

# GRADUATE MAJORS

The table below lists all graduate majors and degrees as they appear on a diploma and a transcript. Please note that a number of these programs have additional options or concentrations available. Program hours depend on degree options selected. Consult the program page inside this catalog for more detailed information.

Major	Degree	Thesis	Program Hours
Accounting ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/accounting/macy/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/accounting/macy/#requirementstext</a> )	M.Acy.	None	33
Accounting (5-year Integrated) ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/accounting/accounting-bba">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/accounting/accounting-bba</a> )	B.B.A./M.Acy.	None	150
Accounting and Information Technology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/computer-information-systems-quantitative-methods/ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/computer-information-systems-quantitative-methods/ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	None	36
Adult, Professional, and Community Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/ad-pro-comm-ed-adultesl-nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/ad-pro-comm-ed-adultesl-nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	36-39

Adult, Professional, and Community Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/adult-professional-community-education-phd/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/adult-professional-community-education-phd/#requirementstext</a> )	Ph.D.	Dissertation	63
Advanced Practice Leadership ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/social-work/social-work-oncampus-advanced-msw/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/social-work/social-work-oncampus-advanced-msw/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.W.	None	36-62
Agricultural Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/agriculture/agricultural-ed-nonthesis-med/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/agriculture/agricultural-ed-nonthesis-med/#requirementstext</a> )	M.Ed.	Optional	36
Anthropology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/anthropology/ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/anthropology/ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Required	36
Applied Mathematics ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/applied-ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/applied-ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Required	30

Applied Philosophy and Ethics ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/philosophy/applied-ethics-ma/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/philosophy/applied-ethics-ma/</a> )	M.A.	Optional	30-33
Applied Sociology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/applied-sociology-nonthesis-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/applied-sociology-nonthesis-ms/</a> )	M.S.	None	37
Aquatic Resources ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/aquatic-resources-aquaticbiology-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/aquatic-resources-aquaticbiology-ms/</a> )	M.S.	Required	31
Aquatic Resources ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/aquatic-resources-phd/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/aquatic-resources-phd/</a> )	Ph.D.	Dissertation	60-90
Athletic Training ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/athletic-training-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/athletic-training-ms/</a> )	M.S.	Optional	34-37
Biochemistry ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry-biochemistry-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry-biochemistry-ms/</a> )	M.S.	Required	30
Biology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/biology-nonthesis-nominor-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/biology-nonthesis-nominor-ms/</a> )	M.A.	Required	30

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<a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/biology-nonthesis-nominor-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/biology-nonthesis-nominor-ms/</a>	M.S.	Optional	30-45
Business Administration ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoys-business-administration/mba/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoys-business-administration/mba/</a> )	M.B.A.	Optional	42-45
Chemistry ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry/chemistry-ma/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry/chemistry-ma/</a> )	M.A.	None	30
Chemistry ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry/chemistry-ms/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/chemistry-biochemistry/chemistry-ms/</a> )	M.S.	Required	30
Communication Design ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/art-design/communication-design-mfa/">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/art-design/communication-design-mfa/</a> )	M.F.A.	Required	60

Communication Disorders ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/communication-disorders/ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/communication-disorders/ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Required	39
Communication Disorders ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/communication-disorders/mscd/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/communication-disorders/mscd/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.C.D.	None	36
Communication Studies ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/studies/ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/studies/ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	30-36
Computer Science ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	30-36
Computer Science ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Optional	30-36
Computer Science ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/computerscience-infomang-enteringmasters-phd">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/computerscience-infomang-enteringmasters-phd</a> )	Ph.D.	Dissertation	54
Creative Writing ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/creative-writing-fiction-mfa/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/creative-writing-fiction-mfa/#requirementstext</a> )	M.F.A.	Required	48

Criminal Justice ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/criminal-justice/masters/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/criminal-justice/masters/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.C.J.	Optional	36
Criminal Justice ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/criminal-justice/phd/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/criminal-justice/phd/#requirementstext</a> )	Ph.D.	Dissertation	51
Dementia and Aging Studies ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/dementia-aging-studies-dementiaandlongtermcarems/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/dementia-aging-studies-dementiaandlongtermcarems/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Optional	33
Developmental Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devmath-nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devmath-nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	36
Developmental Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devliteracy-edd">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devliteracy-edd</a> )	Ed.D.	Dissertation	66
Developmental Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devliteracy-phd">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/developmental-education-devliteracy-phd</a> )	Ph.D.	Dissertation	66

Educational Leadership (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/educational-leadership-ma/#requirementstext)	M.A.	None	36	Elementary Education Bilingual/Bicultural (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/elementary-education-bilingual-bicultural-ma/#requirementstext)	M.A.	Required	30
Educational Leadership (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/educational-leadership-med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	None	36	Elementary Education Bilingual/Bicultural (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/elementary-education-bilingual-bicultural-med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	None	36
Educational Technology (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/educational-technology-med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	None	39	Engineering (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/ingram-school/engineering-electrical-project-ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	Optional	34
Elementary Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/elementary-education-ma/#requirementstext)	M.A.	Required	30-36	Exercise Science (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-human-performance/exercise-science-ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	Optional	36
Elementary Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/elementary-education-med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	None	36	Family and Child Studies (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/family-consumer-sciences/family-child-studies-childlifeprofessional-nonthesis-ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	Optional	37

Family Nurse Practitioner (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/st-davids-nursing/family-nurse-practitioner-msn/#requirementstext)	M.S.N.	None	48
Geographic Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/geographic-education-phd/#requirementstext)	Ph.D.	Dissertation	46
Geographic Information Science (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/geographic-information-science-phd/#requirementstext)	Ph.D.	Dissertation	46
Geographic Information Science (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/geographic-information-science-mageo/#requirementstext)	M.A.Geo.	None	33
Geography (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/mageo/#requirementstext)	M.A.Geo.	None	33
Geography (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	Required	30
Geography (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/geo-phd/#requirementstext)	Ph.D.	Dissertation	46

Geography Resource and Environmental Studies (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/geography/resource-environmental-studies-mageo/#requirementstext)	M.A.Geo.	None	33
Healthcare Administration (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/administration/mha/#requirementstext)	M.H.A.	Optional	49
Health Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/health-education-med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	Optional	36
Health Information Management (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/information-management/masters-health-information-management-mhim/#requirementstext)	M.H.I.M.	Optional	36
History (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/history/ma/#requirementstext)	M.A.	Optional	33-39
History (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/history/med/#requirementstext)	M.Ed.	None	36

Human Nutrition (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/family-consumer-sciences/human-nutrition-nonthesis-ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	Optional	33-39	mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/political-science/legal-studies-ma/#requirementstext
Human Resource Management (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/mccoy-business-administration/management/human-resource-ms/#requirementstext)	M.S.	None	30	Literature (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/literature-ma/#requirementstext)
Interdisciplinary Studies (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/occupational-workforce-leadership-studies/mais/#requirementstext)	M.A.I.S.	Optional	39	Management of Technical Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/occupational-workforce-leadership-studies/management-technical-education-med/#requirementstext)
Interdisciplinary Studies (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/occupational-workforce-leadership-studies/msis/#requirementstext)	M.S.I.S.	Optional	39	Mass Communication (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/journalism-mass/mass-communication-ma/#requirementstext)
International Studies (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/center-international-studies/ma/#requirementstext)	M.A.	Optional	30-36	Materials Physics (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/physics/materials-ms/#requirementstext)
Leadership and Administration in Nursing (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/st-davids-nursing/leadershipandadminnursing-msn/#requirementstext)	M.S.N.	None	36	Materials Science, Engineering, and Commercialization (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/materials-commercialization-phd/#requirementstext)
Legal Studies (http://	M.A.	None	36	

Mathematics M.S. Optional 30-36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/mathematics-nonthesis-nominor-ms/#requirementstext>)

Mathematics M.Ed. None 36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/med/#requirementstext>)

Mathematics Ph.D. Dissertation 78  
 Education (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/education-phd/#requirementstext>)

Merchandising and Consumer Studies M.S. Optional 36-39  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/applied-arts/family-consumer-sciences/merchandising-consumer-studies-ms/#requirementstext>)

Middle School Mathematics Teaching M.Ed. None 36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/mathematics/middle-school-teaching-med/#requirementstext>)

Music (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/music/music-choralconducting-mm/#requirementstext>) M.M. Optional 36

Music Education M.M. None 36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/music/education-choral-mm/#requirementstext>)

Physical Education M.Ed. Optional 30-36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/physical-education-med/#requirementstext>)

Physical Therapy D.P.T. None 99  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/physical-therapy/dpt/#requirementstext>)

Physics M.S. Optional 30-36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/physics/physics-nonthesis-nominor-ms/#requirementstext>)

Political Science M.A. Optional 33-36  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/political-science/politicalscience-nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext>)

Population and Conservation Biology M.S. Required 30  
 (<http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/population-conservation-ms/#requirementstext>)

Professional Counseling (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/professional-counseling-clinicalmental-nonthesis-ma/#requirements)	M.A.	Optional	55-67	Respiratory Care (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/health-professions/respiratory-care/respiratorycare-leadership-msrc/#requirements)	M.S.R.C.	None	36
Psychological Research (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/psychology/psychological-research-ma/#requirements)	M.A.	Optional	38	Rhetoric and Composition (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/rhetoric-composition-ma/#requirements)	M.A.	Optional	33
Public Administration (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/political-science/public-administration-mpa/#requirements)	M.P.A.	None	39	School Improvement (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/education-school-improvement-phd/#requirements)	Ph.D.	Dissertation	63
Reading Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/reading-education-med/#requirements)	M.Ed.	None	36	School Psychology (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/ssp/#requirements)	S.S.P.	None	69
Recreation Management (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/recreation-management-msrls/#requirements)	M.S.R.L.S.	Optional	30-36	Secondary Education (http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/secondary-education-ma/#requirements)	M.A.	Required	30

Secondary Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/secondary-education-med/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/secondary-education-med/#requirementstext</a> )	M.Ed.	None	36-39
Sociology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	37
Software Engineering ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/software-ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/computer/software-ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Optional	30-36
Spanish ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/modern-languages/spanish-33nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/modern-languages/spanish-33nonthesis-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	33-36
Special Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/special-education-autism-med/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/curriculum-instruction/special-education-autism-med/#requirementstext</a> )	M.Ed.	None	36
Student Affairs in Higher Education ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/student-affairs-higher-education-med/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/counseling-leadership-adult-school-psychology/student-affairs-higher-education-med/#requirementstext</a> )	M.Ed.	None	45
Sustainability Studies ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	36-38

<a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ma/#requirementstext">mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ma/#requirementstext</a>			
Sustainability Studies ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/sociology/sustainability-studies-ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Optional	36-38
Technical Communication ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/technical-communication-internship-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/liberal-arts/english/technical-communication-internship-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	30
Technology Management ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/technology/techmanagement-construction-nonthesis-ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/technology/techmanagement-construction-nonthesis-ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Optional	36
Theatre ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/theatre-dance/theatre-dramaturgy-ma/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/theatre-dance/theatre-dramaturgy-ma/#requirementstext</a> )	M.A.	Optional	30-39
Theatre ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/theatre-dance/theatre-design-mfa/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/fine-arts-communication/theatre-dance/theatre-design-mfa/#requirementstext</a> )	M.F.A.	None	60

Therapeutic Recreation ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/therapeutic-recreation-msrls/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/education/health-human-performance/therapeutic-recreation-msrls/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.R.L.S.	Optional	30-36
Wildlife Ecology ( <a href="http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/wildlife-ecology-ms/#requirementstext">http://mycatalog.txstate.edu/graduate/science-engineering/biology/wildlife-ecology-ms/#requirementstext</a> )	M.S.	Required	30-31

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