



Associate of Applied Science in Speech Language Pathology Assistant Bachelor of Health Science in Communication Disorders

The following is presented as an articulation agreement between South Suburban College (SSC) and Governors State University (GSU) for the Communication Disorders degree program based on the current catalogs of both schools. The student would receive an Associate of Applied Science (AAS) in Speech Language Pathology Assistant degree from SSC and a Bachelors of Health Science (BHS) degree in Communication Disorders from GSU. **In addition to meeting the GSU admission criteria, students must have a grade point average of at least 2.75 for the last 60 hours of undergraduate course work attempted.**

I. TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CORE CURRICULUM (22 Hours) Communications (6 hours)

- ENG 101 - Composition and Rhetoric (3)
- SPE 108 - Oral Communications (3)

Humanities and Fine Arts (6 hours)

- HFA 201 - General Humanities (3)
- Humanities Course (3)*

Mathematics (4 hours)

- MTH 126 or 211 - Statistics (4) (Meets MATH 2100) [Sub for MTH 165]

Physical and Life Sciences (0 hours)

Social and Behavioral Sciences (6 hours)

- PSY 101 - Introduction to Psychology (3) (Meets PSYC 1101)
- Social and Behavioral Science Course – Non Psychology (3)*

II. AREA OF CONCENTRATION/MAJOR FIELD (46 Hours)

- BIO 185 - Human Anatomy and Physiology I (4)
- BIO 186 - Human Anatomy and Physiology II (4)
- HIT 102 - Fundamentals of Medical Terminology (1)
- SPA 101 - Introduction to SPA (3)
- SPA 121 - Anatomy and Physiology of SPA (4)
- SPA 131 - Language Development in Children (3)
- SPA 141 - SPA Voice and Diction (3)
- SPA 151 - Communication Disorders in Children (3)
- SPA 161 - SPA Introduction to Phonetics (3)
- SPA 171 - SPA Clinical Observations (2)
- SPA 201 - SPA Screening and Interventions (4)
- SPA 211 - SPA Clinical Fieldwork I (3)
- SPA 221 - Communication Disorders in Adults (3)
- SPA 231 - Case Study Management for SPA (4)
- SPA 241 - Clinical Fieldwork II (2)

REQUIRED A.A.S. DEGREE PROGRAM TOTAL: 68 Hours

Note: Students are strongly encouraged to complete up to 80 hours at SSC by taking additional courses from Section IV.

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III. TO BE TAKEN AT SSC or GSU (15-16 Hours)

Composition II Course (3) (SSC ENG 102 or GSU ENGL 1010)
Foundations of Education (3) (SSC EDU 110 or GSU EDUC 2310)
Intro to Sign Language (3) (SSC HSA 110 or GSU CDIS 2100)
Life Science or Physical Science Course (3-4)* [either life or physical science course must have a lab]
Students with Exceptionalities (3) (SSC CHD 203 or GSU SPED 2100)

* Refer to the SSC or GSU catalog for a list of course choices in Section IV.

IV. TO BE TAKEN AT GSU (45-46 Hours)

Additional General Education (6-7 hours)

Upper Division Fine Arts Course (3)*
Upper Division Life or Physical Science course (3-4)* [based off of course completed in Section III.]

Required Courses (39 hours)

CDIS 3300 - Introduction to Communication Disorders (3)
CDIS 3400 - Phonetics (3)
CDIS 3500 - Speech and Hearing Science (3)
CDIS 3600 - Anatomy and Physiology of the Speech and Hearing (3)
CDIS 4100 - Language Development: Early Stages (3)
CDIS 4150 - Language Development: Later Stages (3)
CDIS 4200 - Sociolinguistics (3)
CDIS 4300 - Neurosciences for the Study of Communication Disorders (3)
CDIS 4400 - Introduction to Audiology (3)
CDIS 4500 - Intro to Assessment & Intervention in Comm. Disorders (3)
CDIS 4600 - Augmentative and Alternative Communication (3)
EDUC 3440 - Educational Psychology II (3)
PSYC 2201 - Child Development (3) [meets GenEd]

Minimum Required for BHS in Communication Disorders: 120 Hours

(129 hours as written to satisfy AAS, General Education and BHS requirements.)

For Additional Information:

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