

## Bachelor of Science in Physics (BS) 2022–24 Checklist

CORE CURRICULUM Core courses must be chosen from approved lists.	Minimum Hours Required	OPTION 6: PHYSICS HONORS	Minimum Hours Required
bit.ly/1d6oP6l		PHY 301 & 101L, 316 & 116L, and 315 & 115L	12
First Year Signature Course	3	Upper-division mathematics:	6
English Composition	3	- M 340L	0
Humanities	3	M 361	
American & Texas Government	6	Upper-division physics:	28
American History	6	PHY 355 Modern Physics & Thermodynamics	
Social & Behavioral Science	3	PHY 353L Modern Physics Laboratory PHY 336K Classical Dynamics	
Mathematics (Fulfilled by course in major)	0	PHY 352K Classical Electrodynamics I PHY 373 Quantum Physics I: Foundations	
Science & Technology-I (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0	PHY 369 Thermodynamics & Statistical Mechanics PHY 362K Quantum Physics II: Atoms & Molecules PHY 362L Quantum Physics III: Particles & Nuclei	
Science & Technology-II (Fulfilled by courses in major)	0		
Visual & Performing Arts	3		
SKILLS & EXPERIENCE FLAGS Flags attached to courses are displayed in the online Course Schedule.		PHY 474 Advanced Laboratory I  ELECTIVES	
Two Writing Flags:		Enough elective hours to reach 120 total	VARY
Core Writing Flag (cannot also fulfill another core curriculum requirement)		(The number of elective hours needed may vary depending on course selections.)	
2. Additional Writing Flag Note: One of the two writing flags must be upper-division.			
One Quantitative Reasoning Flag		ADDITIONAL GRADUATION	
One Global Cultures Flag		REQUIREMENTS  Minimum 21 upper-division hours in residence, including 12 in Physics Minimum 60 hours in residence overall Minimum 36 upper-division hours  120 hours total overall Minimum grade of C- & minimum 2.0 GPA in all Mathematics & Natural Sciences courses Minimum UT-Austin Grade Point Average of 3.5	
One Cultural Diversity in the U.S. Flag			
One Ethics and Leadership Flag			
One Independent Inquiry Flag			
DEAN'S SCHOLARS CORE		<ul><li>☐ Must apply to graduate during final semester</li><li>☐ 2022–24 Catalog expires August 2030</li></ul>	
Breadth requirement (credit earned by examination may not count):	20		
M 427J and 427L (1 course must be designated honors section) Chemistry 301C, and 302C BIO 315H and 325H			
Non-science coursework:	6		
UGS 302 or 303 approved by departmental honors adviser RHE 309S restricted to students in the Dean's Scholars Honors Program		-	
Approved by Honors Faculty Adviser:	16		
6 hours in the College of Liberal Arts and the College of Fine Arts 10 additional hours		-	
Honors thesis:	6		
3-hour upper-division research course approved by honors faculty adviser PHY 379H		-	