

2025-2026 MCC Prospective Degree Guide - BA Communication Studies at Texas Tech University Online
100% Online Traditional Program

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MCC Course	SCH	TTU Equivalent	Course Specific Notes:	Requirement
Communications	6			
ENGL 1301	3	ENGL 1301	Program Requirement	Core 010N
ENGL 1302	3	ENGL 1302	Program Requirement	Core 010N
Math (Choose one course below)	3			
MATH 1314	3	MATH 1320		Core 020N
MATH 1316	3	MATH 1321		Core 020N
MATH 1324	3	MATH 1330		Core 020N
MATH 1325	3	MATH 1331		Core 020N
MATH 1332	3	MATH 1300		Core 020N
MATH 1342	3	MATH 2300		Core 020N
MATH 2412	4	MATH 1350		Core 020N
MATH 2413	4	MATH 1451		Core 020N

Notes: Confirm your areas of study with your TTU advisor before selecting a math class. Graduate programs and pre-professional health career may require specific math prerequisites coursework.

Life & Physical Science	8			
Choose Two From the Following:				
BIOL 1406	4	BIOL 1403		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 1407	4	BIOL 1404		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 1408	4	BIOL CORE		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 1409	4	BIOL CORE		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 1411	4	BIOL 1401		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 1413	4	BIOL 1402		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 2401	4	ZOOL 2403		Core 030N + Lab
BIOL 2402	4	ZOOL 2403		Core 030N + Lab
CHEM 1405	4	CHEM 1305 (lecture) and 1105 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab
CHEM 1407	4	CHEM 1306 (lecture) and 1106 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab

CHEM 1411	4	CHEM 1307 (lecture) and 1107 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab
CHEM 1412	4	CHEM 1308 (lecture) and 1108 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab
ENVR 1401	4	BIOL 1305 (lecture) and BIOL 1113 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab
GEOL 1403	4	GEOL 1303 (lecture) and GEOL 1101 (lab)		Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 1401	4	PHYS 1403		Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 1402	4	PHYS 1402		Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 1404	4	ASTR 1400		Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 1405	4	PHYS 1401	Designated for non-science majors	Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 2425	4	PHYS 1408	Designated for non-science majors	Core 030N + Lab
PHYS 2426	4	PHYS 2401	Designated for non-science majors	Core 030N + Lab
Language, Philosophy, and Culture	3			
Choose One From the Following:				
ENGL 2321	3	ENGL -LIT		Core 040N
ENGL 2322	3	ENGL 2323		Core 040N
ENGL 2323	3	ENGL 2324		Core 040N
ENGL 2326	3	ENGL-LIT		Core 040N
ENGL 2327	3	ENGL 2325		Core 040N
ENGL 2328	3	ENGL 2326		Core 040N
ENGL 2331	3	ENGL -LIT		Core 040N
ENGL 2332	3	ENGL 2321		Core 040N
ENGL 2333	3	ENGL 2322		Core 040N
ENGL 2341	3	ENGL-LIT		Core 040N
HUMA 1301	3	HUMA 2301		Core 040N
HUMA 1302	3	HUMA 2302		Core 040N
PHIL 1301	3	PHIL 2300		Core 040N
PHIL 2306	3	PHIL 2320		Core 040N
SGNL 2301	3	ASL 2301		Core 040N
Creative Arts	3			
Choose One From the Following:				
ARTS 1301	3	ART 1309		Core 050N
ARTS 1303	3	ARTH 1301		Core 050N
ARTS 1304	3	ARTH 2301		Core 050N
DRAM 1310	3	THA 2303		Core 050N

MUSI 1306	3	MUHL 1308		Core 050N
History	6			
HIST 1301	3	HIST 2300		Core 060N
HIST 1302	3	HIST 2301		Core 060N
Political Science	6			
GOVT 2305	3	POLS 1301		Core 070N
GOVT 2306	3	POLS 2306		Core 070N
Social and Behavioral Science	3			
<i>Choose One From the Following:</i>				
ECON 2301	3	ECON 2302		Core 080N
ECON 2302	3	ECON 2301		Core 080N
PSYC 2301	3	PSY 1300		Core 080N
SOCI 1301	3	SOC 1301		Core 080N
SOCI 1306	3	SOC 1320		
Component Area Options	6			
<i>Choose Two From the Following:</i>				
SPCH 1315	3	COMS 2300		Core 090C
COMM 1307	3	MCOM 1300	Program Requirement	Core 090C
Foreign Language #	8			
SPAN 1411	4	SPAN 1501		Program req.
SPAN 1412	4	SPAN 1502		Program req.
<i>Notes: Students who have completed two years of a single foreign language in high school are exempt from university foreign language requirement under this degree program</i>				
<i>For Fulfilling AA/AS: (see TTU advisor for additional options; major, minor, electives)</i>				
Additional COMS requirements	9			
SPCH 1311	3	COMS 1300		
SPCH 1318	3	COMS 1301		Core 080N
SPCH 1321	3	COMS 2358		Core 090C
Semester Credit Hours Transferred	61			
<i>* TTU cannot give junior-level credit for sophomore-level courses. # Additional F. Lang selections are FREN or SGNL, but all courses must be taken within the same language. 2 years of high school foreign language may fulfill requirement; must be same language</i>				

Texas Tech Major Requirements	SCH	TTU Course	Course Specific Notes:	Requirement
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Foundations of Media & Comm.	Core	MCOM 1300	fulfilled by MCC COMM 1307	Program req.
Intro to Digital & Social Media	3	MCOM 1301		Program req.
Communicating in a Global Society	3	MCOM 2350		Program req.
Fundamentals of Communication	3	COMS 1310		Program req.
Public Speaking	Core	COMS 2300	fulfilled by MCC SPCH 1315	Program req.
Communication Theory/Rhetoric	3	COMS 3301 OR 3310		Program req.
Communication Research	3	COMS 3302		Program req.
Required Electives	21	See TTU Advisor	ELECTIVE TOPICS: Persuasion, Nonverbal Communication, Gender and Communication, Argumentation and Debate, Leadership and Communication, Communication in Organizations, etc.	Program req.
Optional Minor or Free Electives	23			
Semester Credit Hours Applicable	59			
<i>Notes: lower-level electives or a minor may be used to fulfill minimum hour requirements at TTU.</i>				

Minimum Total Degree Hours	120			
<i>Notes: Any additional hours needed to reach the 120 hour requirement may be used as free electives or toward minor/double major/certificate.</i>				