

**Communication Transfer****Associate in Science****START here****1**

SEMESTER 1 – FALL	CREDITS	MILESTONE	COMPLETED
IDS 101 – Gen Ed Seminar: First-Year Experience (August)	1		<input type="checkbox"/>
ENG 101 – English Composition I	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 101 – Introduction to Communication and Media	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 103 – Public Speaking and Professional Presentations	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 104 – Message Design	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
MAT 120 – Math For Liberal Arts or MAT 177 – Statistics	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL CREDITS	16		

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SEMESTER 2 – SPRING	CREDITS	MILESTONE	COMPLETED
ENG 102 – English Composition II	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 102 – Media Ethics & Law	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 110 – Screenwriting –or– COM 124 – Media Writing –or– COM 150 – Introduction to Journalism	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM 115 – Intro to Human Communication -or- COM 116 – Interpersonal Communication	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
Lab Science Elective	4		<input type="checkbox"/>
IDS Elective	1		<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL CREDITS	17		

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SEMESTER 3 – FALL	CREDITS	MILESTONE	COMPLETED
COM 125 – Social Media	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM Program Elective	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
SOC 101 – Introduction to Sociology	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
HST 122 – US History II -or- GOV 120 – American Government	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
General Education Science Elective	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
IDS 107 – Career Readiness	1		<input type="checkbox"/>
TOTAL CREDITS	16		

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SEMESTER 4 – SPRING	CREDITS	MILESTONE	COMPLETED
COM 223 Communication Internship	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
COM Program Elective	3		<input type="checkbox"/>
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TOTAL CREDITS	12		

You've FINISHED!**Milestone Courses**

should be taken in the order shown. This will help you stay on track and graduate on time.

General Advising Notes

To build the proper knowledge and skills, students should complete their art and design courses in the order listed. Successful students spend extensive out-of-class time in MCC's media labs.

IDS 101 is required for this program. This one-credit course is an orientation to the college and ideally should be taken before starting the program (usually in August).

COM 223 - Communication Internship can be completed over the summer.

Career and Transfer Outlook

The Communication Transfer Associate of Science Degree prepares students to transfer into a wide range of bachelor's degree programs in communication, including media production, film, television & radio, public relations, journalism, social media, communication arts, and media studies.

This program qualifies for MassTransfer, which guarantees credit transfer to Massachusetts state universities and the University of Massachusetts. Academic advisors and transfer counselors work closely with students to plan course selections in accordance with their intended bachelor's degree major and transfer institution.

Communication majors can pursue careers in various communication fields, such as television/film production, radio, public relations, journalism, social media, corporate communications, and media production.

Approved/Recommended Electives

Students should refer to DegreeWorks for a list of approved program electives.

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