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**Associate of Arts to  
Bachelor of Science in Communication Studies  
Sports Communication Concentration<sup>T</sup>  
Guided Pathway  
Effective for the 2019-2020 catalog<sup>1</sup>**



**First Year – Brookhaven, Cedar Valley, Eastfield, El Centro, Mountain View, North Lake, and Richland College<sup>2</sup>**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>C</sup> ENGL 1301 – Composition I (010)	<sup>C</sup> ENGL 1302 – Composition II (010)
<sup>C</sup> HIST 1301 – United States History I (060)	<sup>C</sup> HIST 1302 – United States History II* (060)
<sup>C</sup> MATH 1342 – Elementary Statistical Methods* (020)	<b>CHOOSE TWO:</b> <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1311 – Introduction to Speech Communication+ (090) SPCH 1318 – Interpersonal Communication <u>OR</u> SPCH 2333 – Discussion and Small Group Communication
EDUC 1300 – Learning Framework <sup>@</sup>	<sup>C</sup> PHED 1164 – Introduction to Physical Fitness and Wellness (090)
<sup>C</sup> SPCH 1311 – Introduction to Speech Communication (090) <u>OR</u> <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1315 – Public Speaking (090) <u>OR</u> <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1321 – Business and Professional Communication (090)	<sup>C</sup> PSYC 2301 – General Psychology (080)

**Total Semester Hours: 15**

**Total Semester Hours: 16**

**Second Year – Brookhaven, Cedar Valley, Eastfield, El Centro, Mountain View, North Lake, and Richland College**

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

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
<sup>C</sup> BIOL 1408 Biology for Non-Science Majors I* (030)	<sup>C</sup> BIOL 1409 Biology for Non-Science Majors II* (030)
<sup>C</sup> GOVT 2305 – Federal Government (070)	<sup>C</sup> GOVT 2306 – Texas Government (070)
<b>CHOOSE ONE:</b> <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1311 – Introduction to Speech Communication+ (090) SPCH 1318 – Interpersonal Communication <u>OR</u> SPCH 2333 – Discussion and Small Group Communication	<b>CHOOSE TWO:</b> <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1315 – Public Speaking++ (090) <sup>C</sup> SPCH 1321 – Business and Professional Communication++ (090) SPCH 1342 – Voice and Diction SPCH 2335 – Argumentation and Debate SPCH 2341 – Oral Interpretation
<sup>C</sup> PHIL 1301 Introduction to Philosophy* (040)	
<sup>C</sup> HUMA 1315 Fine Arts Appreciation* (050)	

**Total Semester Hours: 16**

**Total Semester Hours: 13**

**Associate of Arts (60 hours)**

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 DCCCD or TSU**

COMM 1307 – Introduction to Mass Communication	COMM 1316 – News Photography I
COMM 2311 – News Gathering & Writing I	Elective Course

**Total Semester Hours: 12**

**Third Year – Tarleton State University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
PHIL 3301 – Ethics in the Professions	COMM 3320 – Public Relations
ENGL 3309 – Technical Writing and Document Design	COMM 3310 – Communication Law (Spring Only)
COMM 2308 – Broadcast Production	Advanced KINE Elective Course
COMM 2333 – Broadcast Journalism	COMM 4309 – Advanced Reporting (Spring Only)
COMM 3308 – Digital Video Production	

**Total Semester Hours: 15**

**Total Semester Hours: 12**

**Fourth Year – Tarleton State University**

FIRST SEMESTER	SECOND SEMESTER
Writing Intensive Course	COMM 4310 – Computer-Mediated Communication (Spring Only)
Advanced KINE Elective Course	KINE 4682 – Internship in Kinesiology
Advanced COMM Elective Course	Advanced Elective Course
Advanced KINE Elective Course	

**Total Semester Hours: 12**

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**Total Degree Hours: 123**

**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.

<sup>1</sup> You may use this pathway if you entered one of the seven colleges on or before this date.

<sup>2</sup> Students must earn at least 25% of the credit hours (15 hours) required for graduation through instruction by one of the seven colleges of the DCCCD awarding the degree.

<sup>C</sup> This course counts for the Core Curriculum at any public college or university in Texas.

\* There are several options to fulfill this requirement. See your academic advisor for a specific list.

See your academic advisor for assistance with course selection as elective courses should be selected according to the university you intend to transfer to.

<sup>@</sup> All college students with fewer than 12 credit hours of successful college credit (grade of "C" or above) must take a student success course in the first semester.

+ Select TWO courses from: SPCH 1311, 1318, 2333. If you selected SPCH 1311 for your Core course, then you must select two other courses from this list.

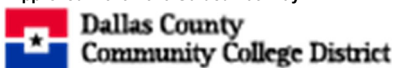
++ Select TWO courses from: SPCH 1315, 1321, 1342, 2335, 2341. If you selected SPCH 1315 or 1321 for your Core course, then you must select two other courses from this list.

You must earn a grade of "C" or better in English 1301 and the selected college-level mathematics course and receive a GPA of at least 2.00 on all college-level course work.

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

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

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