Architecture
Associate of Science

Texas Southmost College
Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics Division

Students who graduate from the Architecture Program with an Associate of Science in Architecture can transfer to any of the major architectural schools in Texas and/or neighboring states to continue their education toward a Bachelor's of Science (B.S.ARCH) and Master's in Architecture (M.A.ARCH). Meanwhile, if a student chooses to work after graduation, he or she can work in an architectural firm where he or she may assist in design, build models, or prepare construction drawings.

However, given the fact that architecture is a highly competitive profession and licensing requirements include a professional degree in architecture, students are strongly recommended to pursue a professional degree as soon as they complete their Associate's degree. The architecture program provides assistance for students throughout the transfer process.

FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER
	CREDIT HOURS
ARCH 1301[+] Architectural History I	3
ARCH 1307[+] Architectural Graphics I	3
ARCH 1311[+] Introduction to Architecture	3
MATH 1314[+] College Algebra	3
ENGL 1301[+] Composition I	3

FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER
ARCH 1302[+] Architectural History II	3
ARCH 1308[+] Architectural Graphics II	3
ARCH 1315[+] Architectural Computer Graphics	3
PHYS 1301/1101 College Physics I / Lab I	4
ENGL 1302[+] Composition II	3

FIRST YEAR - SUMMER SEMESTER
SOCI 1301 Introduction to Sociology	3

SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER
ARCH 1403[+] Architectural Design I	4
ARCH 2312[+] Architectural Technology I	3
HIST 1301 United States History I	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3

SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER
ARCH 1404[+1] Architectural Design II	4
SPCH 1315 Public Speaking or SPCH 1318 Interpersonal Communication	3
HIST 1302 United States History II	3
GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60

[+] Grade of "C" or better is required for graduation.
[1] Upon completion of the required courses for the AS Arch degree and during the final semester of course work, students will be required to submit a comprehensive portfolio, which will be part of the Arch 1404 passing requirements.

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.