

AUSTIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE/
TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY-SAN MARCOS
ROUND ROCK HIGHER EDUCATION CENTER



TRANSFER PLANNING GUIDE
2008-2010 CATALOG



Bachelor of Arts
Major in Mass Communication (General)
Minor Required

Minimum required: 120 semester hours

ACC COURSE OF STUDY

Freshman Year-1 st Semester	Hours	Freshman Year-2 nd Semester	Hours
___ <i>ENGL 1301</i> (ENG 1310)	3	___ COMM 1307 (MC 1301)	3
___ <i>HIST 1301</i> (HIST 1310).....	3	___ <i>ENGL 1302</i> (ENG 1320)	3
___ <i>Mathematics</i> ¹	3	___ <i>HIST 1302</i> (HIST 1320).....	3
___ <i>Modern Language 1511</i> ² (Mod. Lang. 1410).....	5	___ <i>Modern Language 1512</i> ² (Mod. Lang. 1420).....	5
___ <i>Natural Science</i> ³	4	___ <i>Natural Science</i> ³	4
Total	18	Total	18
Sophomore Year-1 st Semester	Hours	Sophomore Year-2 nd Semester	Hours
___ COMM 2311 (MC 1313).....	3	___ COMM 2305 (MC 3383 non-advanced).....	3
___ <i>English Literature</i> ⁴	3	___ <i>GOVT 2306</i> (POSI 2310).....	3
___ <i>GOVT 2305</i> (POSI 2320).....	3	___ <i>Modern Language 2312</i> ² (Mod. Lang. 2320).....	3
___ <i>Modern Language 2311</i> ² (Mod. Lang. 2310).....	3	___ <i>Social Science</i> ⁷	3
___ <i>Additional Humanities</i> ⁵	3	___ <i>Visual and Performing Arts</i> ⁶	3
___ <i>SPCH 1311</i> (COMM 1310).....	3	Total	15
Total	18		

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Junior Year-1 st Semester	Hours	Junior Year-2 nd Semester	Hours
___ ENG 3344	3	___ MC 3355	3
___ MC 4305	3	___ MC 3360	3
___ MC 4309	3	___ Minor	3
___ Minor	6	___ SOCI 3307	3
Total	15	Total	12
Senior Year-1 st Semester	Hours	Senior Year-2 nd Semester	Hours
___ MC 4302 or MC Advanced elective	3	___ MC 4301	3
___ Minor	6	___ MC advanced elective.....	3
___ MC advanced elective.....	3	___ Minor	3
Total	12	___ Open elective	3
		Total	12

¹ Select one course from the Mathematics component area (020) of ACC's Core Curriculum.
² Select all four Modern Language courses from one of the following languages: Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Japanese, Russian, or Spanish.
³ Select two courses from the Natural Science component area (030) of ACC's Core Curriculum.
⁴ Select one Literature course from the Humanities component area (040) of ACC's Core Curriculum.
⁵ Select one course from the Additional Humanities component area (041) of ACC's Core Curriculum.
⁶ Select one course from the Visual and Performing Arts component area (050) of ACC's Core Curriculum.
⁷ Select one course from the Social Science component area (080) of ACC's Core Curriculum.

NOTES:

1. *Italicized* courses satisfy both ACC and Texas State Core Curriculum requirements. Courses in (parentheses) indicate the course transfer equivalents at Texas State.
2. Texas State will apply a maximum of 72 hours from accredited two-year colleges toward a MC degree program offered at the RRHEC.
3. Students may elect to complete courses in a different sequence where possible, but should consult a counselor/advisor before doing so.
4. Upon completion of certain course requirements at Texas State, students may elect to send these hours back to ACC to be applied toward an associate's degree. This is commonly referred to as "reverse transfer."
5. Minor options vary in hours and not all minor options are offered at the RRHEC. Students should consult their counselor/advisor before declaring a minor or taking open electives.
6. A minimum of 36 hours of the degree must be advanced.
7. It is advised that students enter Texas State meeting admission requirements to the degree program.

TEXAS STATE ADMISSION PROCEDURES

UNIVERSITY ADMISSION:

1. Submit completed ApplyTexas Application form, application fee, and all credentials to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions by the stated deadline (Fall-July 1, Spring-December 1, Summer I-May 1, Summer II-June 15).
2. Submit an official transcript from each institution attended to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions. Students must be eligible to return (e.g., free of suspension, dismissal, or enforced withdrawal) to all previous institutions regardless of grade point average (GPA) or degrees received.
3. A minimum 2.25 grade point average (GPA) in all transferable courses is required. In computing the GPA, grades of A, B, C, D, and F are computed as recorded. Grades of W, P, Q, and X are disregarded and grades of WF and I are averaged as F. Grades in non-transferable and technical/vocational courses are disregarded.

Students transferring directly to Texas State University-San Marcos from a two-year college may elect to follow the Texas State catalog in effect at the time they entered the two-year college, or any subsequent catalog upon approval of the Dean of their College. Students are reminded to refer to their designated catalog for information relating to University, College, and/or School requirements for curriculum, graduation, probation/suspension, and other general information.

SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION ADMISSION:

Students who meet the requirements outlined below, will be admitted in full-major status. Students who fail to meet the requirements will not be admitted to the major.

- A letter grade of a C or higher in the following courses or their equivalents: ENG 1310, ENG 1320, COMM 1310, and MC 1301.
- An overall GPA of at least a 2.50 on a 4.00 scale.
- A passing score on the school's grammar, spelling, and punctuation (GSP) test.
- Students who have not met the university's computer literacy requirement will need to complete CS 1308 or its equivalent with a letter grade of "C" or higher.

For more information, contact:

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