University Core, CLASS Requirements, and Overall Requirements

**University Core Requirements**

**Communication**: 6 hrs
- ENGL 1310/1313, TECM 1700
- ENGL 1320/1323, TECM 2700

**Math**: 3 hours
- Course from approved list

**Life and Physical Sciences**: 6 hrs
- Course from approved list
- Course from approved list

**Creative Arts**: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

**Language, Philosophy, & Culture**: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

**US History**: 6 hrs
- HIST 2610
- HIST 2620

**American Government**: 6 hrs
- PSCI 2305
- PSCI 2306

**Social and Behavior Sciences**: 3 hrs
- Course from approved list

**Component Area Option**: 6 hrs
- List A
- List A or B

*See 2021 Catalog at catalog.unt.edu for University Core requirements approved list.

*Some classes may double-dip with your major. See advisor for options.

**CLASS Requirements (BA Only)**

The following requirements are in addition to or a specification of the University Core Curriculum requirements for Bachelor of Arts degrees and some Bachelor of Science degrees:

**Foreign Language**: 6-12 hours
- Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Latin, Russian, Spanish, or American Sign Language
- Placement exam or prerequisites for the 2050 course must be completed prior to enrollment in this course.
- Beginning I
- Beginning I
- 2040 Intermediate I
- 2050 Intermediate II

**CLASS Distribution Requirements**: 6 hours
- Diversity & Global Issues Course
- Communication & Digital Skills Course

**Overall Requirements**

- **120 total semester hours**
  - Minimum of 30 hours must be completed at UNT
- **42 advanced hours**
  - 24 advanced hours must be completed at UNT, including 12 advanced hours in your major
- **Overall GPA of 2.0**

**Academic Advising**

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Concentration in Environmental Studies

**General Requirements**
- C or better in each GEOG course

**Required Math:** 3 hours
- MATH 1680*: Elementary Statistics

**Required Courses:** 15 hours
- GEOG 1710*: Earth Science
- GEOG 2110: Foundations of Geographic Research
- GEOG 2170: Culture, Environment, and Society
- GEOG 2180: Geosystems, Environment, and Society
- GEOG 4800: Geography Capstone

**Additional Science:** 3 hours
- Course from Approved List

**Environmental Science Elective:** 3 hours
- Course from Approved List

**Techniques:** 6 hours
- Courses from Approved List below

**Earth Science:** 9 hours
(Choose one course in three of the four areas)
- Courses from Approved List below

**Human Geography:** 9 hours
(Choose one from Subfields and two more courses)
- Course from Approved List below

**Techniques Courses**
- GEOG 3500** Introduction to GIS
- GEOG 4170 Field Methods and Mapping
- GEOG 4185 Statistical Research Methods
- GEOG 4525 Using LiDAR in GIS
- GEOG 4530 Digital Image Analysis
- GEOG 4550 Advanced GIS
- GEOG 4570 Special Topics in GIS

**Human Geography**
- Subfields
  - GEOG 3010** Economic Geog.
  - GEOG 3120 Medical Geography
  - GEOG 3600 Political Geography
  - GEOG 4210 Urban Geography
- Regional
  - GEOG 3100 United States and Canada
  - GEOG 3750 Sub-Saharan Africa
  - GEOG 3770** Latin America
- Global Issues
  - GEOG 3200 Sustainability
  - GEOG 4115 Our Energy Futures
  - GEOG 4245 Intl Development
  - GEOG 4420 Capitalism, Nature,

**Earth Science**
- Geomorphology
  - GEOG 4350 Geomorphology
- Geology
  - GEOG 3010 Environmental Geology
- Geological History
  - GEOG 3020 Historical Geology
- Geology
  - GEOG 3030 Earthquakes and Volcanoes
- Climatology
  - GEOG 3600 Weather and Climate

**Hydrology**
- GEOG 4750 Surface Water Hydrology
- GeoG 4850 Groundwater Hydrology

**Biogeography**
- GEOG 3420 Applied Biogeography
- GEOG 4710 Ecosystems

* Can double-dip in the University Core
** Can double-dip in the CLASS Distribution Req.