

## B.S. in Communication Arts and Literature Education, Communication Studies –Grades 5-12

Course	Title	Credits	Sem.
<b>LEP/MNTC Courses Required for Admission to Teacher Preparation Program</b>			
COM XXX	Any Goal 1 COMM with COMM Prefix (Minimum grade of C or better required for admission to the TPP)	3	B
ENG 151 or 251	Any Goal 1 COMM with COMM Prefix (Minimum grade of C or better required for admission to the TPP)	3	B
MATH XXX	Any Goal 1 COMM with COMM Prefix (Minimum grade of C or better required for admission to the TPP)	3	B
<b>Secondary Standards of Effective Practice Core</b>			
ED 101	Introduction to Education & Lab	3	B
ED 102	Tech: Classroom Applications and Portfolio	2	B, Su
PSYC 341	Child & Adolescent Psychology <i>*Pre-Requisite: PSYC 101</i>	3	B
SPED 290	Introduction to Special Needs & Lab	3	B
ED 312	Human Relations for Teachers	3	B
ED 301	The Teaching & Learning Process & Lab <i>*should be taken before ED 304</i>	3	F
<b>Discipline Methods Courses</b>			
ED 430	Reading in the Content Areas	2	S
ED 405	Secondary Methods: Language Arts <i>*Pre-Requisite: ED 301</i>	3	fe
COMM 450	Secondary Teaching Methods: Speech Communications	3	so
ED 304	Professional Development & Classroom Applications	1	S
ED 304L	Pre-Student Teaching Experience Practicum <i>*should be taken after ED 301</i>	0	S
<b>Not required, but strongly encouraged</b>			
HLTH 225	Alcohol, Narcotics & Tobacco	2	F
<b>Required Content Courses</b>			
<b>Communication Studies Courses</b>			
COMM 161 OR COMM 261	Speech Activities: Public Address OR Speech Activities: Oral Interpretation	1	B
COMM 200	Small Group Communications	3	F
COMM 220	Storytelling in Modern Communication	3	F
COMM 230	Interpersonal & Cross-Cultural Communication	3	S
COMM 403	Professional Presentations <i>*Pre-Requisites: COMM 110</i>	3	so
COMM 330	Mass Media and Society	3	F
COMM 356	Argumentation and Debate	3	fe
COMM 410	Communication and Analysis	3	fo
COMM 435	Media Production for Learning and Training	3	Su (Varies)
<b>English/Literature Courses</b>			
ENG 361	Advanced Composition <i>*Pre-Requisites ENG 251 or PHIL 303</i>	3	S
ENG 365	Modern Grammar	3	S
LIT 320	British Literature Survey: Beginnings to Present <i>*Pre-Requisites ENG 151</i>	3	S
LIT 330	American Literature Survey: Beginning to Contemporary <i>*Pre-Requisites ENG 151</i>	3	F
LIT 410	Literacy & Literature for Adolescents	3	se
<b>Student Teaching</b>			
ED 469	Secondary Student Teaching: Grade 5-12 & Seminar	12	B
ED 473	Teacher Licensure	0	B
<b>Degree &amp; Major Requirements</b>			
	LEP/MnTC requirements	42-44	
	Communication Arts Education – Speech major requirements	43	
	Secondary Education Coursework	29	
	Total credits required for major	117	
	Total credits required for Degree	120	

Courses in the shaded area can be taken prior to admission to the Teacher Preparation Program  
 Courses not in the shaded areas require admission to the Teacher Preparation Program

F = Fall S = Spring B = Both F & S Su = Summer fo = fall odd so = spring odd fe = fall even se = spring even  
 For example – fo = Fall 2023; se = Spring 2022; fe = Fall 2022; so = Spring 2023

**You are responsible for keeping informed of any changes in requirements that may affect your academic career.**

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