

# MAJOR MAP FOR BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ANTHROPOLOGY (ANTHBS) 2014-15 THROUGH 2023-24 CATALOG YEARS

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## ANTHBS Degree Snapshot

### University Perspectives (0-1 hr)

\_\_\_\_\_ **UNIV 1001**, University Perspectives (waived for transfer students with 24 or more transferred hours)

### State Core English Composition (0-6 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ENGL 1013**, Composition 1 or exemption  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ENGL 1023**, Composition 2 or exemption (see [catalog](#) for ACT/SAT test score exemption)

### State Core US History or Government (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **US HIST/PLSC** \_\_\_\_\_

### State Core Mathematics (0-3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **MATH 1203**, College Algebra (or placement in to higher major course)

### Math Courses for Major (6-8 hrs)

Choose 2:

\_\_\_\_\_ **MATH 1213** or **MATH 1284**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **MATH 2554**  
\_\_\_\_\_ **MATH 2564** or **STAT 2303**

### State Core Natural Sciences w/ labs (0 hrs)

Met with major requirements.

### State Core Social Sciences (9 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ANTH 1023**, Intro to Cultural Anthropology (required in major)  
\_\_\_\_\_ **Social Science** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### State Core Fine Arts (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Fine Art** \_\_\_\_\_

### State Core Humanities (3 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ANTH 1033**, Intro to Archeology (required in major)

### Anthropology Core (7 hrs in addition to courses that overlap with state core)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ANTH 1013/1011L**, Intro to Biological Anthropology  
\_\_\_\_\_ **ANTH 4013**, History of Anthropological Thought

### Anthropology Electives (18 hrs)

\_\_\_\_\_ **ANTH 3000+** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### Natural Science Electives (20 hrs, hours may vary for individual courses)

\_\_\_\_\_ **Science course** \_\_\_\_\_  
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### General Electives (39-51 hrs)

How you use these hours will depend on your educational and career goals. Early in your degree you might use this section to jot down ideas for how to plan. As you get closer to graduation, you might use this section to track which classes you've taken outside the above requirements.

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## Graduation Plan

Use the following additional resources, in addition to this major map, to complete your graduation plan ([Catalog](#), and your [Degree Audit](#) in UAconnect). Many students have more than one major, minor, or pre-professional goal that has additional required classes. This tool allows you to combine all your educational goals in to one plan.

High School credit	List all Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, Dual or Concurrent credit			
Year	Fall	Spring	Summer	Total
Year 1				Total 1 <sup>st</sup> year credit hours (aim for 30):
Year 2				Total 2 <sup>nd</sup> year credit hours (aim for 60):
Year 3				Total 3 <sup>rd</sup> year credit hours (aim for 90):
Year 4				Total 4 <sup>th</sup> year credit hours (Must be at least 120):

**Graduation Checklist (does your plan include the following):**

- Do you have at least a 2.0 GPA (this will be something you track each semester)
- All state minimum core requirements
- All Major(s)/Minor(s) requirements
- [Writing requirement](#) complete
- Have At least 50% of each major/minor taken from UofA
- 24 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from Fulbright College of Arts and Sciences classes
- 30 hours of 3000+ classes exclusively from the University of Arkansas. This can include courses taken for the 24-hour rule.
- 40 hours of upper-level classes. (3000+ or 2000+ with a pre-requisite. Can include transfer credit.) This can include courses taken for the 24-hour and 30-hour rules.
- 120 total eligible credit hours (see below for a list of ineligible classes)

**COURSES THAT DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS THE 120 HOURS REQUIRED FOR GRADUATION**

- ENGL 0002
- MATH 0001L, MATH 0002L, MATH 0003, and MATH 0131L
- Duplicated/Repeated courses (i.e.: if the same course is taken more than once, the hours will only count once for graduation)

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## Department Information:

Faculty who have exception/substitution authority: Jo Ann D'Alisera

Transfer Coursework Restriction: At least 50% of a student's Arts and Sciences (ARSC) major or minor must be taken at the University of Arkansas.

GPA (Grade Point Average): Every student must have at least a 2.00 cumulative grade point average to be eligible to graduate from the University of Arkansas.

Please visit <https://catalog.uark.edu/undergraduatecatalog> for an extensive list of core, major, graduation, and pre-requisite requirements. To read more about individual classes, visit the [courses of instruction](#) page for course descriptions.

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## Degree Requirement Breakdown by Category

The following information is designed to help you navigate your experience in your degree and answer common questions that may come up for each requirement.

Category	Degree Requirements	Curriculum Notes
<a href="#">UNIVERSITY PERSPECTIVES</a>  0-1 hr	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>UNIV 1001, University Perspectives</li> </ul>	Or equivalent from another University of Arkansas college. (AFLS 1023H, ARSC 1201, GNEG 1111, HIST 1003(H), HIST 1003(H), PLSC 1003, BUSI/WCOB 1111)  <b>Note:</b> students who transfer to the University of Arkansas with at least 24 credit hours will have this requirement waived.
<a href="#">STATE CORE COMPOSITION</a>  0-6 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ENGL 1013, Composition 1 or SAT/ACT exemption</li> <li>ENGL 1023, Composition 2 or SAT/ACT exemption</li> </ul>	See <a href="#">Catalog</a> for information about placement and/or exemption.
<a href="#">STATE CORE US HISTORY or GOVERNMENT</a>  3 hrs	<b>Choose 1: *</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877</li> <li>HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present</li> <li>PLSC 2003, American National Government</li> </ul>	*Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.
<a href="#">STATE CORE MATHEMATICS</a>  0-3 hrs*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MATH 1203, College Algebra (or <a href="#">placement</a> in to higher math for major)</li> </ul>	Based on ACT/SAT or other math placement scores, students may need to enroll in additional remediation related courses. See <a href="#">catalog</a> or <a href="#">math placement</a> website for additional information.
<a href="#">MATHEMATICS FOR MAJOR</a>  6-8 hrs	Take a minimum of 6 hours of math beyond college algebra, chosen from the following courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MATH 1213, Plane Trigonometry or MATH 1284c, Pre-Calculus</li> <li>MATH 2554c, Calculus I (pre-req MATH 1213 or 1284c or math placement)*</li> <li>MATH 2564c, Calculus II, or STAT 2303, Principles of Statistics</li> </ul>	Based on a student's <a href="#">math placement</a> they may be able to skip MATH 1203 and start in this requirement.  *MATH 2445, Calculus I with Review, can also count here.
<a href="#">STATE CORE NATURAL SCIENCES CORE</a>  0 hrs	Met with major requirements	
<a href="#">STATE CORE SOCIAL SCIENCES</a>  9 hrs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ANTH 1023, Intro to Cultural Anthropology (required in major)</li> </ul> <b>Choose 2: *</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AGEC 1103, Principles of Agriculture Microeconomics</li> <li>AGEC 2103, Principles of Agriculture Macroeconomics</li> <li>COMM 1023, Communication in a Diverse World</li> <li>ECON 2013, Principles of Macroeconomics</li> <li>ECON 2023, Principles of Microeconomics</li> <li>ECON 2143, Basic Economics: Theory and Practice</li> <li>EDST 2003, Introduction to Educational Studies</li> <li>GEOS 1123, Human Geography</li> <li>GEOS 2003, World Regional Geography</li> <li>HDFS 1403, Life Span Development</li> <li>HDFS 2413, Family Relations</li> <li>HDFS 2603, Rural Families &amp; Communities</li> <li>HIST 1113, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations I</li> <li>HIST 1123, Institutions and Ideas of World Civilizations II</li> <li>HIST 2003, History of the American People to 1877</li> </ul>	Students must take classes from at least two departments in the Social Sciences category.  *Some courses may appear as options in multiple areas of the State Core. You can only count each course 1 time in the State Core and will need unique courses in each of the content areas below.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HIST 2013, History of the American People 1877 to Present</li> <li>• HIST 2093, Animals in World History</li> <li>• HUMN 1114H, Honors Roots of Culture to 500 C.E. (Honors only)</li> <li>• HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture, 1600-1900 (honors only)</li> <li>• INST/PLSC 2813, Intro to International Relations &amp; Global Studies</li> <li>• PLSC 2003, American National Government</li> <li>• PLSC 2013, Intro to Comparative Politics</li> <li>• PLSC 2203, State and Local Government</li> <li>• PSYC 2003, General Psychology</li> <li>• RESM 2853, Leisure and Society</li> <li>• SOCI 2013, General Sociology</li> <li>• SOCI 2033, Social Problems</li> <li>• STEM 2003, The Art of STEM Communication</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>STATE CORE FINE ARTS</u></b></p> <p><b>3 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Choose 1:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ARCH 1003, Architecture Lecture</li> <li>• ARHS 1003, Art Lecture</li> <li>• COMM 1003, Film Lecture</li> <li>• DANC 1003, Movement and Dance</li> <li>• ENGL 2023, Creative Writing 1</li> <li>• HUMN 2114H, Honors Birth of Modern Culture 1600-1900 (honors only)</li> <li>• LARC 1003, The American Landscape</li> <li>• MLIT 1003, Experiencing Music</li> <li>• MLIT 1013, Music and Society (music majors only)</li> <li>• MLIT 1333, Popular Music</li> <li>• THTR 1003, Theatre Appreciation</li> <li>• THTR 1013, Musical Theatre Appreciation</li> <li>• THTR 1683, Acting I</li> <li>• THTR 1883, Acting 1 for Theatre majors</li> </ul>	Classes taken in this category may not overlap in any other core category
<p><b><u>STATE CORE HUMANITIES</u></b></p> <p><b>3 hrs</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ANTH 1033, Introduction to Archeology (required in major)</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>ANTHROPOLOGY CORE</u></b></p> <p><b>7 hrs</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ANTH 1013/1011L, Intro to Biological Anthropology</li> <li>• ANTH 4013, History of Anthropological Thought (Fall only. Pre-req: ANTH 1023)</li> </ul>	
<p><b><u>ANTHROPOLOGY ELECTIVES</u></b></p> <p><b>18 hrs</b></p>	<p><b>Take an additional 18 hours of ANTH 3000+ electives:</b></p>	ANTH 399T or 499T transfer courses can count here as long as students still meet the 50% rule. Not all 99T classes pull into the degree audit automatically, so students may need to request classes be moved into the minor by their academic advisor.
<p><b><u>NATURAL SCIENCE ELECTIVES</u></b></p> <p><b>20 hours</b></p>	<p><b>Take a minimum of 20 hours of natural sciences classes from BIOL, CHEM, GEOS, and/or PHYS (hours per class may vary):</b></p>	<p>BIOL, CHEM, GEOS, and PHYS 99T courses of any level can count in this category as long as students still meet the 50% rule. Not all 99T classes pull into the degree audit automatically, so students may need to request classes be moved into the minor by their academic advisor.</p> <p>Students will meet state minimum core natural science requirements through these classes as long as at least one class is from this <a href="#">list</a>.</p>

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		<p>The following courses are highly recommended for students interested in health fields (courses may have additional <a href="#">pre-requisites</a>):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ANTH 3423/3421L Human Osteology/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 1603/1601L Principles of Zoology/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 2013/2011L Principles of Microbiology/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 2213/2211L Human Physiology/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 2323/2321L General Genetics/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 2443/2441L Human Anatomy/lab</li> <li>• BIOL 3023 Evolutionary Biology</li> <li>• BIOL 3404 Comparative Vertebrate Morphology</li> <li>• BIOL 4234 Comparative Physiology</li> <li>• BIOL 4263 Cell Physiology</li> <li>• BIOL 4713/4711L Basic Immunology/lab</li> <li>• CHEM 3603/3601L Organic Chemistry I/lab</li> <li>• CHEM 3613/3611L Organic Chemistry II/lab</li> <li>• CHEM 3813 Intro to Biochemistry</li> </ul>
<p><a href="#">GENERAL ELECTIVES</a></p> <p><b>39-51 hrs</b></p>	<p>Hours will vary depending on math placement and whether a student is exempt from ENGL 1013 and 1023.</p>	<p>Some general electives may need to be upper level to meet college and university residency requirements. See <a href="#">Graduation Checklist</a> on page 2 for more information.</p>
<p><a href="#">WRITING REQUIREMENT</a></p>	<p>The college writing requirement may be satisfied in one of two ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• by completing an intensive writing requirement (15 pages) with a grade of "B" or higher in a successfully completed 4000-level ANTH course and with instructor approval using the <a href="#">writing requirement declaration form</a></li> <li>• Successful honors thesis defense</li> </ul>	
<p><a href="#">HONORS</a></p>	<p><b>Minimum Requirements for Honors:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain cumulative grade point average of 3.5 in all coursework.</li> <li>• Complete a minimum of 12 hours of honors courses from the UofA.</li> <li>• Complete and defend Honors Thesis</li> </ul> <p>See <a href="#">Catalog</a> for full description of requirements.</p>	<p><b>Honors Thesis Timeline:</b> Honors students should consistently check the <a href="#">honors thesis timeline</a> to stay on track to complete your honors thesis.</p> <p><b>College Honors:</b> Students who also are following the College Honors Core for Bachelor of <b>Science</b> programs need to also complete those additional requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">2023-24 catalog requirements</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">2022-23 and older catalog requirements</a></li> </ul>