# Bachelor of Arts - Major in Spanish

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## Degree Specific Requirements

- PHIL Course: 3
- Fine Arts Course: 3
- HIST or GEOG: 3

### Major: Foundation

- SPAN 1411: Elementary Spanish I: 4
- SPAN 1412: Elementary Spanish II: 4
- SPAN 2311: Intermediate Spanish I: 3
- SPAN 2312: Intermediate Spanish II: 3

### Major: Prescribed Electives

- SPAN 3361: Spanish Grammar & Composition: 3
- SPAN Advanced Electives: 34

### Minor: Required

- Minor: 18

## Total Hours

120

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1. MATH 1332 is recommended.
2. Satisfies Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) and the major.
3. Related to major/with department approval.
4. WOLC 4363 may also be counted as an advanced course.
5. The following minors cannot be paired with this degree program: Spanish Minor and Spanish Interpretation and Translation for Health Professionals Minor.

### Notes

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.

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Students should use elective and/or minor hours to satisfy the 42 advanced hour requirement. All students must complete at least 120 hours to graduate.

### First Year

#### Fall

- Component Area II (http://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaii)

#### Spring

- Component Area III (http://catalog.shsu.edu/undergraduate/academic-policies-procedures/degree-requirements-academic-guidelines/core-curriculum/#componentareaiii) 4
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**Component Area IX**

- ENGL 1301
- HIST 1301
- SPAN 1411

**Second Year**

**Fall**

- Component Area III
- Component Area VIII
- Fine Arts
- POLS 2306
- SPAN 2311

**Spring**

- Component Area V
- 3 PHIL course
- 3 POLS 2306
- 3 SPAN 2312
- 3 Minor

**Total Hours: 14**

**Third Year**

**Fall**

- Component Area IV
- Minor
- SPAN Advanced Electives

**Spring**

- 3 HIST or GEOG Course
- 6 Minor
- 6 SPAN Advanced Electives

**Total Hours: 15**

**Fourth Year**

**Fall**

- Minor
- SPAN 3361
- SPAN Advanced Electives

**Spring**

- 3 Minor
- 3 SPAN Advanced Electives

**Total Hours: 12**

**Total Hours: 120**

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8. Related to major with departmental approval.

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The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) marketable skills initiative is part of the state’s 60x30TX plan and was designed to help students articulate their skills to employers. Marketable skills are those skills valued by employers and/or graduate programs that can be applied in a variety of work or education settings and may include interpersonal, cognitive, and applied skill areas.

The BA in Spanish is designed to provide graduates with the following marketable skills:

- Assess best cultural and language practices, and competences to engage with others in professional, academic, and social contexts.
- Engage in pluricultural identities, mediate among cultures, and navigate cultural differences.
- Evaluate assumptions, concepts, language and culture to develop feasible solutions based on analysis and interpretation of results.
- Apply knowledge and skills to implement sophisticated, appropriate, and workable solutions to address complex problems using multilingual and multicultural perspectives.
- Adapt and apply a deep understanding of multiple world views, experiences, and power structures while initiating meaningful cross-cultural interaction to address significant global questions.