Speech and Hearing Sciences
WEST TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY™

Speech-Language Pathology
Graduate Advising Form

Note: ASHA requires a series of undergraduate courses, see list below, that must be completed to accumulate clinical fellowship hours and receive their certificate of clinical competence. 25 hours of observation are also required prior to accumulating graduate clinical practicum hours.

Undergraduate Requirements			
Statistics Course	3 hrs ☐	Behavioral Science Course	3 hrs ☐
Chemistry/Physics Course	4 hrs ☐	Biology Course	3 hrs ☐
Observation Hours	25 hrs ☐		

First Year/Graduate 1			
Fall		**Spring**	
SLH 6315 Research & EBP in SLP	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6320 Language Disorders in Preschool Children	3 hrs ☐
SLH 6370 Pediatric Speech Sound Disorders	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6340 Dementia and Traumatic Brain Injury	3 hrs ☐
SLH 6375 Language Disorders in School-Age Children	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6410 Voice & Upper Airway Disorders and Lab	4 hrs ☐
SLH 6450 Dysphagia and Lab	4 hrs ☐	SLH 6398 Application of Clinical Principles	3 hrs ☐
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	16 hrs		**13 hrs**

Summer 1 through Summer 2	
SLH 6335 Stuttering (50)	3 hrs ☐
SLH 6380 Advanced Decision-Making in Speech-Langugage Pathology (50)*	3 hrs ☐
SLH 6398 Application of Clinical Principles (50)	3 hrs ☐
	9 hrs

Second Year/Graduate 2			
Fall		**Spring**	
SLH 6305 Neuromotor Speech Disorders	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6699 Advanced Application of Clinical Principles II (70)*	6 hrs ☐
SLH 6330 Aphasia and Right Hemisphere Syndrome	3 hrs ☐		
SLH 6325 Augmentative & Alternative Communication	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6302 Thesis II (Optional)*	3 hrs ☐
SLH 6399 Advanced Application of Clinical Principles I (70)	3 hrs ☐		
SLH 6301 Thesis I (Optional)*	3 hrs ☐	SLH 6392 Special Topics in Speech-Language Pathology**	3 hrs ☐
	12-15 hrs		**6-12 hrs**

* Course related to thesis track for graduation

** Course related to comprehensive examination process

The thesis option will add 6 hours to your degree plan. The thesis option requires you to identify a topic, a chair, and a committee within the first semester of graduate school. Graduating from our graduate program meets all Texas licensure requirements as indicated by the Texas Department of Licensing and Regulation (TDLR). WTAMU's graduate program is also accredited with the CAA/ASHA.