

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Communication

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Requirements	Wayne County Community College Courses
COM 2000: OR Requirement option for which there is no OU equivalent:	SPH 101 OR SPH 201
Interpersonal Group Course for which there is no OU equivalent:	SPH 100

Language Co-requisite (select one of the following options)

An introductory two-semester foreign language sequence OR an introductory two-semester sign language sequence	ARA, CHN, FRE, GRM, JPN, SPA 101 and 102 OR ASL 100 and 120
One second semester (or higher) foreign language course OR one second semester (or higher) sign language course	CHN, JPN 102; ARA, FRE, GRM, SPA 102, 201 <i>or</i> 202; OR ASL 120, 200 <i>or</i> 220

Writing Co-requisite

JRN 2000	ENG 190
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Major Electives

Choose 2 courses (not already completed above): <i>(if sign language is chosen for Language Co-requisite, those courses already count toward this requirement)</i>	ASL 100, 120, 200, 220; DMP 102, 103, 104, 107, 112; SPH 101, 131, 201
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*Community College courses that are equivalent to 3000-level OU courses **do not count** toward the minimum 20 credits in 3000-4000 level **COM** courses that are required for the **Communication** major (consult with OU adviser to plan how to fulfill the 3000-4000 level requirement with appropriate course selection).*

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Wayne, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Wayne counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at WC3. Completing MTA when following this major guide will satisfy OU's transferrable General Education requirements.

TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:

If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [Wayne County Community College General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the WC3 courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

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| - Writing Foundations | - Literature |
| - Formal Reasoning | - Natural Science and Technology |
| - Arts | - Social Science |
| - Global Perspective | - Western Civilization |

EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory . Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. ***Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.***

NOTES:

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.