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2022-2023 CATALOG **COLLEGE CORE CURRICULUM** CHECKLIST

NEVADA STATE COLLEGE

SCHOOL OF LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES

COMMUNICATION, B.A

COLLEGE CORE CURRICULUM (31-44 CREDITS)

Unless otherwise noted, please refer to the NSC catalog for full list of core requirements. Note: A single course cannot be used to fulfill both a major and core curriculum requirement. Additionally, a single course cannot fulfill more than one core requirement.

□ ENGLISH **3-8 CREDITS**

NSC students can be placed into English courses by submitting ACT or SAT scores, or by completing the Directed Self Placement questionnaire. Students who complete Composition II will satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement. Typically, students take Composition I during their first semester at the college and Composition II during the second semester.

☐ English Composition I (ENG 100, 101, or 116) 3-5

☐ English Composition II 3

☐ STUDY AND TECHNOLOGY SKILLS 0-3 CREDITS

Transfer students with 30 or more transferrable college credits or students who complete the Nepantla Summer Bridge Program with an average GPA of 3.0 or greater will be able to waive the Study and Technology Skills Core Requirement.

□ MATHEMATICS **3-4 CREDITS**

NSC students can directly self-place into Mathematics, however it is recommended that students place according to their ACT/SAT scores or complete EdReady to better guide their placement. All degree programs require MATH 120 or higher to fulfill the Mathematics Core Curriculum (please see your degree outline for specific course requirements).

□ NATURAL SCIENCES 7-8 CREDITS

Students are required to take two science courses, at least one of which must include an associated laboratory component.

□ Natural Science Core 3-4 □ Natural Science Core with Lab 4

□ SOCIAL SCIENCES **3 CREDITS** ☐ FINE ARTS **3 CREDITS**

☐ HUMANITIES 6 CREDITS

3 □ Humanities Core ☐ Humanities Core 3

□ CONSTITUTION **3-6 CREDITS**

Completion of US and NV Constitutions required. Complete either one US Constitution course and one NV Constitution course or complete one course that fulfills both US and NV Constitutions (CH 203 or PSC 101).

□ Nevada Constitution 0 - 3

□ United States Constitution 0-3

□ CULTURAL DIVERSITY **3 CREDITS**

For a full breakdown of requirements for the Communication major, please refer to accompanying "Major Degree Checklist"

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)

ADDITIONAL GENERAL ELECTIVES (37-50 CREDITS)

TOTAL CREDITS FOR DEGREE (120 CREDITS)

✓ Check box when requirement is satisfied

**Indicates a prerequisite and/or corequisite is required. Please refer to the catalog or speak to an advisor about these requirements.

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SCAN HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE COLLEGE CORE CURRICULUM INCLUDING A FULL LIST OF ELIGIBLE COURSES

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All courses used to fulfill major requirements must be completed with a minimum C-. Grades below a C- carry no credit towards major requirements.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (39 CREDITS)

INTRODUCTORY	CC	OURSES 9 CR	EDITS
☐ COM 102		Intro to Interpersonal Communication	3
□ COM 216		Survey of Communication Studies	3
□ COM 333		Media Literacy	3

FOUNDATIONS 12 CREDITS

Choose 4 of the following:

COM 101	Oral Communication	3
COM 110	Power, Culture, and Society	3
COM 212	Intro to Communication Research	3
COM 217**	Argumentation and Debate	3
COM 250	News Gathering & Writing	3
COM 315	Small Group Communication	3
COM 330	Selected Topics in Communication	3
COM 400	Human Communication Theory	3
COM 404	Principles of Persuasion	3
COM 412	Intercultural Communication	3

CONCENTRATION 12 CREDITS

Select and complete four of the six courses listed under one of the following concentrations:

PUBLIC RELATIONS

□ C	OM 261	Intro to Public Relations	3
□ C	OM 335	Communication in the Public Interest	3
□ C	OM 375**	Public Relations Writing	3
□ C	OM 463**	Case Studies in Public Relations	3
□ C	OM 475**	Communication & Community	
		Engagement	3
	OM 492**	Public Relations Campaigns	3

MEDIA STUDIES

COM 221**	Social Media	3
COM 380	Women in Media	3
COM 431	Visual Literacy	3
COM 474	New Media & Human Communication	3
COM 485	Mass Media & Society	3
COM 488**	Global Media Seminar	3

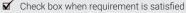
COMMUNICATION ELECTIVES

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Any Communication courses, not used to fulfill a major or core curriculum requirement may be used as a major elective.

COM	COM Elective	3
СОМ	COM Elective	3

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CREDIT REQUIREMENTS			

CREDIT REQUIREMENTS				
Summary of credit requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Comm	nunication			
•	31-44 39			
UPPER DIVISION ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS □ UPPER DIVISION CREDITS Must be 300-400 level	21		CREDITS COMPLETED	CREDITS REMAINING
ADDITIONAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS 120 CREDITS Total minimum earned credits (must be 10)			CREDITS COMPLETED	CREDITS REMAINING
□ RESIDENCY RULE Upper division credits from Nevada State □ 4-YEAR RULE Credits from a 4-year institution (minimum		30 60		
ADVISOR NOTES	STUDENT	NOTES		