

How to Change Your Major at UT

**This handout lists basic transfer requirements for different colleges.
Be sure to check the included websites for specifics.**

ARCHITECTURE 471-0109

GOL 2.116

- Minimum 3.25 GPA and 24 hours; highly competitive
- Mandatory transfer information session
- Application required; fall admission only; deadline March 1
- Application available in Jan. from Office of Associate Dean for Undergraduate Programs (GOL 2.116)
- Need 24 hours in-residence credit by the end of May; consult advisor for other prerequisites
- All students encouraged to contact advisor from Office of Associate Dean in School of Architecture
- <http://soa.utexas.edu/admissions/transferfaq>

BUSINESS 471-0690 — Advising Hotline

CBA 2.400

- Minimum 3.0 GPA and 24 hours in residence and no more than 90 hours at UT; highly competitive
- Foreign language proficiency (2 years in high school or 1 year in college)
- Application required; fall admission only; Applications available online in spring semester
- Two of the 4 Prerequisites (>60 hours requires all 4 prerequisites): Calculus I required (408K, 408C, or 403K), Calculus II (408L, 408D, or 403L), Micro Economics (304K), Macro Economics (304L)
- Must complete computer proficiency test or have credit for MIS 310
- All students must attend transfer session before meeting with advisor in McCombs School of Business
- www.mcombs.utexas.edu/udean/admissions/internal.asp

COMMUNICATION 471-1553

CMA 4.140

- Minimum 2.25 UT GPA and 2.00 Communication GPA; competitive
- Application required; Fall and Spring Application
- Extracurricular activities, leadership, internships, work and volunteer experience, letters of recommendation, and samples of creative work taken into consideration
- Consult advisor for specific prerequisites depending on major
- Highly recommended that all students attend transfer information session
- <http://communication.utexas.edu/prospective/ut-transfers>

EDUCATION 471-3223

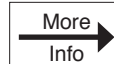
SZB 216

- Good academic standing required: >45 hours requires cumulative 2.0 GPA; <45 hours no GPA requirement
- For Kinesiology majors only: >35 hours requires cumulative 3.0 GPA; <35 hours no GPA requirement
- Application required for Sport Management and Athletic Training majors
- Consult academic advisor for prerequisites for specific majors and to complete form to change majors
- All students must contact advisor or attend a transfer information session in College of Education
- <http://www.edb.utexas.edu/education/students/prospective/admissions/>

ENGINEERING 471-4321

ECJ 2.200

- GPA requirements differ by department; minimum 2.5 UT GPA, UT Engineering basic sequence GPA taken into account; minimum 24 hours in residence; highly competitive
- Application required; deadline March 1 for summer and fall; October 1 for spring
- Consult advisor for prerequisites. A student may be required to have completed a minimum level of mathematics
- All students strongly encouraged to attend transfer sessions in Engineering College (required to see academic advisor)
- www.engr.utexas.edu/current/policies/pol_change-major.cfm



FINE ARTS 471-5011**DFA 2.4**

- GPA requirements differ; competitive
- Application required; additional audition, resume and/or pre-requisites vary depending on department
- Only School of Music & Department of Art & Art History accept applicants for spring semester
- All students must contact advisor within specific department in College of Fine Arts
- Art and Art History: www.finearts.utexas.edu/aah/students/transfer_admissions.cfm
- Butler School of Music: www.music.utexas.edu/students/undergradaddm.aspx
- Theatre and Dance: www.finearts.utexas.edu/tad/admissions/undergraduate_admissions/internal_transfer_admissions.cfm

GEOSCIENCES 471-4486**JGB 2.210**

- Minimum overall 2.5 GPA; must have completed 24 hours at UT Austin
- Must have passed the following courses with a "C" or higher: Geology (GEO 303) or Physical Geology (GEO 401), Chemistry (CH 301), Geometry (M 305G) or Calculus (M 408K or M 408C)
- Application deadline is May 1st and admission is only for the fall semester
- To set up an appointment with an advisor, email geo_advising@geo.utexas.edu
- www.geo.utexas.edu/undergrad

LIBERAL ARTS 471-4271**GEB 2.306**

- Minimum 2.0 GPA with >45 hours; no GPA requirement with <45 hours
- Application required for entrance into Psychology, Plan II, Humanities, Honors; applicants strongly encouraged to attend transfer session; deadline November 1 and May 1
- No application necessary for majors other than those listed above
- Official Declaration of Major & Minor form required
- Students academically dismissed from another college are not eligible
- Students on scholastic probation should meet with Liberal Arts academic advisor
- www.utexas.edu/cola/content/asklibby/faq/index.php

NATURAL SCIENCES 471-4536**WCH 2.224**

- Minimum 2.0 GPA with >45 hours; no GPA requirement with <45 hours
- Application required for entrance into Computer Science; no application necessary for other majors
- Students encouraged to attend transfer session before applying
- All students encouraged to contact advisor in College of Natural Sciences
- http://cns.utexas.edu/current_students/degrees/choosing_a_major.asp

NURSING 232-4780**NUR 2.104A**

- Minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA required to enter Pre-Nursing
- Science GPA over 2.5 with 10 hours preferred to change major
- Application required; fuller application process required for upper-division work
- All students strongly encouraged to contact advisor in School of Nursing
- www.utexas.edu/nursing/html/prospective/admissions_general.html#transfer

PHARMACY 471-4425**PHR 5.112**

- No specific GPA requirement; for pre-pharmacy, consult Health Professions Office (PAI 5.03, 471-3172)
- Application required
- Must have 2 years of lower division study in Pre-Pharmacy, 2 years of foreign language, letters of recommendation, PCAT taken no more than 3 years ago; contact college for more prerequisites
- All students strongly encouraged to contact advisor in College of Pharmacy
- www.utexas.edu/pharmacy/admissions

SOCIAL WORK 471-5457**SSW 2.214**

- Minimum 2.0 GPA with >45 hours; minimum 2.5 GPA for full major in Social Work
- No application necessary; transfer form is required; degree audit will be reviewed by advisor
- All students encouraged to contact advisor in School of Social Work
- www.utexas.edu/ssw/apss/bsw/admissions.html

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