

**4th – 8th Grade Teaching
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.

FIRST YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	CREDIT HOURS
ENGL 1301 ⁺ Composition I	3
MATH 1314 ⁺ College Algebra.....	3
HIST 1301 United States History I OR HIST 2327 ² Mexican American History I	3
EDUC 1300 ⁺ Learning Frameworks.....	3
XXXX X3XX ¹ Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3

FIRST YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
ENGL 1302 Composition II	3
HIST 1302 United States History II OR HIST 2327 ² Mexican American History II.....	3
XXXX X3XX ¹ Life and Physical Sciences Elective.....	3
PSYC 2301 ⁺ General Psychology	3
MATH 1350 ^{+,1} Mathematics for Teachers I	3

SECOND YEAR - FALL SEMESTER	
XXXX X3XX ¹ Language, Philosophy & Culture Elective	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3
XXXX X3XX ² Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3
MATH 1351 ^{+,1} Fundamentals of Mathematics II.....	3
EDUC 1301 ^{+,1} Introduction to the Teaching Profession.....	3

SECOND YEAR - SPRING SEMESTER	
GOVT 2306 Texas Government.....	3
SPCH 1315 Public Speaking.....	3
ARTS 1301 Art Appreciation.....	3
XXXX X3XX ¹ Life and Physical Sciences Elective	3
EDUC 2301 ^{+,1} Intro to Special Populations	3

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS FOR GRADUATION - 60

⁺ Grade of “C” or better is required for graduation.

¹Students may take any course within this category of the TSC General Education Core Curriculum.

²Courses must be taken in sequence: United History I and United History II or Mexican American History I and Mexican American History II.
Grade of “B” or better in SPCH 1315 is required for admission to some Teacher Education Programs.