

Bachelor of Arts, Geography (Environment, Culture, and Development)

CORE REQUIREMENTS

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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)			
Elementary Statistics	3	MATH 1342	MATH 1342
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)¹			
Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours)²			
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
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)³			
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours)²			
Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Full degree can be found here: <https://www.shsu.edu/programs/bachelor-degree-in-geography/index.html>

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Weather & Climate	4	GEOL 1447	GEOG 1401
People, Place, & Environment OR Regional Geography	3	GEOG 1302 GEOG 1303	GEOG 1300 GEOG 2355/2356
Physical Geography OR Physical Geology OR Geologic & Environment Hazards	3/4	GEOG 1301 GEOL 1403 GEOL 1405	GEOG 2341 GEOL 1403 GEOL 1405
Courses for required minor			
A minor is required for this program. A full list of minors can be found here: https://catalog.shsu.edu/degree-programs/			
Foreign Language (14 hours)			
SHSU requires 4 semesters of foreign language (same field)			

*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, overall major GPA in all major coursework, SHSU GPA in all coursework, and SHSU major GPA in all major coursework. A minor is required for this program.

1 - GEOG 1401 and GEOL 1403 or GEOL 1405 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area III (Life and Physical Science) 8 credit hours.

2 - GEOG 2355, GEOG 2356, WOLC 2311, or WOLC 2312 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) and 3 credit hours of Component Area IX (Component Area Option).

3 - GEOG 1300 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences).