

JOURNALISM (PRINT JOURNALISM CONCENTRATION), BACHELOR OF ARTS

The University Core Curriculum is the same across all undergraduate bachelor's programs. Please consult the academic advisor for your designated major before selecting courses in this area.

Summary

Code	Title	Hours
	General Education Core Curriculum (p. 1)	42
	Major Requirements (p. 1)	40
	Electives (p. 1)	2
	Concentration (p.)	15
	Minor (p. 2)	21
	Total Hours	120

General Education Core Curriculum (Standard)¹

Code	Title	Hours
Communication		
ENGL 1301	Freshman English I	3
ENGL 1302	Freshman English II	3
Mathematics		
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
Life and Physical Sciences		
BIOL 1308	Survey of Life Science	3
GEOL 1303	Introduction To The Earth	3
Language, Philosophy, and Culture		
ENG 2XX ³		3
Creative Arts		
Select one of the following:		3
MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation	
MUSI 1315	Fine Arts In Daily Living	
THEA 1310	Introduction to Theatre	
ARTS 1315	Intro African Art	
American History		
HIST 1301	Soc & Pol Hist US to 1877	3
HIST 1302	Soc & Pol Hist US Since 1877	3
Government/Political Science		
POLS 2305	American Government	3
POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
Social and Behavioral Sciences		
Select one of the following:		3
PSYC 2301	General Psychology	3
SOCI 1301	Introduction To Sociology	3
SOCI 1306	Contemporary Social Issues	3
Institutional Options		

COMM 1321	Business & Professional Comm or COMM 1315 Public Address	3
COSC 1301	Intro To Compr Science I	3
Total Hours		51

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Students should be advised by a major advisor prior to registering for any credit, particularly any core curriculum credit as listed.

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(N) represents the number of course credits.

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ENGL 2332 World Literature I, ENGL 2333 World Literature II, ENGL 2326 American Literature, or ENGL 2328 African-American Literature

Major (Journalism)

Code	Title	Hours
COMM 110	Speech Proficiency Lab	1
COMM 130	Introduction to Communication Studies	3
COMM 200	Intro to Media Research Tech	3
COMM 330	PROFFESS DEVELOPMENT & ETHIC	3
COMM 332	Computer Applications in Communication	3
COMM 430	Experiential Learning	3
JOUR 132	Intro To Reporting	4
JOUR 235	Online Journalism	3
JOUR 238	Intermediate Reporting	4
JOUR 253	News Editing I	3
JOUR 331	Law & Ethics Of Journalism	3
JOUR 332	Advanced Reporting	4
JOUR 335	Computer Assisted Reporting	3
Total Hours		40

concentration

Code	Title	Hours
JOUR 130	Intro To Journalism	3
JOUR 435	Multimedia Graphic Designs	3
Select 9 hours of JOUR electives 3xx or 4 xx		9
Total Hours		15

ELECTIVES

Code	Title	Hours
FS 102	Freshman Seminar/ first Year Experience ¹	1
Elective		1
Total Hours		2

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Transfer students can substitute FS 102 with any course to complete the total credit hours required for graduation by their degree plan.

Minor Requirements

Code	Title	Hours
Minor required. Contact Department of choice after being admitted as a major in the department.		21

Total Hours 21

Course	Title	Hours
First Year		
First Semester		
ENGL 1301	Freshman English I	3
MATH 1314	College Algebra	3
BIOL 1308	Survey of Life Science	3
FS 102	Freshman Seminar/ first Year Experience	1
COMM 1321 or COMM 1315	Business & Professional Comm or Public Address	3
JOUR 130	Intro To Journalism	3
Hours		16

Second Semester		
ENGL 1302	Freshman English II	3
ARTS 1315 or ARTS 1301 or THEA 1310	Intro African Art or Topics in Contemp Art & Cultur or Introduction to Theatre	3
GEOL 1303	Introduction To The Earth	3
PSYC 2301 or SOCI 1301 or SOCI 1306	General Psychology or Introduction To Sociology or Contemporary Social Issues	3
COMM 110	Speech Proficiency Lab	1
COMM 130	Introduction to Communication Studies	3
Hours		16

Second Year		
Third Semester		
POLS 2305	American Government	3
HIST 1301	Soc & Pol Hist US to 1877	3
ENGL 2332 or ENGL 2333 or ENGL 2326 or ENGL 2328	World Literature I or World Literature II or American Literature or African-American Literature	3
JOUR 132	Intro To Reporting	4
COMM 200	Intro to Media Research Tech	3
Hours		16

Fourth Semester		
POLS 2306	Texas Government	3
HIST 1302	Soc & Pol Hist US Since 1877	3
COSC 1301	Intro To Compr Science I	3
JOUR 235	Online Journalism	3
JOUR 238	Intermediate Reporting	4
Hours		16

Third Year		
Fifth Semester		
JOUR 253	News Editing I	3
COMM 332	Computer Applications in Communication	3
JOUR 331	Law & Ethics Of Journalism	3

Minor		6
Hours		15
Sixth Semester		
JOUR 335	Computer Assisted Reporting	3
Journalism Elective		3
COMM 330	PROFFESS DEVELOPMENT & ETHIC	3
Journalism Elective		3
Minor		3
Hours		15
Fourth Year		
Seventh Semester		
COMM 430	Experiential Learning	3
Journalism Elective		3
JOUR 332	Advanced Reporting	4
JOUR 435	Multimedia Graphic Designs	3
Hours		13
Eighth Semester		
Minor		12
Elective		1
Hours		13
Total Hours		120