

Communications (Speech)

Area of Concentration within the A.A. in Arts & Humanities

Frederick Community College Pathway

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Catalog Year 2018-2019

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Part-time student: Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301.846.2471 (301.846.2625 TDD) for advising.

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or Math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. A minimum of nine credits must be taken at the 200 level. Refer to the college catalog for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes. <http://www.frederick.edu/class-schedules.aspx#catalog>

Students are strongly recommended to consult an FCC advisor to select elective courses. Students planning to transfer may also reference ARTSYS, the Maryland Articulation System, www.artsys.usmd.edu.



Take this course within the first 24 credits.



Milestone course – take within recommend credit range to stay on track for completion.



This course is offered in the fall semester only.



This course is offered in the spring semester only.

1 Recommended First Semester

1	Gen Ed CORE	EN 101 English Composition		3 credits
2	Gen Ed CORE	Mathematics Gen Ed		3/4 credits
3	Concentration	CMSP 103 Speech Fundamentals		3 credits
4	Gen Ed CORE	Humanities Gen Ed		3 credits
5	Gen Ed CORE	Communications Gen Ed		3 credits

2 Recommended Second Semester

6	Concentration	CMSP 101 Introduction to Communication Studies		3 credits
7	Gen Ed CORE	Biological & Physical Sciences Gen Ed with a lab		4 credits
8	Gen Ed CORE	Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed		3 credits
9	Gen Ed CORE	Art Gen Ed		3 credits
10	Concentration	Choose an elective in consultation with an advisor		3 credits

3 Recommended Third Semester

11	Concentration	CMSP 105 Small Group Communication		3 credits
12	Gen Ed CORE	Biological & Physical Sciences Gen Ed		3/4 credits
13	Gen Ed CORE	Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed in a different discipline from the first		3 credits
14	Concentration	Choose an elective in consultation with an advisor		3 credits
15	Concentration	Choose a course from Art, Digital Media, English, Music, Philosophy, Theater, or World Languages		3 credits

4 Recommended Fourth Semester

16	Concentration	CMSP 201 Foundations of Communication Theory		3 credits
17	Gen Ed CORE	General Education Elective		3 credits
18	PE/Health	PE/Health Requirement		1/3 credits
19	Concentration	Choose an elective in consultation with an advisor		3 credits
20	Concentration	Choose an elective in consultation with an advisor (credits may vary; to fulfill 60 credits for degree)		4 credits

The course rotation lists FCC's planned offerings by semester, as well as the format in which the course is available (day, evening, and/or online). This is an advising tool to help students anticipate when and how classes are offered. Please reference this document alongside the program pathway, and in consultation with a faculty or staff advisor. Be aware that while FCC will adhere to the rotation as closely as possible, the college cannot guarantee that all classes will be offered in the predicted times and formats. The schedule of courses in a given semester supersedes the rotation in the event of discrepancies.

Course #	Course Name	Summer 2018	Fall 2018	Jan Session 2019	Spring 2019	Summer 2019	Fall 2019	Jan Session 2020	Spring 2020
CMSP 101	Introduction to Communications Studies		☀️ 🌙		☀️ 🌙		☀️ 🌙		☀️ 🌙
CMSP 103	Speech Fundamentals	☀️ 🌙	☀️ 🌙 🖱️	☀️ 🌙 🖱️	☀️ 🌙 🖱️	☀️ 🌙	☀️ 🌙 🖱️	☀️ 🌙 🖱️	☀️ 🌙 🖱️
CMSP 105	Small Group Communication	☀️ 🌙	☀️ 🌙	☀️	☀️ 🌙	☀️ 🌙	☀️ 🌙	☀️	☀️ 🌙
CMSP 107	Career Communication	🌙	☀️ 🖱️		☀️ 🌙 🖱️	🌙	☀️ 🖱️		☀️ 🌙 🖱️
CMSP 109	Basic Conflict Communication		☀️				☀️		
CMSP 201	Foundations of Communication Theory				☀️				☀️