



**BACHELOR of ARTS in COMMUNICATION STUDIES (#792)  
SECOND MAJOR, CERTIFICATE, OR MINOR REQUIRED**  
Department of Communication  
Potter College of Arts & Letters  
Western Kentucky University

The suggested program of study shown below should be used in consultation with your advisor(s). Every student will finish with a unique plan depending on choice(s) of second major, certificate, or minor, and/or general electives. General electives shown below can be replaced with courses for declared programs of study. For information about requirements for admission to this major, see Undergraduate Catalog or your advisor.

**Communication Studies – Finish-in-Four Plan**

<b>FIRST YEAR</b>			
<b>Fall Semester</b>		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
COMM 145 Funds. of Public Spkg & Comm (F-OC)	3	ENG 100 Intro to College Writing (F-W1)	3
MATH 109 General College Math or higher (F-QR)	3	PS 110, SOCL 100, or Social & Behavioral Sciences (E-SB)	3
Arts & Humanities (E-AH)	3	Natural & Physical Sciences with Lab (E-NS & E-SL)	3
World Language if needed, or General Elective	3	World Language if needed, or General Elective	3
Natural & Physical Sciences (E-NS)	3	HIST 101 or HIST 102 (F-SB)	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>SECOND YEAR</b>			
<b>Fall Semester</b>		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
COMM 200 Comm Foundations (F-W2)	3	COMM 348 Interpersonal Comm	3
ENG 200 or RELS 200 (F-AH)	3	COMM Skills & Apps Elective	3
Connections: Systems (K-SY)	3	Connections: Social & Cultural (K-SC)	3
2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

<b>THIRD YEAR</b>			
<b>Fall Semester</b>		<b>Spring Semester</b>	
COMM 365 Intercultural Comm	3	COMM 362 Organizational Comm	3
COMM in Context Elective	3	COMM in Context Elective	3
2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3
Connections: Local-to-Global (K-LG)	3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

FOURTH YEAR			
Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
COMM 345 Adv. Public Spkg OR COMM 346 Persuasion	3	COMM Adv. Study Elective	3
COMM in Context Elective	3	COMM in Context Elective	3
COMM Skills & Apps Elective	3	2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3
2 <sup>nd</sup> Major/Certificate/Minor Course	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3	General Elective	3
<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDIT HOURS</b>	<b>15</b>

**Total Credit Hours: 120**

For more details and courses offered in the Colonnade General Education program visit the [website](#).

**World Language Requirement:** Language Proficiency of novice-high before completing 60 credit hours is required (or completion of 2nd level of a language). Two credits (or equivalent) of a single world language in High School satisfies this WKU requirement.

**For more Information:**    **Department:** Department of Communication  
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Course Descriptions: <http://www.wku.edu/undergraduatecatalog/>