

# COMMUNICATION ARTS CURRICULUM WORKSHEET 2015-2016 AY

## Bachelor of Art Degree

English, Languages and Communication Arts Department

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**ANT. GRADUATION:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**DATE LAST UPDATED:** \_\_\_\_\_

### GENERAL EDUCATION

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE NAME	CR	Sem	Grade
<b>I. CORE REQUIREMENTS (22 CREDITS)</b>				
<b>Essential Skills (9 Credits)</b>				
HEN 112	English I ©	3		
HEN 113	English II ©	3		
HEN 114	Speech	3		
<b>Critical Skills (3 Credits)</b>				
EDU110	Introductory Interpretation & Analysis			
<b>OR</b>				
HPH110	Critical Thinking			
<b>Mathematics (3 credits) ©±</b>				
MAT ____	Survey of College Math (or higher) ©±	3		
<b>Health &amp; Wellness (2 credits)</b>				
REC 111	Health & Wellness	2		
<b>African-American Experience (3 credits)</b>				
AAS210	A-A Experience in a Global Context	3		
<b>Freshmen Experience (2 credits)</b>				
GAC 101	Freshmen Seminar I	1		
GAC 102	Freshman Seminar II	1		
<b>II. DISTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS (19 CREDITS; CANNOT BE IN MAJOR)</b>				
<b>Humanities (6 credits ¶)*</b>				
	Humanities Elective I	3		
	Humanities Elective II	3		
<small>*Satisfactory courses include graphic design, literature, language, theater, music, arts, &amp; philosophy.</small>				
<b>Social Sciences (6 credits ¶)***</b>				
	Social Science Elective I	3		
	Social Science Elective II	3		
<small>***Courses include anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology &amp; sociology.</small>				
<b>Natural Sciences (6 credits or higher)®</b>				
S ____	Natural Science Elective I	3		
S ____	Natural Science Elective II	3		
<small>®Satisfactory courses include biology, chemistry, physics, earth or space science.</small>				
<b>Health &amp; Wellness (1 credit)</b>				
REC	Physical Education	1		
<b>TOTAL CREDITS IN GENERAL EDUCATION</b>		<b>41</b>		

A 2.0 overall cumulative GPA is required for graduation.

III. INTENSIVE COURSES		Sem	Grade
HCA 222	Writing Course (W)		
HCA 340	Writing Course (W)		
_____	A-A Heritage Course (A)		
HCA 212	Information Literacy Course (I)		
_____	Global Course (G)		

©This course requires completion of the prerequisite with a C or higher.  
 ¶Courses superimposed on this distribution requirement must be included in Required Major Credits; max 42 or 60  
 ±This course may have one or more prerequisites that students must display proficiency in through successful completion of the prerequisite course(s).

### MAJOR COURSES

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE NAME	CR	Sem	Grade
<b>REQUIRED COMMUNICATIONS COURSES (27 credits)</b>				
HCA 111	Mass Communication in America◇	3		
HCA 113	Writing For Print Media◇	3		
HCA 124	Fundamental Radio Production I◇	3		
HCA 134	Fundamentals of TV Production◇	3		
HCA 212	Communication Law & Ethics (I)◇	3		
HCA 222	Broadcast News Reporting (W)◇	3		
HCA 340	Technical Writing I (W)◇	3		
HCA 413	Issues and Topics Broadcasting (I)◇	3		
HCA 450	Issues in The News (I)◇	3		
<b>Total Communications Credits</b>		<b>27</b>		
<b>REQUIRED RELATED COURSES (6 credits)</b>				
HEN 319	Advanced Composition (W) (I)	3		
HEN 326	Advanced Speech	3		
<b>Total Major Credits</b>		<b>6</b>		
<b>REQUIRED TRACK ELECTIVES* (6 credits in ONE Track)</b>				
See Track Handout for Radio, Television, or Public Relations Electives				
HCA ____	Required Major Elective 1◇	3		
HCA ____	Required Major Elective 2◇	3		
<b>Total Required Track Electives Credits</b>		<b>6</b>		
<b>TOTAL MAJOR CREDITS (up to 42 cr.)</b>		<b>39</b>		

FREE ELECTIVES+ (37 or more credits)++				
_____	Upper Level Free Elective 1++	3		
_____	Upper Level Free Elective 2++	3		
_____	Upper Level Free Elective 3++	3		
_____	Upper Level Free Elective 4++	3		
_____	Upper Level Free Elective 5++	3		
_____	Free Elective 1	3		
_____	Free Elective 2	3		
_____	Free Elective 3	3		
_____	Free Elective 4	3		
_____	Free Elective 5	3		
_____	Free Elective 6	3		
_____	Free Elective 7	3		
_____	Free Elective 8	3		
_____	Free Elective 9 (1, 2, or 3 credit course)			
<b>TOTAL FREE ELECTIVE CREDITS</b>		<b>40</b>		
<b>TOTAL CREDITS FOR GRADUATION</b>		<b>120</b>		

DEVELOPMENTAL/REMEDIAL COURSES+++:		CR	Sem	Grade
ERE 001	Reading Study Skills+++			
HEN 011	Elements of Writing+++			
MAT 001	Basic Math+++			
MAT 002	Elementary Algebra+++			

+PASSHE Policy 1990-06-A holds that elective course selection is encouraged.  
 ++PASSHE Policy 1990-06-A holds that 42 credits of the total 120 must be upper level courses.  
 +++Credits earned for developmental/remedial courses do not count towards the 120 credits required for graduation.  
 ◇Courses listed with a diamond are used to calculate major gpa.