



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences to
Bachelor of Arts
Communication Studies



National Park College
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences
General Education Requirements (35 Credit Hours)

English/Communication (9 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1113	English Composition I	ENGL 1003		3	
ENG	1123	English Composition II	ENGL 1013		3	
SPCH	1103	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	COMS 1203		3	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1123	College Algebra	MATH 1023		3	
MATH	1213	Math Reasoning	MATH 1043			
STAT	2113	Introduction to Statistics	STAT 2003			

Fine Arts and Humanities (6 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	1593	Art Appreciation	ART 2503		3	
MUS	1213	Music Appreciation	MUS 2503			
ENG	2273	World Literature I	ENGL 2003		3	
ENG	2283	World Literature II	ENGL 2013			

History/Government (6 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2253	World Civilization To 1500	HIST 1013		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization Since 1500	HIST 1023			
HIST	2223	United States History To 1865	HIST 2763		3	
HIST	2233	United States History Since 1865	HIST 2773			
POLS	1113	American National Government	POSC 2103			

Social Sciences (3 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ANTH	1113	General Anthropology	ANTH 2233		3	
ECON	2203	Macroeconomics	ECON 2313			
GEOG	1103	Introduction to Geography	GEOG 2613			
PSYC	1103	General Psychology	PSY 2013			
SOC	1103	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 2213			

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1024	Biology for Non-Majors	BIOL 1003/1001		4	
BIOL	1114	Biology for Majors	BIOL 1003/1001			
BIOL	2224	Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 2203/2201			
CHEM	1104	Chemistry for Non-Majors	CHEM 1043/1041		4	
CHEM	1204	Chemistry I for Majors	CHEM 1013/1011			
PHYS	1114	Physical Science	PHSC 1203/1201			
PHYS	1124	Astronomy	PHYS 1103/1101			



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Directed Electives (25 Credit Hours)

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ANTH	1113	<i>Select three:</i> General Anthropology	ANTH 2233		9	
ECON	2203	Macroeconomics	ECON 2313			
GEOG	1103	Introduction to Geography	GEOG 2613			
PSYC	1103	General Psychology	PSY 2013			
SOC	1103	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 2213			
ECON	2213	Microeconomics	ECON 2323		3	
PHIL	1123	Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL 1103		3	
SOC	2203	Social Problems	SOC 2223		3	
Foreign Language <i>Select two based on NPC competency and/or prerequisite standards:</i>					6	
FREN	1103	Beginning French I	FR 1013			
FREN	1113	Beginning French II	FR 1023			
FREN	2203	Intermediate French I	FR 2013			
SPAN	1103	Beginning Spanish I	SPAN 1013			
SPAN	1113	Beginning Spanish II	SPAN 1023			
SPAN	2113	Intermediate Spanish I	SPAN 2013			
SPAN	2123	Intermediate Spanish II	SPAN 2023			
PE	XXX1	Any 1-hr PE course			1	

NPC Required Courses (1 Credit Hour)

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ORT	1000	Student LMS Training	N/A		0	
ORT	1100	NPC Orientation	N/A		0	

Total NPC Credit Hours: 60



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Required Courses (60 credit hours)

ASU-Jonesboro Courses

			Semester	Hours	Grade
MDIA	1003	General Education Requirement Mass Media in Modern Society		3	
COMS	2243	Major Requirements <i>Due to rotation, all courses may not be available every term</i> Principles of Argumentation		15	
COMS	2313	Communication Theory			
COMS	2373	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication			
COMS	3363	Communication Research Methods <i>or</i>			
COMS	3433	Communication Criticism			
COMS	4533	Communication Studies Capstone			
STCM	3023	Communication Studies Electives <i>18 of the 21 required hours must be upper-level courses</i> Principles of Advertising		21	
COMS	2253	Introduction to Health Communication			
COMS	3203	Business and Professional Communication			
COMS	3243	Principles of Persuasion			
COMS	3253	Principles of Listening			
COMS	3263	Humor, Communication and Political Discourse			
COMS	3363	Communication Research Methods (if not taken to satisfy core above)			
COMS	3373	Gender Communication			
COMS	3433	Communication Criticism (if not taken to satisfy core above)			
COMS	4203	Small Group Communication			
COMS	4243	Interpersonal Communication			
COMS	4253	Intercultural Communication			
COMS	4263	Organizational Communication			
COMS	431V	Special Problems			
COMS	4323	Communication in Personal Relationships			
COMS	4373	Conflict Resolution			
COMS	4383	Computer Mediated Communication			
COMS	4403	Health Communication			
COMS	4423	Narratives in Health and Healing			
COMS	4433	Health Communication Campaigns			
COMS	4503	Internship in Communication Studies			
STCM	3003	Principles of Public Relations			
STCM	4603	Crisis Communication			
		Electives Must include the appropriate number of upper-level (3000/4000) course selections to satisfy the 40-hour university minimum requirement.		21	

Total ASU Credit Hours: 60

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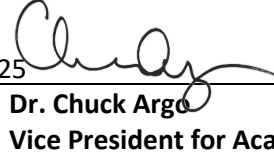


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