### Bachelor of Arts in Religion

#### A Suggested Sequence of Required Courses for a Northwest Vista transfer student (2017-2018 Catalog)

**Notes about major requirements:**
- Concentration: Nine semester hours from one of the following concentrations. One course in the concentration must be taken at the 4000 level:
  1. Bible: One course from REL 4302, 4305, 4315. Two courses from REL 3301, 3303, 3304, 3311, 3312, 3314, 3315, 3302, 4305, 4315
  2. Theology & Ethics: One course from REL 3351 or 3390 (the course not taken in the required course section). One course from REL 4350, 4352, 4353, 4354, 4388, 4390, 4393, 4395, 4397.
  3. History: One course from REL 4333, 4335, 4336, 4338, 4340. Two courses from REL 3333, 3334, 3338, 3344, 3333, 4335, 4336, 4338, 4340
  4. Practical Studies: REL 4340; two courses from REL 2480, 3381, 3382
  5. World Religions: Three courses from REL 4342, 4343, 4346, 4347, 4348.
- REL Elective: Students may take any level excluding 1211, 1221, 1231, 1241, 1310 or 1350.
- REL 4000-level: Students must take three semester hours of an additional 4000-level religion elective.
- Recommended electives: courses in biblical languages, church-state studies, communication studies, economics, English literature, history, journalism, philosophy, political science, psychology, and sociology.
- English requirement: Students are allowed to take either ENG 1304 or FAS 1118, 1128, and 1138.
- A grade of "C" or better is required in religion courses used for the major.
- For more information, see the Baylor Undergraduate Catalog.

*Because of the number of electives, there is enough room for a minor with this major.

**Please see reverse side for important information on general requirements.**

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### Northwestern Vista Course

**ENGL 1301** Thinking and Writing  
**ENGL 1302** Thinking, Writing & Research  
**ENGL 2322** British Literature  
**ENGL 2327 or 2328** American Literature  
**ENGL 2332** World Literature

**FINE ARTS:** Three courses, each from a different area (i.e., ART, THEA, MUS, etc.):

**ARTS 1301** ART 1300 Introduction to Art  
**ARTS 1303** History of Art I  
**ARTS 1304** ART 2303 History of Art II  
**CLA 1300** Classical Mythology  
**CAS 1306** Medieval Academic Seminar Fine Arts  
**COLOR 1307 or 1335** JOU/FDM 1303 Introduction to Mass Communication  
**MUSI 1306** MUS 1220 Introduction to Music  
**MUS 1322** American Popular Music  
**MUS 3325** History of Jazz  
**SPCH 1311 or 1315** CSS 1301 Fundamentals of Public Communications  
**SPCH 1321** CSS 1302 Speech for Business & Professional Students  
**SPCH 2335** CSS 1304 Argumentation, Discussion, & Debate  
**DRAM 1310** THEA 1306 Theatre Appreciation  
**THEA 2374** History of Theatre I

**HISTORY:**

**HIST 2312 or 2322** HS 1305 World History to 1500  
**HIST 2312 or 2322** HS 1307 World History since 1500  
**HIST 2301** HS 2365 History of the U.S. to 1877  
**HIST 1302** HS 2366 History of the U.S. since 1877

**SOCIAL SCIENCES:** Three courses, each from a different area (i.e., ANT, SOC, PSY, etc.):

**ANT 1305** Introduction to Anthropology  
**ANT 1325** Introduction to Global Health  
**ANT 2302** The Emergence of World Civilizations  
**ANT 3301** Science, Society, and Culture  
**ECON 1301** ECO 1305 Survey of Econ Princ. For Non-bus. Majors  
**ECON 2306** Principles of Microeconomics  
**ECON 2307** Principles of Macroeconomics  
**FAS 1303** Freshman Academic Seminar: Medicine  
**FAS 1305** Freshman Academic Seminar: Social Science  
**GEOG 1303** GEOG 1300 World Geography  
**HON 1300** Advanced Readings and Research Honors  
**HON 2301** Colloquium Honors  
**HON 3201** Colloquium Honors  
**PHIL 2303** PHIL 1306 Logic  
**PHIL 1307** Critical Thinking  
**PHIL 2306** PHIL 1308 Introduction to Ethics  
**PHIL 1301** PHIL 1321 Introduction to Philosophy  
**PHIL 1311** Moral Philosophy  
**PHIL 3310** History of Philosophy: Classical  
**PHIL 3312** History of Philosophy: Modern Europe  
**PHIL 3322** Philosophy and the Arts (for Art majors)  
**GOVT 2302 or 2305** SPC 1305 American National Government  
**GOVT 2302 or 2305** SPC 1306 American State & Local Government  
**PSYC 2301** PSY 1305 Introductory Psychology  
**SOC 1301** SOC 1305 Introduction to Sociology

**POLITICAL SCIENCE:**

**GOVT 2305 AND 2306** PSC 2302 American Constitutional Development

**LAB SCIENCE:** One course from each area:

**AREA 1:**

**Biol 1408** BIOL 1401 Current Issues in Human Biology  
**Biol 1409** BIOL 1403 Exploring the Living World  
**Biol 1406** BIOL 1305-1105 Modern Concepts of BioScience  
**Biol 1407** BIOL 1306-1106 Modern Concepts of BioScience, Continued  
**Geo 1405** Earthquakes & other Natural Disasters  
**Geo 1402** World Oceans  
**Geo 1403** Environmental Geology  
**Geo 1405** The Dynamic Earth  
**Geo 1404** Earth Through Time  
**Geo 1408** Earth Science  
**Sci 1306-1106** Introduction to Neuroscience  
**Chem 1301** CHEM 1405 Introduction to Chemistry

**AREA 2:**

**Chem 1302** CHEM 1301-1305** Introduction to Chemistry  
**Chem 1312** CHEM 1302-1302 Basic Principles of Chemistry I  
**Chem 1341** CHEM 1341-1146 Introductory Organic Biochemistry  
**Chem 1405** CHEM 1405** Chemistry & Society  
**Phys 1404** PHYS 1404 Light, Vision and Optics  
**Phys 1405** PHYS 1405 General Physics for BA Students  
**Phys 1407** PHYS 1407 Sound and Acoustics  
**Phys 1408** GEN. Phys. for Nat. & Behavioral Sci I  
**Phys 1420** PHYS 1420 General Physics II  
**Phys 1423** PHYS 1423 Descriptive Astronomy  
**Phys 1455** PHYS 1455 Descriptive Astronomy  
**Chem 1406** CHEM 1406** Introduction to Chemistry

**AREA 3:**

**American 4-hour lab science course from above or others in the fields of biology, chemistry, geology or physics OR**

**Ant 1404** ANT 1404 Intro to Human Evolution  
**Env 1305-1101** Env 1305-1101 Exploring Environment at Issues and lab  
**Env 1303-1103** Env 1303-1103 Wildlife Ecology and lab  
**Fas 1307** FAS 1307 Freshman Academic Seminar: Science

**FOREIGN LANGUAGE:** To be fulfilled with one of the following options:

A. Complete ONE Modern or Classical language through the 2320 level OR
B. Complete TWO Classical languages through the 1302 or 1402 level

Two languages from Latin, Greek, and Hebrew may be used. (It is strongly recommended that the language requirement be started during the first year of residence work. Chemistry, Biochemistry, and Mathematics majors are required to take a modern foreign language.)

**Korean (KOR)**  
**Spanish (SPA)**  
**Greek (GRK)**  
**Portuguese (POR)**  
**Swahili (SWA)**  
**Hebrew (HEB)**  
**Russian (RUS)**