

## Associate in Arts Years 1 and 2 at Metropolitan Community College

General Education Requirements		Credits	
<b>American Institutions</b>			
HIST 120	American History I <i>or</i>	3	
HIST 121	American History II		
POLS 135	Introduction to Political Science <i>or</i>	3	
POLS 136	Introduction to American National Politics <i>or</i>		
POLS 137	Introduction to State and Local Politics		
<b>Communications</b>			
ENGL 101	Composition and Reading I	3	
ENGL 102	Composition and Reading II	3	
SPDR 100	Fundamentals of Speech <i>or</i>	3	
SPDR 102	Fundamentals of Human Communication		
<b>Mathematics</b>			
MATH 120	College Algebra <i>and</i>	3-6	
MATH 130	Trigonometry		
<i>or</i>			
MATH 150	Precalculus <i>or</i>		
MATH 175	Calculus for Business and Social Science <i>or</i>		
MATH 180	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I		
<b>Humanities</b> (3 courses, 3 areas of study, 1 course must be Lit. or Phil.)			
Art, Music, <i>or</i> Theatre:			
ART 108	Survey of Art <i>or</i>	9-11	
ART 150	History of Art I <i>or</i>		
ART 151	History of Art II <i>or</i>		
MUSI 108	Music Appreciation <i>or</i>		
SPDR 114	Theatre and the Western World		
Literature:			
ENGL 124	Introduction to Literature <i>or</i>		
ENGL 130	Shakespeare <i>or</i>		
ENGL 150	World Literature I <i>or</i>		
ENGL 151	World Literature II <i>or</i>		
ENGL 165	Masterpieces of American Literature <i>or</i>		
ENGL 220	British Literature to 1750 <i>or</i>		
ENGL 221	British Literature 1750 to Present <i>or</i>		
ENGL 222	American Literature to 1860 <i>or</i>		
ENGL 223	American Literature 1860 to Present		
Philosophy:			
PHIL 100	Introduction to Philosophy <i>or</i>		
PHIL 101	Philosophy of Religion <i>or</i>		
PHIL 200	Logic <i>or</i>		
PHIL 201	History of Philosophy I <i>or</i>		
PHIL 203	Ethics		
Foreign Language			
Students who fulfill the Mathematics area by completing MATH 175 <i>or</i> 180 may use Foreign Language as one of their three Humanities courses.			
Foreign Language 101 <i>or</i>			
Foreign Language 102 <i>or</i>			
Foreign Language 203			
<b>Natural Sciences</b> (2 courses, 1 biological and 1 physical)			
BIOL 101	General Biology <i>or</i>	5	
BIOL 104	General Botany <i>or</i>		
BIOL 106	General Zoology		
CHEM 101	Survey of Chemistry <i>or</i>	5	
CHEM 105	Introductory Chemistry for Health Sciences <i>or</i>		
CHEM 107	Preparatory General Chemistry <i>or</i>		
CHEM 111	General College Chemistry I <i>or</i>		
GEOG 110	Meteorology <i>or</i>		
PHYS 101	Introductory Physics <i>or</i>		
PHYS 106	General Astronomy <i>or</i>		
PHYS 130	General Physics I <i>or</i>		
PHYS 131	General Physics II <i>or</i>		
PHYS 220	Engineering Physics I <i>or</i>		
PHYS 221	Engineering Physics II		

Social Sciences (2 courses, 2 areas of study)			
Anthropology:			
ANTH 100	General Anthropology	6	
Economics:			
ECON 110	Introduction to Economics <i>or</i>		
ECON 210	Macroeconomics <i>or</i>		
ECON 211	Principles of Economics II – Microeconomics		
Geography:			
GEOG 105	World Geography <i>or</i>		
GEOG 114	Introduction to Geography		
Political Science:			
POLS 135	Introduction to Political Science		
Psychology:			
PSYC 140	General Psychology		
Sociology:			
SOCI 160	Sociology <i>or</i>		
SOCI 170	General Anthropology		
<b>Total General Education Courses</b>		<b>42</b>	
The 42 hours listed above will comprise MCC's 42 hour general education block.			
CSIS 110	<i>or</i> higher numbered CSIS course	3	
<b>Electives</b> (courses must be numbered 100 or higher) - 13-17 credits			
MSCM 112	Mass Communications	3	
<b>From the following courses, choose courses to total a maximum of 64 credits for the degree.</b>			
If not completed as part of the Humanities requirement, satisfactorily complete the second year of a single foreign language (FL 203), or demonstrate intermediate proficiency as determined by a CLEP examination, or successfully complete a higher level foreign language course.			
Foreign Language 101 – 5 credits			
Foreign Language 102 – 5 credits			
Foreign Language 203 – 5 credits			
SPDR 101	Advanced Speech	3	
SPDR 102	Fundamentals of Human Communication	3	
SPDR 103	Interpersonal Communication	3	
SPDR 110	Argumentation and Debate	3	
SPDR 112	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3	
<b>Total Credits Required</b>		<b>62</b>	
Student must complete a Writing Intensive course AND either a Human Diversity course or Learning Community as part of the General Education Requirements			

## Bachelor of Arts in Communications Years 3 and 4 at Truman State University

General Education	Credits
Interdisciplinary, Writing-Enhanced Junior Seminar (JINS)	3
<b>Bachelor of Arts Requirements</b> – 6-8 hours	
Complete the second year of a single foreign language, <b>or</b> demonstrate intermediate proficiency as determined by a proficiency examination, or successfully complete a higher level foreign language course. Students who completed FL 203 at MCC have fulfilled this requirement.	
<b>Major Requirements</b> – 12-21 hours	
COMM 357 Survey of Rhetoric	3
COMM 382 Communication Theory	3
COMM 424 Communication Ethics	3
Communication Methods of Inquiry course COMM 300 Experimental Methods and Survey Research <b>or</b> COMM 330 Argumentation <b>or</b> COMM 350 Media Criticism <b>or</b> COMM 360 Rhetorical Criticism	3
Communication Major Electives – depending on the number of Communication courses taken as electives at MCC.	0-9
<b>Area of Emphasis</b> – 15 hours Complete 15 hours in either Communication Arts, Communication Science, Journalism, or Communication Studies	
Communication Arts - Complete four of the following courses and one course from the Communication Science area	
COMM 375 Rhetoric and Medicine	3
COMM 385 American Rhetorical Traditions	3
COMM 390 Classical Rhetoric	3
COMM 401 Rhetoric of Women's Rights	3
COMM 429 Political Communication	3
COMM 490 Contemporary Rhetoric	3
Communication Science - Complete four of the following courses and one course from the Communication Arts area	
COMM 370 Group Process	3
COMM 395 Interpersonal Communication	3
COMM 420 Intercultural Communication	3
COMM 471 Persuasion Theory	3
COMM 480 Organizational Communication	3
Journalism	
COMM 251 Media Writing	4
COMM 355 Broadcast Production	3
COMM 367 News Reporting and Writing	3
COMM 455 Media Law	3
<b>Communication Studies</b>	
Complete at least one 300-400 level course from each of the other three areas of emphasis, and additional hours of Communication (COMM) coursework to total 15 hours.	
<b>Writing Enhanced Requirement</b>	
Complete at least two additional courses at Truman, in addition to the JINS course, that are listed as Writing-Enhanced. These courses may be used to fulfill other requirements.	
<b>Total Credits Required</b>	<b>124</b>