

2025-2026 Degree Map-Bachelor of Science in Rehabilitation Science-Therapeutic Recreation Option

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 <https://catalog.atu.edu/>

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 _____ MATH 0803 _____ MATH 0903 _____ MATH 1110 _____

Sample Schedule

Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
ENGL 1013- Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#	
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
Mathematics	3	#	
RS 2003- Introduction to Rehabilitation Services	3	#	
Social Science	3		
TECH 1001- Orientation to the University	1		Draft a résumé, upload to Handshake
Total hours	16	GPA	Create a LinkedIn profile

Semester 2	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#	
PSY 2003- General Psychology	3		Requires C or better
Science with a Lab	4		
U.S. History/Government	3		
Total hours	13	GPA	Attend a career fair to observe

Semester 3	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 3
BIOL 2004- Basic Human Anatomy and Physiology	4		
COMM 2003- Public Speaking	3		
PSY 3813- Lifespan Development	3		
RS 3204- Interviewing Skills	4	#	
RS 4123- Survey of Counseling Theories	3		
Total hours	17	GPA	

Semester 4	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 4
Fine Arts & Humanities	3		
PSY 2063/SOC 2063- Research Design for Behav Sciences	3		
PSY 3003- Abnormal Psychology	3		
RS 4003- Medical/Psychosocial Aspects of Disability	3		
RS 4023- Case Management Strategies	3	#	
RS 4233- Diversity & Inclusion in Human Services Setting	3		Meet with faculty about career paths
Total hours	18	GPA	TR 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 by searching keyword "ACTS" at <https://adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003) MUS 2003 Survey of Music History (ACTS=MUSC1003) TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003) ENGL/JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113) ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653) PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103) PHIL 2053 Introduction to Critical Thinking (ACTS=PHIL 1003) 1013 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT 1023 from SPAN, FR, GER, JPN, CHIN, or LAT LEAD 2003 Ethics in Leadership	U.S. History & Government HIST 1903 Survey of American History HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113) HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123) POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003) University Honors students should consult Course Catalog for appropriate Fine Arts/Humanities, US History/Government and Social Science options for University Honors Curriculum.
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Possible Careers: Certified Therapeutic Recreation Specialist (CTRS), Clinical and Community Recreation Environments

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes
RS 4223- Ethics and Professional Development	3	#	
RS 4253- Psychopathology	3		
TR/RP 3013- Inclusive Recreation	3		
TR/RP 4073- Principles and Techniques of Therapeutic Rec	3		
TR/RP 4173- Therapeutic Rec Assessment & Documentation	3		
Total hours	15	GPA	Update résumé/ LinkedIn with Career Services

Semester 6	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 6
AHS 2013- Medical Terminology	3		Pre-req: PSY 2003
RS 4104- Service Learning in Rehabilitation Science	4	#	
RP 4273- Administration and Operation of TR Programs	3		
RP 4373- Interventions in Therapeutic Recreation	3		
Elective or Minor	3		
Total hours	16	GPA	APPLY FOR GRADUATION

Semester 7	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 7
RP 4473- Issues & Trends in Therapeutic Recreation	3		
RP 4573- Interventions in Therapeutic Recreation II	3		
Elective or Minor	3		
Elective or Minor	4		
Total hours	13	GPA	Create a job search timeline Complete senior check-in with Career Services

Semester 8	Hrs.	Grade	Semester 8
RP 4119- Mastery in Professional Practice	9	#	
Elective or Minor	3		
			Graduation Requirements: Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40 No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:120 2.00+ GPA
Total Hours	12	GPA	

General Electives: 13 hours (1000-4000 level)

Indicates a "C" or better is required

Social Sciences HIST 1503 World History to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113) HIST 1513 World History since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123) HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113) HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123) HIST 1903 Survey of American History POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003) ECON 2003 Principles of Macroeconomics (ACTS=ECON2103) ECON 2013 Principles of Microeconomics (ACTS=ECON2203) SOC 1003 Introductory Sociology (ACTS=SOC11013) PSY 2003 General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC1103)	ANTH 1213 Intro. to Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH1013) ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH2013) GEOG 2013 Regional Geography of the World (ACTS=GEOG2103) AMST 2003 American Studies FIN 2013 Personal Finance LEAD 1003 Introduction to Leadership
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