



ANCILLA COLLEGE

MASS COMMUNICATION

ASSOCIATE OF ARTS

Why should I consider an associate degree in Communication?

Ancilla College offers an Associate Degree with a concentration in Communication. This degree is intended to prepare students who wish to pursue a career in the dynamic fields of Public Relations, Journalism, Broadcasting, and/or Communication in general. It also prepares them for advanced courses at a four-year institution.

What are the requirements for the Communication associate degree?

Suggested Schedule of Classes:

(Concentration requirements in bold, blue type)

<u>First Semester</u>		Credits	<u>Third Semester</u>		Credits
ENGL 110	Writing I	3	MATH 110	College Algebra	3
HUM 101	Freshman Seminar	1	ENGL/JOUR 150	Journalism I -OR-	
COMM 115	Public Speaking	3	COMM 119	Basic Video Production***	3
COMM 100	Intro. to Mass Communication	3	COMM/HIST 240	Cinema History*	3
CS 135	Computer Literacy	3	ENGL 220	World Literature I -OR-	3
Economics, History, Political Science, Psychology or Sociology Course*		3	ENGL 222	American Literature I	
			Religion or Philosophy Course**		3
<u>Second Semester</u>			<u>Fourth Semester</u>		
ENGL 212	Writing II	3	ENGL 221	World Literature II -OR-	3
COMM 215	Interpersonal Communication -OR-		ENGL 223	American Literature II	
COMM 118	Basic Audio Production***	3	ENGL/JOUR 250	Journalism II -OR-	
Science Course		5	COMM 227	Broadcast Announcing***	3
Humanities/Fine Arts Course		3	COMM 275	Communication Internship	3
Economics, History, Political Science, Psychology or Sociology Course*		3	XXX xxx	Choice of Course**	3
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* At least three areas must be represented. COMM/HIST 240 is a required general elective course.

** Choice of course from opposite Communication track -OR- choice of course from a St. Joseph's College minor program. Consult your advisor for St. Joseph's course options.

*** COMM 215, ENGL/JOUR 150, ENGL/JOUR 250 are requirements for the degree with a specialization in Print. COMM 118, COMM 119, COMM 227 are requirements for the degree with a specialization in Broadcasting.

Concentration Total:	18 credit hours
General Education Requirements:	44 credit hours
ASSOCIATE DEGREE TOTAL:	62 credit hours

"Communication is more extraordinary than happiness but more fragile than beauty."

— Emmanuel Mounier

What can I do with a Communication associate degree?

The Communication program at Ancilla College prepares students for careers in Journalism (radio, newspaper and television), Public Relations, Corporate Communication, Public Speaking, as well as certain sectors of Advertising. The program will also prepare you to transfer to a four-year institution to further your studies.