

**EC – 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Teaching, Physical Education  
Associate of Arts in Teaching**

Texas Southmost College  
Division of Humanities

An Associate of Arts in Teaching degree prepares students for further studies in Education leading to a baccalaureate degree, which is required to become certified to teach in Texas public schools.

<b>FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER</b>	<b>CREDIT HOURS</b>
ENGL 1301 <sup>+</sup> Composition I .....	3
MATH 1314 <sup>+</sup> , MATH 1332 <sup>+</sup> , or MATH 1342 <sup>+</sup> .....	3
HIST 1301 United States History I .....	3
XXXX X3XX <sup>2</sup> Component Area Option .....	3
PHED 1301 <sup>+</sup> Foundations of Kinesiology .....	3
 <b>FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER</b>	
ENGL 1302 Composition II .....	3
HIST 1302 United States History II .....	3
XXXX X3XX Creative Arts (MUSI 1306 or ARTS 1301) .....	3
PHED 1306 <sup>+</sup> First Aid .....	3
PSYC 2301 <sup>+</sup> General Psychology .....	3
 <b>SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER</b>	
ENGL 2341 Forms of Literature .....	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government .....	3
BIOL 2301 Anatomy and Physiology I .....	3
EDUC 1301 <sup>+,1</sup> Introduction to the Teaching Profession .....	3
PHED 1331 <sup>+,1</sup> Physical Education for Elementary Ed. Majors .....	3
 <b>SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER</b>	
GOVT 2306 Texas Government .....	3
SPCH 1315 Public Speaking .....	3
BIOL 2302 Anatomy and Physiology II .....	3
EDUC 2301 <sup>+,1</sup> Intro to Special Populations .....	3
PHED 1338 <sup>+</sup> Concepts of Physical Fitness .....	3
 <b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60</b>	

<sup>+</sup> Grade of “C” or better is required for graduation.

<sup>1</sup> Courses must be taken in the order offered.

<sup>2</sup> Component Area Option: Any course in the Component Area Option (CAO) Category found in the General Education Core Curriculum.

Cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.75 is required for admission to Texas Teacher Education Programs Grade of “B” or better in SPCH 1315 is required for admission to some Teacher Education Programs

TSI Requirement (Texas Success Initiative - any other state-approved test) - Student must pass all three sections of state- approved test to graduate with this degree.