

FITNESS AND HUMAN PERFORMANCE, BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Teacher Certification, Physical Education EC-12

2018-2019 Degree Plan

University Core Requirements (42 Hours):	UHCL Course Title	TCCNS*	CODE
Communications (6 hours):	WRIT 1301—Composition I (<i>Grade must be "C-" or better</i>)	ENGL 1301	010
	WRIT 1302—Composition II (<i>Grade must be "C-" or better</i>)	ENGL 1302	010
Mathematics (3 hours):	MATH 1314—College Algebra	MATH 1314 or MATH 1332	020
Life and Physical Sciences (6 hours):	BIOL 1306-Biology for Science Majors I	BIOL 1406	030
	BIOL 1307-Biology for Science Majors II	BIOL 1407	030
Language, Philosophy, and Culture (3 hours):	Choose ONE course from the core approved list		040
Creative Arts (3 hours):	Choose ONE course from the core approved list		050
U.S. History (6 hours):	HIST 1301—U.S. History I	HIST 1301	060
	HIST 1302—U.S. History II	HIST 1302	060
Government/Political Science (6 hours):	POLS 2305—Federal Government	GOVT 2305	070
	POLS 2306—Texas Government	GOVT 2306	070
Social Behavioral Science (3 hours):	ECON 2301—Principles of Macroeconomics or ECON 2302—Principles of Microeconomics or PSYC 2301—Introduction to Psychology	ECON 2301 or ECON 2302	080
Public Speaking (3 hours):	COMM 1315—Public Speaking	SPCH 1315	090
Additional Coursework (3 hours):	PSYC 1100—Learning Frameworks	PSYC 1100	

Two 1 hour Natural Science Labs—required co-requisites for the chosen science courses

HSH Core Requirements (3 hours):	UHCL Course Title	TCCNS*	CODE
Choose ONE course from the following list:	WRIT 3304—Writing for Education or WRIT 3306-Writing for the Social Sciences or WRIT 3307—Advanced Writing (<i>Grade must be at least B- or better</i>) 48 hours of upper level credit must be C or better		

HSH Humanities Requirements (3 hours):	UHCL Course Title	TCCNS*	CODE
Choose ONE course from the following list:	ANTH 3362-Medicine, Bodies and Culture		
	GEOG 4301-Urban Geography		
	SOCI 4358-Family and Society		

COE Core Requirements (19 hours):	UHCL Course Title	TCCNS*	CODE
	TCED 1301—Exploring Teaching as a Profession	EDUC 1301	
	SPED 2301—Introduction to Special Populations	EDUC 2301	
	INST 3313—Survey of Instructional Technologies		
	EDUC 4310—Theories of Educational Psychology		
	SILC 4315—Theories of American Pluralism		
	TCED 4102--Secondary (4-8 & 7-12) Content Seminar		
	SPED 4300—Survey of Exceptionalities		

Teacher Education Program (TEP) Admission Requirements:

Completion of 60 semester credit hours.	Completion of prerequisite coursework (EDUC 4310, INST 3313, SILC 4315 & TCED 4102).
Public Speaking requirement met.	Basic skills in Reading, Mathematics & Writing requirements met.
Application for admission to TEP.	2.750 GPA Overall or in the last 60 semester credit hours
	Completed 12 semester credit hours in the subject-specific content area for target teacher certification.
	\$57 TEA Admission Fee

Major Requirements (30 hours):**UHCL Course Titles**

HLTH 2110—Team Games and Sports	HLTH 4305-Seminar in Sports Medicine
HLTH 2113-Individual Games and Sports	HLTH 4307-Peak Performance
HLTH 2115-Innovative Games and Sports	HLTH 4308-Resistive Exercise: Theory and Practice
HLTH 3301-Health, Emergency Care and First Aid	LLLS 4351—Reading in Content Subjects
HLTH 3317—Motor Development and Learning	HLTH 4302—Biomechanics
HLTH 4301—Physiology of Exercise	HLTH 4370—Undergraduate Practicum

*GPA of 2.500 or higher required in HLTH and LLLS coursework.

Pedagogy Requirements (18 hours):

HLTH 4311-Methods in Physical Education I	HLTH 4312-Methods in Physical Education II
TCED 4378—Pre-Service Internship I	TCED 4978—Pre-Service Internship II/Student Teaching

Enrollment in the courses listed above requires admission to TEP. 3.000 GPA required in Pedagogy coursework. TCED 4378 must be taken in the long semester immediately preceding the final semester. TCED 4978 must be taken in the final semester.

Second Teaching Field (15 hours)

Students pursuing teacher certification in physical education must also choose a second teaching field.

Life Science 7-12	Social Studies 7-12	Special Education EC-12
BIOL 3141-Molecular Genetics Laboratory	GEOG 4314-Geographic Concepts and Skills	SPED 4311-Assessment in Special Education
BIOL 3341-Molecular Genetics	HIST 2301-Texas History	SPED 4312-Diagnostics Instruction for Students with Disabilities
CHEM 1111-Laboratory for General Chemistry I	TCED 4361-Methods in Secondary Social Studies	SPED 4313-Individualizing Instruction for Students with Disabilities
CHEM 1112-Laboratory for General Chemistry II	Choose One Course from the Following List:	SPED 4321-Implementing Positive Behavior Supports
CHEM 1311-General Chemistry I	GEOG 4300-Geography of the United States and Canada	SPED 4332-Early Childhood Special Education
CHEM 1312-General Chemistry II	GEOG 4303-Geography of Texas	
TCED 4362-Methods in Secondary Social Studies	GEOG 4312-Human Geography	
	GEOG 4317-International Political Geography	
	Choose One Course from the Following List::	
	HIST 3325-Colonial America	
	HIST 3330-Civil War and Reconstruction	
	HIST 3337-U.S. Since 1945	
	HIST 4313-Studies in U.S. History	

Students pursuing the BS in Fitness and Human Performance with Physical Education EC-12 teacher certification must also complete requirements for a second teaching field. Completing of a second teaching field will assist students in preparing for the state assessment (TEXES) in a second content area and will increase the students' job prospects.

Teacher Certification Requirements

- Passing scores on the appropriate state assessments (Texas Examinations of Educator Standards (TEXES) are required for recommendation for teacher certification.
 - Physical Education EC-12 TEXES #158
 - Pedagogy and Professional Responsibilities EC-12 TEXES #160
- All courses outside the University Core must be C- or better.

General Degree Requirements

- Students must complete at least 130 semester credit hours. A minimum of 45 hours of the 120 semester hours must be advanced (3000-4000 level) course work according to the requirements of the respective major.
- Students must complete the University Core Curriculum requirements (refer to Core Curriculum Requirements in the UHCL Catalog).
- Students must fulfill the statutory requirements of the Texas State Education Code, including the following:
 - Six hours of U.S. History (three hours may be Texas History).
 - Six hours of Constitutions of the United States and Texas.
- Students must demonstrate writing proficiency by completing nine hours of lower-level (1000-2000 level) and upper-level (3000-4000 level) English composition course credit with a minimum grade of "C-" or better. Some majors may require higher grades in English composition.
- Students must complete at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree (i.e., 30 semester credit hours for a 120 credit hour program) through instruction offered by UHCL to fulfill the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS) residency requirements.
- Students must complete the final 30 semester hours of 3000 and 4000 level course work in residence at UHCL.
- Students must complete a minimum of 12 semester credit hours of upper-level (3000-4000 level) coursework in the major in residence at UHCL.
- Students must have a cumulative GPA of 2.000 on course work completed at UHCL with grades of "C" or better on at least 30 hours of resident upper-level work. Grades of "C-" or below cannot be applied toward the 30 hours of resident upper-level work.