



**AA in Communication and Media Technology**  
**Bachelor of Science in Communication Studies –**  
**Journalism and Broadcasting Concentration<sup>T</sup>**



**Guided Pathway**  
 Effective for the 2019-2020 Catalog

**First Year – Central Texas College**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
◦ ENGL 1301 Composition I	◦ SPCH 1315, 1318, or 1321
◦ HIST 1301 United States History I	◦ HIST 1302 United States History II
COMM 1335 Introduction to Electronic Media	◦ Component Area
COMM 2303 Audio Production	COMM 1337 Video Production II
COMM 1336 Video Production I	COMM 2332 Radio/Television News

Total Semester Hours: 15

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**Second Year – Central Texas College**

It's best to apply to Tarleton State University a full semester before you plan to transfer.

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
◦ GOVT 2305 Federal Government	◦ GOVT 2306 Texas Government
◦ MATH 1332, 1342 or 1314	◦ Life and Physical Science Selection (4 credits)
◦ Life and Physical Science Selection (4 credits)	◦ Social/Behavioral Science Selection
◦ Creative Arts Selection	COMM 2331 Radio Television Announcing
◦ Language/Philosophy/Culture Studies	

Total Semester Hours: 16

Total Semester Hours: 13

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You will need to apply for the associate's degree at your community college. Contact your advisor there for more information.

**These courses may be completed at CTC (if offered) or TSU**

◦ ENGL 1302 – Composition II	COMM 1307 – Introduction to Mass Communication
COMM 2311 – News Gathering & Writing I	COMM 1316 – News Photography I

Total Semester Hours: 12

**Third Year – Tarleton State University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
ENGL 3309 – Technical Writing and Document Design	ENGL 3310 – Technical Writing and Editing
COMM 3311 – Writing for Publication	COMM 3310 – Communication Law
Elective Course	COMM 3318 – News and Magazine Editing
Advanced Elective Course	Elective Course
PHIL 3301 – Ethics in the Professions	Advanced Elective Course

Total Semester Hours: 15

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**Fourth Year – Tarleton State University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
COMM 4312 – Rhetorical & Communication Theory	COMM 4309 – Advanced Reporting
ENGL 3312 – Graphics and Technical Writing	ENGL 4312 – Technical Writing and Computer Applications
COMM 3308 – Digital Video Production	ENGL 4320 – Writing for Electronic Mediums
COMM 2333 – Broadcast Journalism	Advanced Elective Course

Total Semester Hours: 12

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**This is not an official degree plan. Check with an advisor; degree plans may change in later catalogs.**

Part-time students may also follow this sequence. Developmental coursework may be required.

\* You may take a different course to meet this requirement. A specific list is available from your advisor.

◦ This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas.

() Course numbers shown in parentheses are equivalent to these courses at Tarleton State University.

<sup>T</sup> Degree availability varies by campus; consult [www.tarleton.edu](http://www.tarleton.edu) for more information.

*For questions about the university portion of this pathway,  
 contact the Communication Studies department at 254-968-9149.*