

PHYSICS BS DEGREE (entered 2016-18) – 32 COURSE UNITS
MAJOR COURSE REQUIREMENTS

NAME:	2nd Major*:
Year: 1 st Yr 2 nd Yr 3 rd Yr 4 th Yr	1st Minor*:
PHY Specialization:	2nd Minor*:

*One course can double count for major and minor. Three courses may double count for students who are double majors.

Core Courses	Major Options Courses	Correlate Courses
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 099 – Orientation Seminar	5 option units required, 200+ level PHY. 2 must include a lab from below. 1 unit max may be from combined 290, 291, 393, 493.	<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 127 – Calculus A
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 203 – Physics I		<input type="checkbox"/> MAT 128 – Calculus B
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 204 – Physics II		STEM Courses
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 299 – Research Fund’ls	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 220 (Lab) – Advanced Geology	5 units required from Schools of Science or Engineering. 200+ level (min of 3). 1 unit max may be from combined 290, 291, 393, 493. List 5 STEM courses below:
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 306* – Math Physics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 311 (Lab) – Electronics	
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 321 – Modern Physics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 345 (Lab) – Clouds & Climate	
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 356 – Thermal Physics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 411 (Lab) – EM Waves & Optics	
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 401 – Classical Mechanics	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 451 (Lab) – Advanced Lab	
<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 421 – EM Theory I	List remaining options courses below:	
* BOTH of the following courses may be taken in place of PHY306: <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 205 – Linear Algebra <input type="checkbox"/> MAT 229 – Calculus C	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY	
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Graduation Requirements	Capstone Course	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Completion of PHY reqs.	One of the following courses is required.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0 or better in-major GPA	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 451 – Advanced Lab	Further Information
<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0 or better overall GPA	<input type="checkbox"/> PHY 493 – Independent	Upper level PHY courses are not offered every semester. Schedule is here: physics.tcnj.edu/physics-upper-level-course-timetable/
<input type="checkbox"/> C or better in PHY203, 204, 321	<input type="checkbox"/> SED 498 – For Secondary Ed Students	
<input type="checkbox"/> Complete 32 course units		
		Specializations: physics.tcnj.edu/academics/programs/

LIBERAL LEARNING REQUIREMENTS, CIVIC RESPONSIBILITIES, AND PROFICIENCIES

Liberal Learning	Liberal Learning (Option C)	Civic Responsibilities
Select one of the options below. (Option C most common)	Option C – 8 Required Courses**	Fulfilled through courses, programs or sustained experiences
<input type="checkbox"/> Option A – Designated Interdisciplinary Concentration OR Second Major*	<input type="checkbox"/> Literary, Visual, Performing Arts (LVPA) <u>List course:</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> IDS 103 – Community Engaged Learning
<input type="checkbox"/> Option B – Self-designed Interdisciplinary Concentration*	<input type="checkbox"/> World Views/Ways of Knowing (WV) <u>List course:</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Gender <u>List course:</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> Option C – Breadth Distribution List 8 courses required – See next column.	<input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral, Social, or Cultural Perspectives (BSCP) <u>List course:</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Global Perspective <u>List course:</u>
*see: https://liberallearning.tcnj.edu/courses-information/interdisciplinary-concentrations/	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Change in Historical Perspective (SCHP) <u>List course:</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Race & Ethnicity <u>List course:</u>
Language	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 additional courses from: LVPA, WV/WK, BSCP, or SCHP <u>List course:</u>	Proficiencies
<input type="checkbox"/> Second language proficiency at 1st level (101) <u>List course:</u>		<input type="checkbox"/> IDS 102
<input type="checkbox"/> Second language proficiency at 2nd level (102) <u>List course:</u>		<input type="checkbox"/> WRI 102
<input type="checkbox"/> Second language proficiency at 3rd level (103) <u>List course:</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Natural Science: PHY 203	<input type="checkbox"/> FSP First Year Seminar
	<input type="checkbox"/> Quantitative Reasoning: MAT 127	Electives
**Note: By testing out of Lang. courses, you satisfy this requirement but do not receive any course units. You must take 3 additional electives in any dept.	**Table of approved liberal learning course: https://liberallearning.tcnj.edu/fulfilling-requirements/approved-liberal-learning-courses/	List three elective courses.
		<input type="checkbox"/> Elective 1:
		<input type="checkbox"/> Elective 2:
		<input type="checkbox"/> Elective 3: