours.

A nine hour internship is required if some type of field experience was not required within the technical program. If the minor department does not offer an internship, the Career and Technology Program will administer an internship or mentorship. This internship or mentorship will be part of the minimum of 36 advanced hour requirement.

A total of minimum of 36 advanced hours (3000-4000 level classes) must be taken. These hours may come in part from the minor and required internship or mentorship. Additional elective hours will be required to complete this requirement.

Complete 42 hours in general education [core], at least 12 hours of core must be taken at Sam Houston State University. Refer to section on core requirements (may include up to 30 hours of core academics from community college courses - see program coordinator for clarification).