

PROPOSED MINOR FIELD OF STUDY

STUDENT IS DEGREE CANDIDATE FOR CURRENT SEMESTER

YES _____ NO _____

Please provide ALL requested information:

Name _____ UIN# _____

MAJOR _____ OPTION _____ CAT. # _____ DEGREE (Check one) BA _____ BS _____

EXPECTED GRADUATION (Check one) FALL _____ SPRING _____ SUMMER _____ YEAR _____

I request that the following courses in **Earth Sciences** be allowed to satisfy the optional required minor field of study for my major. *The purpose of the Earth Sciences minor is to study the different physical earth processes and systems.*

COURSE NUMBER

HOURS

Courses to be selected from at least 3 of the 5 different groups*:

GROUP _____	_____	_____
GROUP _____	_____	_____
GROUP _____	_____	_____
GROUP _____	_____	_____
GROUP _____	_____	_____

Total Hours 15

Student Signature Date _____

Reviewed & Approved, Minor Dept. Academic Advisor Date _____

Reviewed & Approved, Major Dept. Academic Advisor Date _____

Return one copy to the Environmental Programs and one copy to your major department.

*Please check the back of this form for Minor requirements.

Proposed Minor Field Requirements

The purpose of the Earth Sciences minor is to study the different physical earth processes and systems.

Students choosing to complete a minor in Earth Sciences must meet the following requirements:

A minimum of 6 hours must be taken in residence at either Texas A&M University/College Station or Galveston.

A minimum cumulative GPR of 2.0 must be achieved for all courses in the minor.

Take a minimum of 15 hours of coursework in the College of Geosciences.

The 15 hours must include at least 3 hours of 400-level coursework and another 3 hours of upper-level (300- or 400-level) coursework from the list below.

Students with majors in the College of Geosciences must select only courses outside of their home department.

Courses must be selected from at least 3 of the 5 groups:

GROUP 1: ATMO 201 ATMO 202 ATMO 324 ATMO 441

GROUP 2: GEOG 203 GEOG 309 GEOG 324 GEOG 331 GEOG 360 GEOG 361
GEOG 370 GEOG 390 GEOG 400 GEOG 434 GEOG 462 GEOG 467

GROUP 3: GEOL 101/4 GEOL 203 GEOL 301 GEOL 302 GEOL 306 GEOL 308
GEOL 312 GEOL 410 GEOP 341 GEOP 413

GROUP 4: GEOS 401 GEOS 442 GEOS 470

GROUP 5: OCNG 251 or OCNG 401 OCNG 252 OCNG 410 OCNG 430 OCNG 440

***Always check for course prerequisites.**

The selection of courses must be made in agreement with the Environmental Programs Advisor. All substitutions must be processed through the Environmental Programs.

To apply & complete paperwork for an Earth Sciences Minor, contact the Academic Advisor in Environmental Programs, 979-845-2559 or schedule an appointment online at <https://tamu.campus.eab.com/home>.