

Suggested Arrangement of Courses, Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences (BSSLH)

Requirements		Hours
1st Semester		
SLH 308K	Perspectives on Deafness (Major)	3
Natural Science and Technology, Part I (Core) ⁰³⁰		3
RHE 306	Rhetoric and Writing (Core) ⁰¹⁰	3
COM 301E	Introduction to Communication Foundations (General Education)	3
UGS 302	First-Year Signature Course (Core) ⁰⁹⁰	3
or UGS 303	First-Year Signature Course	
2nd Semester		
SLH 306K	Introduction to Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences (Major)	3
Statistics course (Core, Major) ⁰²⁰		3
Natural Science and Technology, Part I (Core) ⁰³⁰		3
Foreign Language (General Education)		6
3rd Semester		
SLH 313L & SLH 113P	Hearing Science and Hearing Science: Laboratory (Major)	4
COM 302E	Interdisciplinary Communication Foundations (General Education)	3
GOV 310L	American and Texas Government (Core) ⁰⁷⁰	3
Foreign Language (General Education)		6
4th Semester		
SLH 311K	Phonetic Description of Speech (Major)	3
SLH 312 & SLH 118L	Developmental Language Science and Development Language Science: Laboratory (Major)	4
GOV 312L	Issues and Policies in American Government (Core) ⁰⁷⁰	3
Language/Culture course (General Education)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
5th Semester		
SLH 315S	Speech Science (Major)	3
Upper-division Elective course (Elective)		3
U.S. History (Core) ⁰⁶⁰		3
Natural Science and Technology, Part II (Core) ⁰⁹³		3
E 316L	British Literature (Core) ⁰⁴⁰	3
or E 316M	American Literature	
or E 316N	World Literature	
or E 316P	Masterworks of Literature	
6th Semester		
SLH 341	Principles of Audiology (Major)	3
Upper-division elective (Elective)		3
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U.S. History (Core) ⁰⁶⁰		3
Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core) ⁰⁸⁰		3
7th Semester		
SLH 350	Language and the Brain (Major)	3
SLH 358	Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech and Hearing Mechanism (Major)	3
Visual and Performing Arts (Core) ⁰⁵⁰		3
Upper-division elective (Elective)		3
SLH 158L	Anatomy and Physiology of Speech and Hearing: Laboratory (Major)	1
8th Semester		
SLH 367K	Introduction to Speech and Language Disorders Assessment and Treatment in Children (Major)	3
SLH 371	Introduction to Speech and Language Disorders Assessment and Treatment in Adults (Major)	3
SLH 373	Principles of Aural Rehabilitation (Major)	3
Upper-division Elective courses (Elective)		6
Total Hours		120

Four-year degree suggestion (for planning purposes only).

Currently enrolled students should meet with their academic advisor.

Course categories: Core, General Education[†], Major, Elective, Opportunity

Core Component Areas: ⁰¹⁰ Communication; ⁰²⁰ Mathematics; ⁰³⁰ Natural Science and Technology, Part I; ⁰⁴⁰ Humanities; ⁰⁵⁰ Visual and Performing Arts; ⁰⁶⁰ U.S. History; ⁰⁷⁰ American and Texas Government; ⁰⁸⁰ Social and Behavioral Sciences; ⁰⁹⁰ First-Year Signature Course; ⁰⁹³ Natural Science and Technology, Part II

Undergraduate Degree Program listing

[†] Effective April 2025, UT Austin no longer requires Skills and Experience flags.