

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL & FINE ARTS

Dr. Dean Minix, Dean

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The College of Liberal and Fine Arts has two missions: first, to provide the courses in the humanities, social sciences, and arts that comprise part of the core curriculum required of all University students; and second, to provide major fields of study in the above areas and in criminal justice and social work.

Degree programs available in the College of Liberal and Fine Arts provide the base required for professional and related fields. They also include specialized programs that are professionally oriented and lead to careers in such fields as teaching, criminal justice, social work, and the performing arts. The College of Liberal and Fine Arts is organized into five departments:

- I. Communications Studies
- II. English and Languages, including Foreign Languages.
- III. Fine Arts, including Music, Art and, Theatre.
- IV. Social Sciences, including History, Political Science, Geography, and Philosophy.
- V. Social Work, Sociology, and Criminal Justice.

The College also offers bachelor of science and master of science degrees in Liberal Studies.

Department of Communication Studies

Dr. Charles Howard, Head

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**Associate Professors: Howard
Assistant Professors: Milford, Pauff
Instructors: Holley, Horton, Malone**

The Department of Communication Studies offers a bachelor of arts degree in Communications, a bachelor of science degree in Communications (with or without certification). The department also offers a minor communications. Recommendations concerning a student's minor and course requirements are made to the department head by academic advisors.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN COMMUNICATIONS

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BA in Communications</u>	
ENGL 309, 310, 312, 330, 412, or 420	9
LANG 101, 102, 201, 202	14
HIST 101, 102, PHIL 201	9
COMS 102, 213, 304, 406, 412	15
Electives (at least 9 hours advanced)	13
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
For Speech Communication support area	
COMS 201, 303, 308, 404	12
COMS electives	6
For Journalism/Public Relations support area	
COMS 131, 207, 215, 308, 310, 312	18

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN COMMUNICATIONS

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BS in Communications</u>	
ENGL 309, PHIL 201	6
COMS 102, 213, 304, 406, 412	15
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
For Speech Communication support area	
From ENGL 310, 312, 330, 412, 420	6
COMS 201, 303, 308, 404, 9 hours COMS electives	21

Electives (at least 9 hours advanced)	30
For Journalism/Public Relations support area	
COMS 131, 207, 215, 308, 310, 312, 3 hours COMS elective	21
From ENGL 310, 312, 330, 412 or 420	6
Electives (at least 9 hours advanced)	30
For Level 8-12 Certification	
Additional teaching field (optional) or minor/electives	24
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 220 or 303, RDG 351	6
COMS 201, 303, 310 ¹	9

Additional Information for the BS in Communications with Certification:

1. No substitutions are allowed for any COMS course listed on certification plan.
 - a. No Tarleton COMS course may substitute for another Tarleton COMS course.
 - b. A transfer course must be a direct translation for a COMS course listed on the certification plan.
2. For admission to the teacher certification program, each certification candidate must pass a public speaking competency exercise upon completion of COMS 101, 102, or 301, but no later than the first semester of the junior year.
 - a. The presentation will be a 7-10 minute persuasive speech evaluated by three Communications faculty members.
 - b. Student must pass the presentation with a combined score of 80 or better.
 - i. If a student fails to complete the presentation with a score of 80 or better, he/she may request to repeat the presentation within the same semester.
 - ii. After one semester, any student wishing to repeat the public speaking requirement must make an alternative presentation.
 - c. The presentation will be judged for a variety of communication skills including organization, appropriate style of delivery for subject matter, ability to communicate concepts to an audience clearly, articulation, and diction.
3. Before being allowed to take the TExES, each candidate must pass the departmental "mock" TExES examination in partial fulfillment of requirements for COMS 485.
 - a. Each student will take a mock exam based on the format for the TExES.
 - b. Students are required to pass each section of the mock exam with a grade of 80 percent or better before taking TExES.
 - c. A student who fails a section of the mock exam may retake just the failed section within the same semester.
 - d. A student who does not successfully pass all parts of the mock exam within the semester of the initial exam must retake the entire mock examination.
4. Students seeking certification must meet with the COMS certification representative at least once a semester.
5. The departmental certification representative will review specific COMS requirements with each student. Candidates for certification will then be required to sign an acknowledgment form.

Department of English and Languages

Dr. Jeanelle Barrett, Head

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Professors: Pilkington, Young
**Associate Professors: Barrett, Chappell, Dodson, Robitaille,
Shipman, Tanter**
**Assistant Professors: Brister, Fehler, Konvicka, Lilly, Mollick,
Newsome, Otwell, Quazi, Tober, Urbán**
**Instructors: Beaty, Dooley, Gonzales, Hommel, Jones, Juhasz,
Lincoln, Smith, Sword**

The Department of English and Languages offers programs leading to bachelor of arts degrees in English and Spanish (either with or without secondary certification). A technical writing emphasis is available in conjunction with the English BA. In addition, the department offers course sequences leading to an academic minor in English, technical writing, Spanish and French. On the graduate level, the department offers the master of arts degree in English. The graduate section of this catalog contains further information about the graduate program.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN ENGLISH

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BA in English</u>	
Foreign language 101, 102, 201, 202	14
Sophomore English	3
HIST 101, ¹ 102	6
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
BA in English without certification	
Electives	15
Advanced electives	21
ENGL 415	3
Advanced ENGL	21
BA in English, Language Arts 8-12 Certification	
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490, PSY 303 or 220, RDG 351	24
Electives	9
ENGL 250, 301, 302, 320, 400, 401, 402, 411, 460, 3 hours from 341, 342, 415	30
BA in English with Technical Writing Emphasis	
Electives	15
Advanced electives	18
ENGL 309, 310, 312, 320, 412, 420, 6 hours from ENGL 330, 370, or 411	

3 hours from ENGL 342, 343, or 435 27

¹ This course may be counted toward the core curriculum requirement.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN SPANISH

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BA in Spanish</u>	
HIST 101, ¹ 102	6
SPAN 101, 102, 201, 202, 303, 306, 400, 406, 407	29
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
BA in Spanish without certification	
Sophomore ENGL	3
Electives, 21 hours advanced	33
From SPAN 401, 402, 485	3
Advanced SPAN or advanced electives as advised	6
BA in Spanish, Level 8-12 Certification	
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 220 or 303, RDG 351	6
Electives	7
From SPAN 401, 402, 485, 486	9
ENGL 250	3
BA in Spanish, Level 8-12 Certification with additional field	
Additional teaching field	12
Additional teaching field advanced hours	12
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 220 or 303, RDG 351	6
ENGL 250	3
From SPAN 401, 402, 485	3

¹ This course may be counted toward the core curriculum requirement.

Department of Fine Arts

Dr. Teresa Davidian, Head

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Professors: Rives

Associate Professors: Davidian, Holtorf, Seelig, Stavish

Assistant Professors: Ball, Davis, Groseth, Pollard, Spotz

Instructors: Bahner, Boucher, Chambers

The Department of Fine Arts offers programs in art, music, and theatre. The department offers a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Art (with or without secondary certification), a Bachelor of Music with teacher certification, a Bachelor of Arts in Music, and a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Theatre.

The department also offers minors in three areas: art, music, and theatre. Recommendations concerning a student's minor and course requirements are made to the department head by academic advisors.

THE BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS DEGREE IN ART

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276. F A 101 is required. HIST 101, 102 required for BFA in Art.	

Courses Required for BFA in Art

ART 111, 121, 211, 221, 231, 232, 241, 321, 331, 341, 342, 351, 371, 441, 490	45
Advanced ART electives	15

Additional Courses Required for Emphasis Areas

For BFA in Art (without Certification)

F A 401	3
Sophomore literature	3
Electives, 6 hours advanced	12

For BFA in Art with Certification

PSY 303, RDG 351	6
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
Sophomore literature	3

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN MUSIC

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	

Required Courses for BA in Music

MUSC 101, 102, 201, 202, 301, 302, 401, or 402	4
MUSC 131, 132, 231, 232, 331, 332, 431, or 432	8

MUSC 147, 148, 247, 248, 433, 448	19
MUSC electives 100 – 499	10
MUSC 311, 326, 327, 328, 329	12
F A 401, English literature	6
Foreign language, 101, 102, 201, 202	11
Electives as advised	11

THE BACHELOR OF MUSIC DEGREE -ALL-LEVEL CERTIFICATION

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	

Required Courses for Bachelor of Music Degree

MUSC 101 or 102, 301, 302	3
MUSC 131, 132, 231, 232, 331, 332, 433	13
MUSC 147, 148, 247, 248	16
MUSC 349, 448	4
MUSC electives ¹	8
MUSC 311, 312, 315, 316, 326, 327, 328, 329	20
ENGL literature	3
PSY 303, RDG 351	6
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18

¹For vocal music emphasis area, electives are MUSC 115, 125, 235, 335, 444. For instrumental music emphasis area, electives are MUSC 226, 227, 228, 229, 442.

ADMISSION TO DEGREE PROGRAMS IN MUSIC

To be admitted to the music program, a student must fulfill the following conditions:

1. Pass a qualifying music theory test prior to the beginning of the student's first academic term in music. Students who do not pass must take MUSC 213 and subsequently pass an aural skills examination.
2. Pass a qualifying performance test on the student's major instrument or voice at the end of the semester in which he/she is enrolled in MUSC 131.
3. Transfer students in music must also pass these tests for admission to the music program as scheduled in consultation with the department head.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC

Recommended Courses for Optional Vocal Performance Track

8 hours of applied music (MUSC 331, 332, 431, 432)

Italian Diction (MUSC 115), German Diction (MUSC 125), and French Diction (MUSC 235)

Vocal Pedagogy (MUSC 444)

Additional Performances:

Freshmen	2 studio recitals and 1 student recital per semester
Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	2 studio recitals and 2 student recitals per semester
Junior Recital Semester	2 studio recitals, 1/2 recital (25 minutes)
Option for 1/2 recital	Participation in musical production during the junior year*
Seniors	Full recital (50 minutes) during the senior year

*Must involve feature role or considerable chorus part. Minimal time on stage is not acceptable.

Recommended Courses for Optional Instrumental Performance Track

8 hours of applied music (MUSC 331, 332, 431, 432)

Twentieth-Century Theory (MUSC 349)

String Class (226)

Additional Performances:

Freshmen	2 studio recitals and 1 student recital per semester
Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	1 studio recital and 2 student recitals per semester
Juniors	1/2 recital (25 minutes)
Seniors	Full recital (50 minutes) during the senior year

4 off-campus recitals (N.B.: cannot be derived from senior recital).

Recommended Courses for Optional Piano Performance Track

8 hours of applied music (MUSC 331, 332, 431, 432)

Twentieth-Century Theory (MUSC 349)

Additional Performances:

Freshmen	2 studio recitals and 1 student recital per semester
Sophomores, Juniors, Seniors	1 studio recital and 2 student recitals per semester
Juniors	1/2 recital (25 minutes)
Seniors	Full recital (50 minutes) during the senior year

Accompanying in at least 3 student recitals.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR BACHELOR OF MUSIC – ALL-LEVEL CERTIFICATION

1. Students in the Bachelor of Music with teacher certification program must be enrolled in an appropriate ensemble throughout the baccalaureate program for a minimum of seven semesters. The appropriate ensemble will be determined by the student's academic advisor and by the Director of Bands or Director of Choirs. Due to constraints imposed on the University by the State of Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board regarding the number of hours allowed in the degree (no more than 139 hours in any degree), only three hours of ensemble credit may be counted towards graduation.
2. Typically, four and one-half years are required for completion of the Bachelor of Music with teacher certification degree.

TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM

Formal application to the Teacher Education Program shall be made at the completion of the following:

1. 60 hours with a C average (2.6 GPA); developmental course hours do not count.
2. MUSC 147, 148, 247, 248, 8 hours of applied principal instrument with an average grade not lower than C (2.6); and acceptance into music program.
3. 12 hours English with a grade of C or better and MATH 107 or 108.

STUDENT TEACHING

In addition to education requirements, the following music requirements must be completed prior to application for student teaching.

1. Piano Proficiency Examination
2. Sight Singing Proficiency Examination
3. Proficiency Examinations on Principal Instrument or Voice
4. MUSC 311, 312, 315, and 316
5. Recital requirements.

All music students should become familiar with the current Music Major Handbook and abide by the policies and procedures therein. It is distributed at the beginning of each school year and is available in the department office.

APPLIED MUSIC

Applied Music for Majors (1-3)

131-132 Applied Music	231-232 Applied Music
331-332 Applied Music	431-432 Applied Music

Applied Music for Minors or Non-Majors (.5-1.5)

121-122 Applied Music	221-222 Applied Music
321-322 Applied Music	421-422 Applied Music

Sections:

10-19 Piano	100-109 Trombone
20-29 Voice	110-119 Baritone
30-39 Flute	120-129 Tuba
40-49 Oboe	130-139 Percussion
50-59 Clarinet	140-149 Organ
60-69 Saxophone	150-159 Guitar
70-79 Bassoon	160-169 Strings
80-89 French Horn	220-229 Voice
90-99 Trumpet	230-239 Voice

Applied Music: Class Lessons (3-0)*

151, 152. Beginning Class Piano I, II
 161, 162. Intermediate Class Piano I, II

* **Five hours of practice required weekly. Class piano is taught in an electronic piano lab that features individual instruments.**

Ensembles

Ensemble membership is open to all University students who enroll in the ensemble courses numbered for their academic standing.

101, 102, 201, 202, 301, 302, 401, 402 (0-3)

SECTIONS

10 Chamber Winds	80 Women's Ensemble
20 Jazz Ensemble I (Co-requisite Section 10)	90 Collaborative Piano
30 University Singers	100 Percussion Ensemble
40 Chamber Choir (Co-requisite Section 30)	
50 Woodwind Ensemble	120 Concert Band
60 Brass Ensemble	130 Jazz Ensemble II
70 Musical Theatre	

THE BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS DEGREE IN THEATRE

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276. F A 101 is required.	
<u>Required Courses for BFA in Theatre</u>	
THEA 106, 107, 108, 109, 201, 203, 204, 207, 208, 300, 301, 302, 400, 404, 407, 484	45
Advanced THEA electives	9
Advanced electives	6
ENGL 220 or 309	3
Foreign language	8
Electives	7
F A 401	3

Department of Social Sciences

Vacant

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Professors: Guthrie, Price, Schmelzer, D. Zelman, P. Zelman
Associate Professors: Clifford, Cross, Cruz, Jones, Margolis
Assistant Professors: R. G. Atkinson

The Department of Social Sciences offers programs of study leading to a bachelor of arts degree in History, with or without certification; a bachelor of arts degree in Political Science, and a bachelor of science degree in Political Science. Additionally, the department offers minors in History, Philosophy, and Political Science. On the graduate level, the Master of Arts degree is offered in History and Political Science.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN HISTORY

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BA in History</u>	
HIST 440, 12 hours advanced HIST	24
LANG 101, 102, 201, 202	14
ECO 101, or 201, or SOC 101, 201, or 303, or GEO 110, 120, or 201	3
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
<u>BA in History (without certification)</u>	
ENGL 210, 220, 240, or 250	3
Advanced HIST	18
Advanced POLS	6
PHIL 101, 201, 301, 485, R S 101, 102, 205, or 304	3
Advanced hours from COMS, POLS, R S, SOC, SWK, C J, ENGL, MUSC, THEA, or ART	9
<u>BA in History – Secondary Certification</u>	
HIST 101, 102	6
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 303, RDG 351	6
Elective (advanced foreign language recommended)	3
Electives ¹	6
Sophomore ENGL	3
<u>BA in History - Secondary Certification (two teaching fields)</u>	
HIST 101, 102, advanced HIST	9
EDU 330, 335, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 303, RDG 351, Sophomore ENGL	9
Additional teaching field (12 hours advanced)	24

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BA in History – Social Studies Composite Certification	
HIST 101, 102, advanced HIST	9
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18
PSY 303, RDG 351	6
ECO 201, 202	6
Advanced POLS	6
Sophomore ENGL	3
GEOG 110; 3 hours from GEOG 120, 201, 202	6

¹ Consult with your academic advisor before selecting electives. Students who cannot prove computer literacy should take CIS 103.

THE BACHELOR OF ARTS DEGREE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	

Courses Required for BA in Political Science

HIST 101, 102,	6
Advanced POLS	18
LANG 101, 102, 201, 202	14

Additional Courses Required for Support Areas

BA in Political Science (without certification)	
Electives ¹	21
Second major ¹	24

¹ At least 18 hours of the electives and/or second major must be advanced. Students who cannot prove computer literacy should take CIS 103.

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN POLITICAL SCIENCE

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	

Courses Required for BS in Political Science without Certification

HIST 101, 102	6
LANG 101, 102, 201, 202	14
POLS 490, Advanced POLS	21
PHIL 101, SOC 330	6
Electives (at least 21 hours advanced)	48

Courses Required for BS in Political Science with Social Studies Composite Certification

HIST 101, ¹ 102	6
SOC 330, ECO elective	6
Sophomore ENGL	3
ECO 201, ¹ 202	6
Elective	3
GEOG 110; 3 hours from GEOG 120, 201, 202	6
POLS 490, Advanced POLS	21
EDU 320, 330, 430, 435, 490	18

HIST 440, Advanced HIST elective
PSY 303, RDG 351

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¹May be counted toward core curriculum requirements for social and behavioral sciences.

Department of Social Work, Sociology, and Criminal Justice

Kelli Styron, Head

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**Associate Professors: Eichenberg, Harrington, Hendrickson,
Rappaport, Styron**

**Assistant Professors: Armstrong, Berry, Key, Lanning, LaTouche,
Pratt, Strickler, White**

Instructors: Carrothers, Piechocki

The Department of Social Work, Sociology, and Criminal Justice offers programs of study leading to a Bachelor of Social Work degree, a bachelor of science degree in Sociology, and a bachelor of science and masters degrees in Criminal Justice. Additionally, the Sociology Program participates in the Master of Science in Humanities Degree.

SOCIAL WORK

The principal educational objective of the program leading to a Bachelor of Social Work degree is preparation of students for generalist social work practice. This program is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education and qualifies graduates for the licensing examination for Social Work under Texas law. No academic credit is awarded for life experiences in this degree program.

Requirements for admission, retention, and successful completion of the program are described in the Social Work Program Student Handbook and include a 2.5 overall GPA.

THE BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK DEGREE

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BSW</u>	
SWK 207, 208, 300, 303, 306, 314, 316, 320 329, 339, 412, 422, 423, ¹	45
BIOL 219 and 220 ¹	8
SOC 201, ¹ PSY 101, 310	9
Advanced SWK electives	9
Electives from SOC, SWK, C J	9
Electives	9

¹ May be taken as part of the core curriculum.

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN SOCIOLOGY

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BS in Sociology</u>	
Minor (6 hours advanced)	18
CIS 300, or 345 or ENGL 412 or 420	3
Electives, 3 hours advanced	9
SOC 101, 201, 330, 402, 403, 499	18
Advanced SOC electives	18
Electives from S W, SOC, or C J, 3 hours advanced	6
PHIL 101 or 201 ¹	3
ECO 101 or 201 ¹	3
HIST 101 ¹	3

¹ May be taken as part of the core curriculum.

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN CRIMINAL JUSTICE

	Semester Hours
<u>University Core Curriculum</u>	42
See pp. 71-72 for additional information about the Tarleton State University core curriculum requirements. Course descriptions begin on page 276.	
<u>Courses Required for BS in Criminal Justice</u>	
Minor (6 hours advanced)	18
SPAN 101 or 103	3-4
ENGL 309	3
SOC 303, SOC 330 or PSY 330	6
C J 131, 232, 235, 237	12
C J 305, 310, 315, 416, 498	15
Advanced C J electives	6
Electives, 3 hours advanced	6
<u>Additional Courses Required for Support Areas</u>	
For Corrections Support Area	
C J 238, 330, 424	9
For Law Enforcement Support Area	
C J 234, 340, 412	9