

BA Communication Teaching Major – Communication Studies Emphasis – Graduation MAP



WEBER STATE UNIVERSITY

This is a suggested plan. Meet with an academic advisor to create a specific plan that best fits your academic needs. Remember, taking an average of 15 credit hours per semester facilitates timely graduation.

Catalog Year 2022-2023

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course	Credit Hour	Semester Offered	Milestones & Notes
<b>Freshman (Semester 1)</b>				
	COMM HU 1020 – Principles of Public Speaking	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete Communication lower division core courses w/C or better</li> <li>Complete ENGL 1010/1005, CHF SS/DV 1500 and LIBS 1704 courses w/C or better</li> <li>Meet with major faculty advisor</li> <li>Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul> *Pre-requisite courses may be required
	COMM 1130 – Media Writing	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM HU 2110 – Interpersonal & Small Group Communication	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	CHF 1500 SS/DV Human Development (required support course for Secondary Education Program)	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	ENGL 1010 Introduction to College Writing* or ENGL 1005 College Reading & Introductory Writing*	3-6	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15-18</b>		
<b>Freshman (Semester 2)</b>				
	ENGL 2010 Intermediate College Writing or ENGL 2015 Intermediate College Writing & Research	3 - 4	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete ENGL 2010/2015, MATH 1030/1035 and COMM courses with grades of C or better</li> <li>Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul> *Pre-requisite courses may be required
	MATH QL 1030 Contemporary Mathematics* or Math QL1035 Contemporary Mathematics w/Prereq Topics*	3 - 6	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 1500 – Introduction to Mass Communication	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	LIBS 1704 - Information Literacy (not required if taking ENGL 2015)	1	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Creative Arts CA	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	Life Science course LS	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>16-19</b>		
<b>Freshman (Optional)</b>				
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
<b>Sophomore (Semester 3)</b>				
	Physical Science PS course	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Overall GPA of 2.0 or higher</li> <li>Complete American Institutions and COMM courses with grades of C or better</li> <li>Meet with major faculty advisor</li> <li>Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	Humanities HU or Creative Arts CA *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	American Institution (AI) (ECON 1740 , HIST 1600, HIST 1610, HIST 1620, HIST 1700 or POLS 1100)	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM HU 2010 Mass Media & Society	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2270 Argumentation & Debate	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Sophomore (Semester 4)</b>				
	Life Science LS or Physical Science PS *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete COMM and support courses for Teacher Ed. with grades of C or better</li> <li>Complete Gen Ed requirements</li> <li>Complete Associate of Science in Communication</li> <li>Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	Social Science SS *do not duplicate departments	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	COMM 2250 Essentials of Digital Media OR COMM ELECTIVE	3	Fa, Sp	
	COMM 3000 Communication Theory	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	EDUC 1010 Exploring Teaching (required support course for Secondary Education Program)	3	Fa, Sp, Su	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Sophomore (Optional)</b>				
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
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<b>Junior (Semester 5)</b>				
	COMM 3650 Communication Law	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Complete COMM and minor courses with grades of C or better</li> <li>Meet with major faculty advisor</li> </ul>
	COMM 3080 Intercultural Communication OR MAJOR ELECTIVE	3	Fa	
	COMM 3820 Persuasive Communication	3	Fa	
	COMM 3060 Listening & Interviewing	3	Fa	
	Teaching Minor Course	3		

	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Junior (Semester 6)</b>				
	<b>COMM 3100 Small Group Facilitation &amp; Leadership OR MAJOR ELECTIVE</b>	3	Sp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM and minor courses with grades of C or better.</li> <li>• <b>Meet with secondary education advisor in College of Education for application information</b></li> <li>• Meet minimum GPA required for teacher education application</li> </ul>
	<b>COMM 3150 Communication Research Methods</b>	3	Fa, Sp	
	<b>COMM 3120 Advanced Public Speaking</b>	3	Sp	
	<b>COMM 3550 –Organizational Communication OR MAJOR Elective</b>	3	Fa, Sp	
	Teaching Minor Course	3		
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Junior (Optional)</b>				
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>			
<b>Senior (Semester 7)</b>				
	<b>COMM 4150 Rhetorical Theory &amp; Criticism</b>	3	Fa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM, Foreign Language and minor courses with grades of C or better.</li> <li>• <b>Apply to Secondary Education program</b></li> <li>• Meet with major faculty advisor</li> <li>• Meet with college academic advisor</li> </ul>
	Teaching Minor Course	3		
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	Foreign Language Course	3	*Depends on Language	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Senior (Semester 8)</b>				
	<b>COMM 4990 Senior Seminar</b>	3	Fa, Sp, Su	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete COMM, Foreign Language and minor courses with grades of C or better.</li> <li>• Apply to Secondary Education program</li> <li>• Meet with major faculty advisor</li> </ul>
	<b>COMM 4850 Teaching Speech &amp; Directing Speech Activities in the Secondary School</b>	3	Sp – Check w/Communication Dept	
	Teaching Minor Course	3		
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	Foreign Language Course	3	*Depends on Language	
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Senior (Semester 9) Secondary Teacher Education Core Block (Procure) – Must be admitted to the Teacher Education Program prior to taking. <a href="https://weber.edu/teched">https://weber.edu/teched</a></b>				
	Professional Education Block 1	12	Fa, Sp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete Professional Education Block 1 with grades of B- or better</li> <li>• Complete Minor course with grade of C or better</li> </ul>
	Teaching Minor Course	3		
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>15</b>		
<b>Senior (Semester 10)</b>				
	Professional Education Block 2	12	Fa, Sp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Complete Professional Education Block 2 with grades of B- or better</li> <li>• Complete bachelor's degree in Communication Teaching with an emphasis in Communication Studies</li> <li>• Apply for graduation</li> </ul>
	<b>Total Semester Credits</b>	<b>12</b>		
	<b>Total Bachelor Credits</b>	<b>148-155</b>	<b>40+ UD Hours</b>	

Gen Ed Breadth Requirements (do not duplicate departments)

<input type="checkbox"/> HU COMM 1020	<input type="checkbox"/> CA	<input type="checkbox"/> HU or CA
<input type="checkbox"/> SS CHF 1500	<input type="checkbox"/> SS	
<input type="checkbox"/> PS	<input type="checkbox"/> LS	<input type="checkbox"/> PS or LS
<input type="checkbox"/> DV (CHF 1500)		

**Notes: BA degree type requirements: Option 1 – complete 4 semesters of a foreign language (up to 2020) – or – Option 2 – complete 2 semesters of foreign language and 2 language arts courses (language arts courses completed with major required courses.) This plan assumes Option 2**

**\*\*English and Math Course Placement Levels can be found on your admissions letter or in your CatTracks located in your eWeber portal.**

<p><b>English Course Placement</b>  <b>Level 0</b> = English Accuplacer placement testing required  <b>Level 1</b> = ENGL 0900  <b>Level 2</b> = ENGL 0955 or ENGL 1005  <b>Level 3</b> = ENGL 1010  <b>Level 4</b> – ENGL 2010 or ENGL 2015  *grades of C or better required in all courses</p>	<p><b>Math Course Placement</b>  <b>Level 1</b> = Math 0950  <b>Level 2 or 3</b> = Math 0970 or MATH QL1035 (recommended)  <b>Level 4</b> = Math QL1030 (recommended) or MATH QL1040 or MATH QL 1120  <b>Level 5</b> = Math QL1050, Math QL1080 or Math QL 1090  *grades of C or better required in all courses</p>
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**Avoid misadvisement!** Consult your academic advisor ([weber.edu/advisors](https://weber.edu/advisors)), the WSU Catalog ([weber.edu/catalog](https://weber.edu/catalog)), and your CatTracks degree evaluation (log in to your eWeber Student Portal).

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