

Advising Guides for Freshman & Sophomores

Bachelor of Arts in Communication

This is based on the 2023-2024 Academic Year and is based on successful completion of approximately 12 hours a semester and summers. Students must choose the Social Science Focus Area. Refer to the document “General Education Requirements for General Studies Students – First Year Students” for details on the required general education courses for each cohort. For all general education courses, you must earn a “C” or better. Students with Advanced Placement or other approved transfer and early college coursework need to contact their advisor right away so that you don’t duplicate credits.

Level	Fall	Spring	Summer
Freshman	ENGL-1000 (3) COUN-1008 (1) FYS-1001 (3) MATH-2100 or MATH-2137 (3) COMM-2110 (3) Total – 13	ENGL-1010 (3) Humanities or Fine Arts (3) Foundation Course (3) Social Science (3) Total – 12	Fine Arts (3) Social Science (3) Total - 6
Sophomore	COMM-1000 (3) Social Science Course (3) Foundation Course (3) Life Sciences (3) Total – 12	COMM-3201 (3) COMM-3200 (3) Concentration Courses (3) Physical Science (4) Total – 13	Communication Elective (3) Concentration Courses (3) Total - 6
Junior	COMM-3099 (3) Junior Seminar COMM-4210/4211/4212/or 4213 (3) COMM-3202 (3) Concentration Courses (3) Total – 12	COMM-4201 (3) Concentration Courses (6) Electives (3) Total – 12	Concentration Courses (3) Electives (3) Total - 6
Senior	Concentration Courses (6) Communication Elective (3) Elective (3) Total – 12	COMM-4900 (3) Communication Elective (3) Concentration Courses (0-4) Elective (2-6) Total – 12	Elective (4) Total - 4

Minimum Total 120

Students must earn a “C” or better in all general education courses.
See program advisor for Concentration options.