



Bachelor of Science, Geography

CORE REQUIREMENTS

Department of Environmental & Geosciences

936.294.1451

geosciences@shsu.edu

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	HIST 1301
United States History Since 1876	3	HIST 1302	HIST 1302
Government/Political Science (6 hours)			
American Government	3	GOVT 2305	POLS 2305
Texas Government	3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306
Social & Behavior Sciences (3 hours)³			
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.			
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours)			
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>

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 1401 GEOL 1405
Courses for required minor			
This program requires a minor and concentration. Minor and concentration options can be found here: https://catalog.shsu.edu/degree-programs			
Life and Physical Science (8 hours)			
SHSU requires 8 hours of Life and Physical Science (in addition to the core)			

*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.

Students must meet a 2.0 minimum overall major GPA in all major coursework.

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

A minor is required for this program.

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

2 - GEOG 2355 or GEOG 2356 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture).

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