

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, MAJOR IN EDUCATION: PK-3 BILINGUAL

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Code	Title	Hours
Bachelor of Science, Major in Education: PK-3 Bilingual		
Core Curriculum		
Component Area I (Communication)		6
Component Area II (Mathematics) ¹		3
Component Area III (Life and Physical Science) ²		8
Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) ³		3
Component Area V (Creative Arts) ⁴		3
Component Area VI (U.S. History)		6
Component Area VII (Political Science/Government)		6
Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences) ⁵		3
Component Area IX (Component Area Option)		4
Degree Specific Requirements		
BIOL 1408	Contemporary Biology ²	4
BIOL 1436	Foundations Of Science ²	4
ENGL 2332	World Literature I: Before the 17th Century ³	3
or ENGL 2333	World Literature II: From the 17th Century and After	
MATH: Any 3 hours of Math in addition to MATH 1384 & MATH 1385 ¹		3
Major: Foundation		
CIEE 2333	Becoming A Teacher	3
CIEE 3374	Human Growth & Learning	3
ECHE 3313	Early Childhood Cognition	3
ECHE 3325	Creative Arts for Educators	3
ECHE 3363	Working With Families in Diverse Communities	3
ECHE 4333	Developmentally Appropriate Programs for Young Children	3
ECHE 4343	Curriculum for Early Childhood ⁶	3
ECHE 4349	Language and Literacy Development	3
EDUC 1101	Educator Preparation	1
MATH 1384	Introduction to Foundations of Mathematics I ¹	3
MATH 1385	Introduction to Foundations of Mathematics II ¹	3
READ 3380	Emergent & Beginning Literacy	3
SPED 2301	Introduction to Exceptionality	3
Field Experience I		
BESL 3301	Second Language Acquisition ⁷	3
BESL 4301	Spanish Fluency In Classroom ⁷	3
CIEE 3334	Mathematics Instruction In Elementary Grades	3
ECHE 3301	Social Guidance - Young Child	3
ECHE 3316	Assessment in Early Childhood	3
Field Experience II		
READ 3383	Reading Methods and Assessment - Elementary	3
READ 3384	Language Arts Methods and Assessment - Elementary	3
SPED 4314	Literacy-Students with Exceptionalities	3
TESL 3313	English Second Language Methodology I	3
Field Experience III		
BESL 4303	Curriculum In Bilingual and Second Language Programs ⁸	3
BESL 4304	Language Learning & Literacy Dev in Multilingual Students ⁸	3

BESL 4305	Academic Language in Dual Language Programs	3
CIEE 3335	Science Instruction In Elementary Grades	3
CIEE 3336	Social Studies Instruction In Elementary Grades	3
Student Teaching		
BESL 4320 or CIEE 4392	Student Teaching in the Bilingual/ESL Classroom Student Teaching Elementary School	3
CIEE 4391	Student Teaching Elementary School	3
EDUC 4301	Teacher Education Capstone	3
Total Hours		130

¹ Students must take 9 hours of Mathematics which includes MATH 1384 and MATH 1385 as 6 of the 9 required hours. MATH 1384 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area II (Mathematics) and the major.

² BIOL 1408 and BIOL 1436 satisfy Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area III (Life and Physical Science) and the major.

³ ENGL 2332 or ENGL 2333 satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) and major.

⁴ CAMX 2301 is recommended for the Component Area V (Creative Arts) requirement.

⁵ PSYC 1301 is recommended for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences) and major.

⁶ ECHE 4343 is best taken with Field Block 1 or Field Block 2 though it can be taken during other semesters to obtain full time enrollment. ECHE 4343 requires active field experience in a kindergarten or pre-kindergarten classroom during the semester taken

⁷ BESL 3301 and BESL 4301 must be taken at the same time, typically with Field Experience I courses.

⁸ BESL 4303 and BESL 4304 must be taken at the same time, typically with Field Experience III courses.

Notes

Students must earn a 2.75 minimum overall GPA in all coursework.

Students must meet a 2.75 minimum overall major GPA or in the last 60 semester hours in all major coursework.

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

Students must meet a 2.75 minimum SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

Students must maintain a 2.75 GPA or greater overall or in the last 60 semester hours. This includes transfer and SHSU courses.

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First Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
Component Area V ¹		3 Component Area VIII ⁶	3
BIOL 1408 ²		4 Component Area IX	3
ENGL 1301 ³		3 ENGL 1302 ³	3
HIST 1301 ⁴		3 HIST 1302 ⁴	3
MATH 1384 ⁵		3 MATH 1385 ⁵	3
		POLS 2305 ⁷	3
		16	18

Second Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
Component Area IX		1 BIOL 1436 ²	4
CIEE 2333		3 CIEE 3374	3
ECHE 3313		3 ECHE 3363	3
EDUC 1101		1 MATH ^{5,9}	3
ENGL 2332 or 2333 ⁸		3 READ 3380	3
POLS 2306 ⁷		3	
SPED 2301		3	
		17	16

Third Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
BESL 3301 ¹⁰		3 ECHE 4343 ¹¹	3
BESL 4301 ¹⁰		3 ECHE 4349	3
CIEE 3334		3 READ 3383	3
ECHE 3301		3 READ 3384	3
ECHE 3316		3 SPED 4314	3
ECHE 4333		3 TESL 3313	3
		18	18

Fourth Year

Fall	Hours	Spring	Hours
BESL 4303 ¹²		3 BESL 4320 or CIEE 4392	3
BESL 4304 ¹²		3 ECHE 3325	3
BESL 4305		3 EDUC 4301	3
CIEE 3335		3	
CIEE 3336		3	
CIEE 4391		3	
		18	9

Total Hours: 130

- ¹ CAMX 2301 is recommended to satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area V (Creative Arts).
- ² BIOL 1408 and BIOL 1436 satisfy Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area III (Life and Physical Science) and the major.
- ³ Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area I (Communication).
- ⁴ Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VI (U.S. History).
- ⁵ Students must take 9 hours of Mathematics which includes MATH 1384 and MATH 1385 as 6 of the 9 required hours. MATH 1384 satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area II (Mathematics) and the major.
- ⁶ PSYC 1301 is recommended to satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences).
- ⁷ Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VII (Political Science/Government).
- ⁸ ENGL 2332 or ENGL 2333 satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) and major.
- ⁹ Any 3 hours of Math in addition to MATH 1384 and MATH 1385.
- ¹⁰ BESL 3301 and BESL 4301 must be taken at the same time, typically with Field Experience I courses.
- ¹¹ ECHE 4343 students must be accepted into the Educator Preparation Program (EPP), and it is recommended to take with Field Experience I or II courses due to the field requirement in Kindergarten or Pre-Kindergarten classroom. If needed it can be taken during YLR semester 1 or 2 to meet full time status
- ¹² BESL 4303 and BESL 4304 must be taken at the same time, typically with Field Experience III courses.

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The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) marketable skills initiative is part of the state's **60x30TX** plan 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 BS, Major in Education PK3 Bilingual is designed to provide graduates with the following marketable skills:

- Prepared for Texas Teacher Certification in Prekindergarten through third grade bilingual classrooms.
- Prepared to teach all content areas necessary for PK-3rd Grade in Bilingual (Spanish/English) classrooms.
- Prepared to implement evidence-based methods of teaching in learning in bilingual and dual language classrooms.
- Fully qualified to teach in Texas public schools.