

Core Curriculum Course Listing 2026-2027

Communication (10) Core — 2 courses (6 credit hours)

Required 3 hours:

ENGL 1301 - Composition I

and select 1 course from the following:

ENGL 1302 - Composition II

ENGL 2311 - Technical Writing

SPCH 1311- Introduction to Speech Communication

SPCH 1315 – Public Speaking

SPCH 1318 – Interpersonal Communication

SPCH 1321 – Business and Professional Communication

Mathematics (20) Core — 1 course (3 credit hours)

MATH 1314 - College Algebra

MATH 1324 - Mathematics for Business and Social Sciences I

MATH 1332 - Contemporary Math I (Math for Liberal Arts Majors I)

MATH 1342 - Elementary Statistical Methods

MATH 1414 - College Algebra (Precal Track)

MATH 1442 - Elementary Statistical Methods

MATH 2412 - Precalculus

MATH 2413 - Calculus I

Life & Physical Sciences (30) Core—2 courses (6 credit hours)

For the 2026-2027 academic year, additions to the Life and Physical Sciences (30) Core are pending approval by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB). Upon approval, these courses will be incorporated into the core curriculum.

ANTH 2301 - Physical Anthropology

ASTR 1303 - Stars and Galaxies Lecture

ASTR 1304 - Solar System Lecture

BIOL 1308 - Biology for Non-Science Majors I (Lecture)

BIOL 1309 - Biology for Non-Science Majors II (Lecture)

BIOL 1322 - Nutrition

BIOL 1323 - Consumer Nutrition Non-Science Majors

BIOL 1406 - Biology for Science Majors I

BIOL 1407 - Biology for Science Majors II

BIOL 1408 - Biology for Non-science Majors I

BIOL 1409 - Biology for Non-Science Majors II

BIOL 1411 - General Botany

BIOL 1413 - General Zoology

BIOL 2306 - Environmental Biology (Lecture)

BIOL 2401 - Human Anatomy and Physiology I

BIOL 2402 - Human Anatomy and Physiology II

BIOL 2404 - Human Anatomy and Physiology

BIOL 2406 - Environmental Biology (Lecture & Lab)

BIOL 2420 - Microbiology for Allied Health Majors

CHEM 1305 - Introductory Chemistry Lecture I

CHEM 1307 - Introductory Chemistry Lecture II

CHEM 1311 - General Chemistry Lecture I

CHEM 1312 - General Chemistry Lecture II

CHEM 1405 - Introductory Chemistry I

CHEM 1406 - Introductory Chemistry I

CHEM 1407 - Introductory Chemistry II

CHEM 1411 - General Chemistry I

CHEM 1412 - General Chemistry II

ENVR 1301 - Environmental Science (lecture)

GEOG 1301 - Physical Geography

GEOL 1301 - Earth Sciences Lecture I

GEOL 1303 - Physical Geology Lecture

GEOL 1304 - Historical Geology Lecture

GEOL 1305 - Environmental Geology Lecture

GEOL 1345 - Oceanography

GEOL 1347 - Meteorology

GEOL 1401 - Earth Sciences I

GEOL 1403 - Physical Geology

GEOL 1404 - Historical Geology

PHYS 1301 - General Physics I Lecture

PHYS 1305 - Introductory Physics I Lecture

PHYS 1401 - General Physics I

PHYS 2425 - University Physics I

PHYS 2426 - University Physics II

Language, Philosophy, & Culture (40) Core - 1 course (3 credit hours)

ARAB 2311 - Intermediate Arabic I

ARAB 2312 - Intermediate Arabic II

CHIN 2311 - Intermediate Chinese I

CHIN 2312 - Intermediate Chinese II

ENGL 2322 - British Lit I: Anglo Saxon through Neoclassical

ENGL 2323 - British Lit II: Romanticism to the Present

ENGL 2327 - American Lit I: Precolonial through the Romantic Period

ENGL 2328 - American Lit II: Realism to the Present

HUMA 1301 - Introduction to the Humanities I

HUMA 1302 - Introduction to the Humanities II

HUMA 1305 - Introduction to Mexican-American Studies

HUMA 2319 - American Minority Studies

HUMA 2323 - World Cultures

ITAL 2311 - Intermediate Italian I

ITAL 2312 - Intermediate Italian II

JAPN 2311 - Intermediate Japanese I

ENGL 2332 - World Lit I: Antiquity through the Renaissance
ENGL 2333 - World Lit II: Neoclassical to the Present
ENGL 2341 - Forms of Literature
ENGL 2351 - Mexican American Literature
FREN 2311 - Intermediate French I
FREN 2312 - Intermediate French II
GERM 2311 - Intermediate German I
GERM 2312 - Intermediate German II
HIST 2321 - World Civilizations I
HIST 2322 - World Civilizations II

JAPN 2312 - Intermediate Japanese II
LATI 2311 - Intermediate Latin I
LATI 2312 – Intermediate Latin II
PHIL 1301 - Introduction to Philosophy
PHIL 1304 - Introduction to World Religions
PHIL 2303 - Introduction to Logic
PHIL 2306 - Introduction to Ethics
PHIL 2307 - Introduction to Social and Political Philosophy
SPAN 2311 - Intermediate Spanish I
SPAN 2312 - Intermediate Spanish II

Creative Arts (50) Core — 1 course (3 credit hours)

ARCH 1301 - History of Architecture I	DANC 1305 - World Dance
ARCH 1302 - History of Architecture II	DANC 2303 - Dance Appreciation
ARCH 1311 - Architecture, Society, and Culture	DRAM 1310 - Introduction to Theatre - Theatre Appreciation
ARTS 1301 - Art Appreciation	DRAM 2366 - Introduction to Cinema
ARTS 1303 - Art History I	HUMA 1311 - Mexican-American Fine Arts Appreciation
ARTS 1304 - Art History II	HUMA 1315 - Fine Arts Appreciation
COMM 2366 - Introduction to Cinema	MUSI 1306 - Music Appreciation
	MUSI 1310 - American Music

American History (60) Core — 2 courses (6 credit hours)

Select any combination from the following:

HIST 1301 United States History I and HIST 1302 United States History II
HIST 1301 United States History I and HIST 2328 Mexican-American History II
HIST 1301 United States History I and HIST 2382 African American History II
HIST 2327 Mexican-American History I and HIST 2328 Mexican-American History II
HIST 2327 Mexican-American History I and HIST 1302 United States History II
HIST 2327 Mexican-American History I and HIST 2382 African American History II
HIST 2381 African-American History I and HIST 2382 African American History II
HIST 2381 African-American History I and HIST 1302 United States History II
HIST 2381 African-American History I and HIST 2328 Mexican-American History II
HIST 2301 Texas History and any American History (60 Core) course listed above

Government/Political Science (70) Core — 2 courses (6 credit hours)

GOVT 2305 - Federal Government
GOVT 2306 - Texas Government

Social and Behavioral Sciences (80) Core — 1 course (3 credit hours)

ANTH 2302 – Archaeology	KINE 1301 – Foundations of Kinesiology
ANTH 2351 - Cultural Anthropology	KINE 1304 – Personal/Community Health
COMM 1307 - Introduction to Mass Communications	KINE 1338 – Concepts of Physical Fitness
CRIJ 1301 – Introduction to Criminal Justice	KINE 1346 - Drug Use and Abuse
ECON 1301 - Introduction to Economics	PSYC 2301 – General Psychology
ECON 2301 - Principles of Macroeconomics	PSYC 2306 – Human Sexuality
ECON 2302 - Principles of Microeconomics	PSYC 2307 – Adolescent Psychology I
GEOG 1302 – Cultural Geography	PSYC 2308 – Child Psychology
GEOG 1303 - World Regional Geography	PSYC 2315 – Psychology of Adjustment
GOVT 2304 – Introduction to Political Science	PSYC 2319 – Social Psychology
GOVT 2311 – Mexican-American Politics	SOCI 1301 – Introductory Sociology
	SOCI 1306 – Social Problems

Component Area Option (90) Core — 2 courses (6 credit hours)

Any 3 hours from:

Core Component Areas 10 through 80 [that satisfy your degree or transfer educational plans]. Check with your Certified Advisor for specific recommendations/guidance.

Communication (10) Core
Mathematics (20) Core

Life and Physical Sciences (30) Core
Language, Philosophy & Culture (40) Core
Creative Arts (50) Core
American History (60) Core
Government/Political Science (70) Core
Social and Behavioral Sciences (80) Core
FREN 1411 Elementary French I
FREN 1412 Elementary French II
SPAN 1411 Elementary Spanish I
SPAN 1412 Elementary Spanish II

Not all courses that satisfy core requirements are offered at all colleges in the Alamo Colleges District.