

## Out-of-Field Application Options

### Step 2: Descriptions and Instructions

Options (Application Deadline)	Description	Pros	Cons	How to Apply
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Post-baccalaureate 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Undergraduate Program at TTUHSC (3 semesters) (March 1)</b></p>	<p>3 semesters of undergraduate coursework at TTUHSC leading to a Bachelor of Science in Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences with the option to apply for the standard 2-year TTUHSC graduate program (or any graduate program in the nation) after the 3<sup>rd</sup> semester (Must meet Texas Common Core Curriculum requirements, have at least a 3.0 GPA, and have completed at least 1 course with a grade of C or better in the following areas: physical science, life science, behavioral/social science, statistics.)</p>	<p>+ You earn a second undergraduate degree (Bachelor of Science in Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences). + All leveling courses required by the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) will be provided at TTUHSC in 3 semesters (*see list on the next page). + You will be prepared to begin a graduate program in speech-language pathology (the TTUHSC graduate program <u>or</u> any graduate program in the United States to which you are accepted). + You have enough coursework and credit hours to work as a licensed SLP assistant if you desire. + As an undergraduate student earning a second degree, you may qualify for financial aid.</p>	<p>- Our program is a full-time traditional undergraduate program, so you must attend classes in person (i.e., no online courses). - You are not guaranteed a slot in the TTUHSC graduate or any other graduate program. You may apply and compete for a slot after your first semester of coursework. To be considered, you must earn at least a 3.0 GPA in our program.</p>	<p>1. Follow the <i>Instructions for Online Application</i> at <a href="http://www.ttuhs.edu/shp/admissions/application.aspx">http://www.ttuhs.edu/shp/admissions/application.aspx</a>.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Post-baccalaureate Leveling Coursework at another university (Depends upon university)</b></p>	<p>At least 2 semesters of leveling coursework (*see list of required courses on the next page) at a university that has an accredited program in Speech and Hearing Sciences/Communication Disorders</p>	<p>+ You can complete leveling coursework at a different school(s) and then apply to the TTUHSC Standard 2-year Master's Degree Program in Speech-Language Pathology. + Some schools offer online or distance learning courses that you</p>	<p>- You are not guaranteed a slot in the TTUHSC graduate or any other graduate program. You may apply and compete for a slot with all other applicants. To be considered, you must earn at</p>	<p>Not applicable</p>

		might be able to complete from home.	least a 3.0 GPA for leveling coursework. - Because you are not seeking a bachelor's or master's degree, it may be difficult to qualify for financial aid.	
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<p><b>*Required Leveling Courses (All included in the TTUHSC 2<sup>nd</sup> Degree Program):</b></p>	<p><b>*Recommended/Optional Leveling Courses (available at TTUHSC, but not required):</b></p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Clinical Audiology</li> <li>▪ Clinical Methods</li> <li>▪ Language Development</li> <li>▪ Language Disorders</li> <li>▪ Phonetics</li> <li>▪ Speech &amp; Hearing Anatomy &amp; Physiology</li> <li>▪ Speech Science</li> <li>▪ Supervised Observation Lab: Speech-Language Pathology* (*official documentation/proof of <math>\geq 25</math> observation hours)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Assessment Procedures</li> <li>▪ Aural Rehabilitation</li> <li>▪ Introduction to Communication Disorders</li> <li>▪ Neural Bases of Speech &amp; Language Disorders</li> <li>▪ Sign Language</li> </ul>