

Suggested Arrangement of Courses, German (BA)

Requirements		Hours
1st Semester		
GER 506	First-Year German I (General Education)	5
UGS 302	First-Year Signature Course (Core) ⁰⁹⁰	3
or UGS 303	First-Year Signature Course	
RHE 306	Rhetoric and Writing (Core) ⁰¹⁰	3
Visual and Performing Arts (Core) ⁰⁵⁰		3
2nd Semester		
GER 507	First-Year German II (General Education)	5
Mathematics (Core) ⁰²⁰		3
Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core) ⁰⁸⁰		3
U.S. History (Core) ⁰⁶⁰		3
Minor/Certificate course (Major)		3
3rd Semester		
GER 612	Accelerated Second-Year German: Readings in Modern German (General Education)	6
E 316L	British Literature (Core) ⁰⁴⁰	3
or E 316M	American Literature	
or E 316N	World Literature	
or E 316P	Masterworks of Literature	
Natural Science and Technology, Part I (Core) ⁰³⁰		3
U.S. History (Core) ⁰⁶⁰		3
4th Semester		
GER 322D	Conversation and Composition: Individuals and Society (Major)	3
Natural Science and Technology, Part I (Core) ⁰³⁰		3
GOV 310L	American and Texas Government (Core) ⁰⁷⁰	3
Social Science course (General Education)		3
Minor/Certificate course (Major)		3
5th Semester		
GOV 312L	Issues and Policies in American Government (Core) ⁰⁷⁰	3
GER 322E	Conversation and Composition: Contemporary Controversies (Major)	3
Natural Science and Technology, Part II (Core) ⁰⁹³		3
Cultural Expression, Human Experience, and Thought (General Education)		3
Minor/Certificate course (Major)		3
6th Semester		
GER 342K	Middle Ages-Early Modern Era Cultural History (Major)	3
or GER 343K	Enlightenment to 1900 Cultural History	
or GER 344K	Twentieth Century Cultural History	

or GER 347L	Language and Society in the German-speaking Countries	
GER 342K	Middle Ages-Early Modern Era Cultural History (Major)	3
or GER 343K	Enlightenment to 1900 Cultural History	
or GER 344K	Twentieth Century Cultural History	
or GER 348D	German Play: Student Production	
Minor/Certificate course (Major)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
7th Semester		
GER 342K	Middle Ages-Early Modern Era Cultural History (Major)	3
or GER 343K	Enlightenment to 1900 Cultural History	
or GER 344K	Twentieth Century Cultural History	
or GER 347L	Language and Society in the German-speaking Countries	
or GER 348D	German Play: Student Production	
GER 363K	Topics in German Culture (Major)	3
or GER 369	Topics in Germanic Languages	
or GER 373	Topics in Germanic Literature	
Minor/Certificate course (Major)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
8th Semester		
GER 342K	Middle Ages-Early Modern Era Cultural History (Major)	3
or GER 343K	Enlightenment to 1900 Cultural History	
or GER 344K	Twentieth Century Cultural History	
or GER 347L	Language and Society in the German-speaking Countries	
or GER 348D	German Play: Student Production	
GER 363K	Topics in German Culture (Major)	3
or GER 369	Topics in Germanic Languages	
or GER 373	Topics in Germanic Literature	
Free elective (Elective)		3
Free elective (Elective)		3
Free elective (Elective)		2
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.