



CORE CURRICULUM

	Competencies: what TCU students will know or be able to do upon completing the Core Curriculum	Requirements in the Core Curriculum	Student Learning Outcomes: what students will know or be able to do in courses meeting particular requirements
Critical and Creative Thinking	Analyze human experiences, cultural expressions, or creativity	Fine Arts	Explore the creative and expressive processes of the human experience in the arts
		Humanities	Use humanistic modes of inquiry to analyze human experiences and expressions across space and time
		Social Sciences	Apply social science methodologies to analyze fundamental social processes that characterize human experiences
		Historical Traditions	Examine the processes that create change over time in the human experience
		Literary Traditions	Examine literature's connections to society and culture
		Religious Traditions	Examine the role of religion in society, culture and individual life
Quantitative and Scientific Reasoning	Interpret and apply mathematical and scientific concepts and skills	Mathematics	Apply mathematical reasoning to solve problems
		Natural Sciences	Use scientific reasoning to evaluate ideas in the natural world
Communication	Communicate effectively	Oral Comm	Express messages in various situations using appropriate verbal and nonverbal communication skills
		Written Comm 1	Express ideas in various situations using writing processes and strategies
		Written Comm 2	Analyze and compose evidence-based arguments in various forms
		Writing Emphasis	Write for a specific discipline, profession, or field using a writing process that emphasizes revision
Responsible Citizenship	Describe concepts or theories of social responsibility in diverse or global communities	Cultural Awareness	Explore culture and cultural phenomena as sites of identity, difference, understanding, or collaboration
		Global Awareness	Analyze the dynamics, processes, or legacies of global systems
		Citizenship and Social Values	Examine the knowledge, skills, values, or motivation needed to participate or lead within diverse communities