The flowchart below may not reflect all student schedules; courses can be shifted to different semesters where applicable. Many core curriculum courses are also offered in the summer (Su). Students are encouraged to register early and check Goldmine for course availability.

Refer to the University Catalog for all degree requirements at catalog.utep.edu.

Bachelor of Arts in Security Studies (Online Degree)

Required Semester Credit Hours (SCH): 120

F/Sp indicates the semesters Fall/Spring.

Arrow indicates a prerequisite.

Color-coded boxes group the course subject.

Sample Degree Plan

*C or better required.

See University Catalog

Component Area Option

Creative Arts

Term A

Rhetoric and Composition I

Life and Physical Science + Lab

Math for Social Sciences I

See University Catalog

Component Area Option

First Semester

Rhetoric and Composition I

History of U.S. to 1865

Math for Social Sciences I

See University Catalog

Creative Arts

Second Semester

History of U.S. since 1865

Science + Lab

Spanish Required

Block Elective

First Semester

History of U.S. to 1865

Science + Lab

Spanish Required

Block Elective

Second Semester

Modern Strategy

Introduction to Politics

INSS 4302 Seminar Homeland Security

INSS 4347 Critical Infrastructure Protection

Block Elective

Open Elective