Online Bachelor of Arts in Chicano Studies

Program Highlights

120 credit hours
In-state tuition: $420/credit hour*
Out-of-state tuition: $540/credit hour*
* Tuition is based on 2021-2022 rates and is subject to change.

- Available in an easily accessible 100% online format
- Ideal for professionals seeking to work in positions (both in the private and public sector) that require knowledge of the Mexican origin population
- Curriculum explores the historical, socioeconomic and cultural presence of the largest ethnic minority group in the U.S. and teaches literacy and digital communication skills
- Degree is a good complement to another specialization such as criminal justice, public administration, social work and the health professions

Connect to Meaningful Employment Opportunities

In addition to proceeding to graduate or professional school, many graduates find employment in the following areas/organizations:

- Federal, state and local government in a wide-range of occupations
- Law enforcement at various levels
- Non-profit social service agencies
- Education
- Health professions
- Cultural Heritage and Preservation organizations
- Binational entities in the public and private sectors

Ready to connect or have questions?
Call 1-800-684-UTEP to speak with an enrollment counselor today or visit us at utepconnect.utep.edu
Admissions Requirements
To qualify for admission into this program, you must submit the following:

- **Completed admission application**
- **Official high school transcript(s)**
  - Your transcript(s) must be mailed to UTEP directly from the school(s) attended.
  - Please make sure that your school includes your diploma type, rank and GPA.
- **Official test scores**
  SAT (Scholastic Assessment Test), ACT (American College Test), GED (Test of General Educational Development) and/or TAKS (Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills) scores must be mailed to UTEP’s Office of Admissions and Recruitment directly from the testing agency or must appear in your official high school transcript.
- **Transfer and/or military applicants:**
  - Official college transcripts mailed to UTEP directly from all applicable institutions
  - Official military transcripts to receive credit for coursework completed while on active duty
- **International applicants:**
  - Official transcripts, provisional certificates
  - Official TOEFL scores (if required)

Note: All transcripts in languages other than English must be accompanied by a certified English translation by the educational institution, an American Consulate, or a certified English translator.

Curriculum
As a student in the online B.A. in Chicano Studies program, you’re required to successfully complete a total of 121 semester credit hours of coursework, including 45 credits at the advanced (3300-4300 level).

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Credit Hours</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>General Education Courses</td>
<td>42</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Liberal Arts Block Electives</td>
<td>18</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Foreign Language</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Chicano Studies Major</td>
<td>30</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Additional Electives</td>
<td>24</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>Total Credits for Degree Completion</strong></td>
<td><strong>120</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

**Core Coursework**
- CHIC 3311 Chicano Studies: Societal Issues
- ENGL 3310 Chicana/o Literature
- CHIC 3302 Chicano Cinema
- CHIC 4301 Chicano Legal History
- CHIC 3344 Chicano Theater
  or
- CHIC 3345 The Roots of Latino/a Hip Hop: The Sounds of Struggle
- HIST 3309 Mexican American History
- POLS 4315 Latinos in the American Political System
- CHIC 3305 Chicana/o Identity Formation: Race/Class/Gender
- CHIC 4309 American Immigration and Social Justice
- CHIC 3339 Cultural Diversity and Youth: US

Note: curriculum is subject to change.