

2015-2016 Degree Map-Bachelor of Science in Recreation and Park Administration-Therapeutic Recreation Emphasis

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at <http://www.atu.edu/academics/catalog/>.

Employment Information: The Therapeutic Recreation Emphasis prepares students for a career as a Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS) working with special populations in clinical and community recreation environments. The specialized TR emphasis prepares students for national certification under guidelines established by the National Council for Therapeutic Recreation Certification.

#Remedial Courses (if applicable): ENGL 0303 _____ ENGL 0404 _____ READ 0103 _____ MATH 0903 _____

Sample Schedule		Milestones/Notes	
Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 1
ENGL 1013-Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#	
Mathematics (MATH 1003-preferred, 1113, or higher)	3	#	Milestone
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
TECH 1001- Orientation to the University	1		
RP 1013- Principles of Recreation and Park Admin.	3		Milestone
Total hours	13	GPA	

Semester 2		Semester 2	
Semester 2	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#	
RP 2033- Recreation Leadership	3		
Science with Lab	4		
COMS 1003- Intro to Computers (ACTS= CPSI 1003)	3		
Total hours	13	GPA	

Semester 3		Semester 3	
Semester 3	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 3
PSY 2003- General Psychology (ACTS= PSY1103)	3		Milestone
SPH 2003- Public Speaking	3		SPH 2173 may substitute
RP 2003-Recreation Programming	3		
RS 2003- Introduction to Rehabilitation Services	3		
BIOL 2004- Basic Human Anatomy and Physiology	4		Milestone
Total hours	16	GPA	

Semester 4		Semester 4	
Semester 4	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 4
Social Sciences	3		
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
LBMD 2001- Intro to Library Resources	1		
RP 3013- Recreation for Special Populations	3		
U.S. History/Government	3		
Total hours	13	GPA	RPA ADVISOR ASSIGNED

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed at <http://acts.adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities	U.S. History & Government
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA 1003)	HIST 1903 Survey of American History
MUS 2003 Intro to Music (ACTS=MUSC 1003)	HIST 2003 United States History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)
TH 2273 Intro to Theatre (ACTS =DRAM 1003)	HIST 2043 Honors United States History to 1877
ENGL 2173 Intro to Film	HIST 2013 United States History from 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)
JOUR 2173 Intro to Film	POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)
ENGL 2003 Intro to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL 2113)	Science with Lab
ENGL 2013 Intro to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL 2653)	BIOL 1014- Intro. to Biological Science (ACTS= BIOL1004)
ENGL 2023 Honors World Literature	BIOL/PHSC 1004- Principles of Environmental Science
PHIL 2003 Intro to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL 1103)	GEOL 1014- Physical Geology (ACTS= GEOL 1114)
PHIL 2043 Honors Introduction to Philosophy	PHSC 1013/1021- Physical Sci/Lab (ACTS= PHSC 1004)

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 5
PSY 3813- Lifespan Development	3		Milestone
RP 3033- Commercial Recreation	3		
RP 3034- Site Planning and Design	4		
RP 3403- Financing Recreation and Parks	3		
RP 4073- Principles and Techniques of Therapeutic Rec.	3		Milestone
Total hours	16	GPA	

Semester 6		Semester 6	
Semester 6	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 6
PSY 3003- Abnormal Psychology	3		
RP 3043- Work Experience	3		
RP 3063- Outdoor Education	3		
RP 4473- Issues & Trends in Therapeutic Recreation	3		Offered Spring of odd years
RP 3023- Camp Administration	3		
Total hours	15	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION

Semester 7		Semester 7	
Semester 7	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 7
AHS 2013- Medical Terminology	3		
PE 4103- Principles and Methods of Adapted PE	3		
RP 4013- Recreation and Park Administration	3		
RP 4103- Recreation Law and Policy	3		
RP 4373- Interventions in Therapeutic Recreation	3		
Total hours	15	GPA	

Semester 8		Semester 8	
Semester 8	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 8
RP 4113- Personnel Management	3		
RP 4023- Research Methods	3		
RP 4173- Therapeutic Rec. Assessment & Documentation	3		
RP 4273- Admin and Operation of Therapeutic Rec.	3		
RP 4001- Internship Preparation	1		
Total Hours	13	GPA	Graduation Requirements: Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40 No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:120 2.00+ GPA
Semester 9	Hrs.		
RP 4116- Internship (Must be completed after all coursework)	6	GPA	

Approved Electives: 3 hours (1000-4000 level)

indicates a "C" or better is required

Social Sciences	
HIST 1503 World Civilization to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113)	ECON 2103 Honors Principles of Economics I
HIST 1513 World Civilization since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123)	ECON 2013 Principles of Economics II (ACTS=ECON 2203)
HIST 1543 Honors World Civilization to 1500	SOC 1003 Intro Sociology (ACTS=SOCI 1013)
HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)	PSY 2003 General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC 1103)
HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)	ANTH 1213 Intro to Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH 1013)
HIST 2043 Honors U.S. History to 1877	ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH 2013)
BIOL 1903 Survey of American History	GEOG 2013 Rgnl Geog of the World (ACTS=GEOG 2103)
POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)	AMST 2003 American Studies
ECON 2003 Principles of Economics I (ACTS=ECON2103)	AGBU 2063 Prin Agri Macroeconomics
ECON 2103 Honors Principles of Economics I	AGBU 2073 Prin Agri Macroeconomics