Department of Recreation, Park and Tourism Sciences  
For Students Entering Under Catalog (Fall 2020)  
B.S. degree in Recreation, Park and Tourism Sciences

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**Communications (6 hours)**  
- ENGL 103 or 104 (3)  
- COMM 203 (3)  

**Mathematics (6 hours)**  
- STAT 201 (3)  
Select one of the following:  
- MATH 142 or 151  
- MATH 140 or 168  
- MATH 152  
- MATH 167  
- PHIL 240 (3)  

**Life & Physical Science (9 hours)**  
- Core Science (4)  
- KINE 120 (1)  
Select 4 hours from the following:  
- ATMO 201, ATMO 202, BESC 201, BIOL 107, BIOL 113, ESSM 309, GEOG 203, GEOG 205, GEOG 213, OCNG 251, OCNG 252, RENR 205, RENR 215 (4)  

**Language, Philosophy & Culture (3 hours)**  
- (3)  

**Creative Arts (3 hours)**  
- (3)  

**Social & Behavioral Sciences (3 hours)**  
- (3)  

**American History & Political Science (12 hours)**  
- HIST 105, 106, or 226 (3)  
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- POLS 206 (3)  
- POLS 207 (3)  

**Technical Support (9 hours)**  
- RPTS 230 or ISTM 209 (3)  
Select one of the following:  
- ACCT 209, 229, ECON 202, 203  
- AGEC 105 (3)  
- ENGL 210 or AGCJ 404 (3)  

**Recreation, Park and Tourism Sciences (25 hours)**  
- RPTS 201 (3)  
- RPTS 302 (3)  
- RPTS 311 (3)  
- RPTS 336 (3)  
- RPTS 340 (3)  
- RPTS 481 (1)  
- RPTS 484 (6)  
- Dept. Elective (3)  

Certificate Courses (19 hours each) See Next Page  
Free Electives (25) See Next page  

**Total Hours Required: 120**

Additional Requirements for all students:  
(To be met through RPTS requirements or electives)

Designated Writing Intensive or Writing Intensive and Communications. (Two writing intensive “W” courses or one writing intensive “W” and one communications “C” course are required)

- RPTS 403/401(W) (4)  
- See Certificate (3)  
- (C) or (W)  

International and Cultural Diversity Course:  
(3 hrs required)

- Your choice (3)  
- icd.tamu.edu  

Cultural Discourse Course:  
(3 hrs required)

- Your choice (3)  

Foreign Language:  
- (3)  
- (3)  

A minimum of one year (2 semesters) of foreign language is required. This degree requirement can be satisfied by the satisfactory completion in high school of two full years of the same foreign language or one year (2 semesters) of the same language at the college level.
Courses Requirements for Selected Certificates

**RPTS Majors must complete at least ONE certificate**

_Each certificate must be a 2.0 GPA at completion_

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**General Electives (25 hours)**

[RPTS Majors can use electives to fulfill additional certificates]

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**Students may not pursue more than five (5) curriculum records**

(BS RPTS, certificates across the University, double major, double degree)