

Abilene Approval Chart for Curriculum Changes

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Course Number _____ or Degree Plan(s) AHPC

State the requested change and reason. A memo may be attached if more space is necessary.

See Attached memo and attached proposal catalog changes.

Indicate the requested change.

	Change to a Course	Dept./School ¹	College	Dean	TEC	UGEC	AUAC/Grad	Provost	President
1.	Title (description unchanged)	A	A	A	I	–	I	I	I
2.	Description (not affecting content)	A	A	A	I	–	I	I	I
3.	Course term(s)	A	I	A	I	–	I	I	I
4.	Content (change of course outcomes)	A	A	A	I	–	I	A	I
5.	Number of hours (lecture, lab, contact)	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
6.	Course number within the hundred	A	A	I	I	–	I	I	I
7.	Course number beyond the hundred	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
8.	Prerequisites	A	A	A	I	–	I	I	I
9.	Course fee(s)	A	–	A	–	–	–	A	I
10.	From U to G <i>or</i> G to U	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
11.	Cross-list course	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
12.	Department of record	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
13.	Close a course	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I
14.	New course (includes combining or splitting courses)	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	I

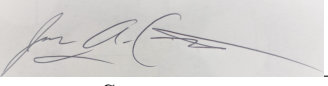
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	Change to the University Requirements (All Campuses)	Dept./School¹	College	Dean	TEC	UGEC	AUAC/Grad	Provost	Faculty	President	Trustees
1.	University Requirements — Change course outcomes of an included course ²	A	A	A	–	A	–	A	–	A	–
2.	University Requirements — Add or drop a required course from the University Requirements ²	A	A	A	–	A	–	A	A	A	–
3.	University Requirements — Add or drop a course from a menu within the University Requirements ²	A	–	–	–	A	–	A	–	A	–
4.	University Requirements — Change hours within a menu in the University Requirements ²	A	A	A	–	A	–	A	A	A	–
	Change to Catalog Information (for Campus)										
1.	General Requirements for Bachelor's Degrees and Associate's Degrees	–	–	–	–	–	A	A	A	A	–
2.	Policies governing academic probation and suspension	–	–	–	–	–	A	A	A	A	–
3.	Requirements for graduating with honors	–	–	–	–	–	A	A	A	A	–
	Change to a Degree Plan Proposed by Faculty or College										
5.	Educational Program — Revise ³	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
6.	Educational Program — Adopt/change admission requirements	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
7.	Educational Program — Add ³	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	A	A	I
8.	Educational Program — Discontinue	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	A	A	I
9.	GPA — Revise program-required GPAs	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
10.	Minor — Revise	A	A	A	I	–	I	I	–	I	–
11.	Minor — Add	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
12.	Minor — Discontinue	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
13.	Degree — Add	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	A	A	I
14.	Degree — Discontinue	A	A	A	A	–	A	A	A	A	I
	Change to a Degree Plan Proposed By Provost										
15.	Educational Program — Discontinue	R	–	R	A	–	A	A	A	A	I
16.	Minor — Discontinue	R	–	R	A	–	A	A	–	A	–
17.	Degree — Discontinue	R	–	R	A	–	A	A	A	A	I

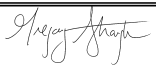
¹ When an academic unit does not have a council, the UGEC and/or UUAC will serve as its academic council, depending on the nature of the issue.

² Courses that satisfy ACU's University Requirements will normally have lower-level numbering, be free of prerequisites and co-requisites, appeal to more than one or two majors, and "not narrowly focus on those skills, techniques, and procedures specific to a particular occupation or profession" (SACS 2.7.3). Departments may request exceptions to the first three criteria.

³ For undergraduate majors, a minimum of 30 hours is required. These programs must have a minimum of 6 elective hours, unless the requirements of external accrediting bodies make it impossible.

	Department/School Chair(s)	09/13/22
_____ <i>Signature</i>	_____	_____ <i>Approval date</i>
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College Academic Council(s)		
	_____	Jan 26, 2023
_____ <i>Signature</i>	_____	_____ <i>Approval date</i>
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	Dean(s)	Jan 26, 2023
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Teacher Education Council		
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University General Education Council		
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Abilene Undergraduate Academic Council		
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Graduate Council		
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Provost		
_____ <i>Signature</i>	_____	_____ <i>Approval date</i>

Faculty		
_____ <i>Chair of Faculty Senate</i>	_____	_____ <i>Approval date</i>

President		
_____ <i>Signature</i>	_____	_____ <i>Approval date</i>

Animal Health Professions Cooperative, BS (AHPC)

The Department of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences offers the BS degree in cooperation with some schools of veterinary medicine. In this program a bachelor's degree (BS in Animal Science) is awarded to certain qualified students who have satisfactorily completed three years of prescribed work at ACU (a minimum of ~~107~~ 111 hours) plus one year at a recognized school of veterinary medicine.

University Requirements

Please see the [University Requirements](#) section of this catalog. AHPC degree plans only require 12 hours of Bible and ~~53~~ 51 hours of university core.

Major Requirements

Agribusiness

- [AGRB 261 - Principles of Agricultural and Applied Economics](#) Credit Hours: 3*
- ~~*Hours may also fulfill university requirements are not included in total major hours.~~

Animal Science

- ~~[AENV 110 - Introduction to Agricultural and Environmental Systems and Technology](#)~~ Credit Hours: 3
- ~~AENV 101 - Foundations of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences~~ Credit Hours: 1
- ~~AENV 201 - Current Issues in Agricultural and Environmental Sciences~~ Credit Hours: 1
- [ANSC 111 - General Animal Science](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ANSC 336 - Animal Nutrition](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [ANSC 497 - Special Problems in Animal Science](#) Credit Hours: 3 (capstone and writing-intensive course)

Experiential Learning

Students are required to complete an experiential learning component.

Choose one option from the list below:

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- [AENV 381 – International Applications in Agricultural & Environmental Sciences](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [ENGL 384 – Internship in Agricultural & Environmental Sciences](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [AENV 399 – Research in Agricultural & Environmental Sciences](#) Credit Hours: 3*

*AENV 399 is offered for variable credit, 1-3 hours. A total of 3 hours must be taken to meet the experiential learning requirement. The course may be repeated for up to 3 hours.

Biology

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- [BIOL 121 - Introductory Biology I](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
 - [BIOL 122 - Introductory Biology I Laboratory](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [BIOL 123 - Introductory Biology II](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [BIOL 124 - Introductory Biology II Laboratory](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [BIOL 351 - Genetics](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [BIOL 355 - Microbiology](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [BIOL 357 - Microbiology Laboratory](#) Credit Hours: 1
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 - *Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

Chemistry

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- [CHEM 133 - General Chemistry I](#) Credit Hours: 3 *
 - [CHEM 131 - General Chemistry Laboratory I](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [CHEM 132 - General Chemistry Laboratory II](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [CHEM 134 - General Chemistry II](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [CHEM 221 - Organic Chemistry Laboratory I](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [CHEM 223 - Organic Chemistry I](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [CHEM 322 - Organic Chemistry Laboratory II](#) Credit Hours: 1
 - [CHEM 324 - Organic Chemistry II](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - [CHEM 453 - Biochemistry I: Foundations of Biochemistry](#) Credit Hours: 3
 - ~~[CHEM 454 - Biochemistry II: Gene Expression](#) Credit Hours: 3~~
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 - *Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours

English

- [ENGL 326 - Business and Professional Writing](#) Credit Hours: 3

Mathematics

- [MATH 377 - Statistical Methods I](#) Credit Hours: 3*

• ~~*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours.~~

Physics

- [PHYS 110 - General Physics I](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [PHYS 111 - General Physics I Laboratory](#) Credit Hours: 1
- [PHYS 112 - General Physics II](#) Credit Hours: 3
- [PHYS 113 - General Physics II Laboratory](#) Credit Hours: 1

Social Science

- ~~[PSYC 120 - Introduction to Psychology](#) Credit Hours: 3 *~~

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• ~~*Hours may also fulfill university requirements and are not included in total major hours~~

Total: 59 Credit Hours

Professional School Requirement

ACU awards the bachelor's degree to certain qualified students who have satisfactorily completed three years of prescribed work at ACU (a minimum of 104 hours) plus one year at a recognized professional school. Students in the cooperative degree program are advised by an advisor in the Department of Agriculture and Environmental Studies.

Total Major Hours: ~~54~~ 59

Other Graduation Requirements

Minimum GPA in major: 2.00

Minimum GPA for graduation: 2.00

Minimum advanced hours from ACU: 23

Minimum total hours from ACU: ~~107~~ 111

Minimum total hours: 128

*Courses numbered 0** do not count in minimum hours required for degree.*