

SHSU Catalog (2025/2026)

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CORE REQUIREMENTS	Schoo	ool of Agricultural Sciences		936.294.1216	asetgeneral@shsu.edu				
Course I	Name	Hours	TCCNS		SHSU				
Communication (6 hours)									
Composition I		3	ENGL 1301	1	ENGL 1301				
Composition II		3	ENGL 1302]	ENGL 1302				
Mathematics (3 hours)									
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.									
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)									
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.									
Creative Arts (3 hours)									
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.									
American History (6 hours)									
United States Hi	istory 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)									
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.									

Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours)²

Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

 $Full\ degree\ can\ be\ found\ here:\ https://www.shsu.edu/programs/bachelor-of-science-in-plant-and-soil-sciences/index.html$

Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Intro to Inorganic & Environmental Chemistry ¹	4	CHEM 1406	CHEM 1406
Intro to Organic & Biochemistry ¹	4	CHEM 1407	CHEM 1407
Computers in Agriculture	3	AGRI 1309	AGRI 1309
Public Speaking OR Communication for Business & Professionals	3	SPCH 1315 SPCH 1321	COMS 1361 COMS 2382
Animal Science w/lab	4	AGRI 1319 & 1119	ANSC 1319 & 1119
Plant Science w/lab	4	AGRI 1307 & 1107	PLSC 1307 & 1107

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/

*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 SHSU GPA in all coursework.

Students must earn a 2.5 minimum overall major GPA in all major coursework and SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

A minor is required for this program.

The following minors cannot be paired with this degree program: Minor in Early Childhood Education and Minor in Plant and Soil Sciences.

- 1 Satisfies Core Curriculum Component Area III Life & Physical Sciences
- 2 COMS 1361 or COMS 2382 satisfy three hours of Component Area IX and degree specific area. AGRI 4388 does not satisfy this requirement.