Bachelor of Arts with a major in Communication

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Courses	St. Clair County Community College Options
COM 2000	COM 120

Choose TWO courses from any of following groups, no two courses can be from the same group

Relational Communication Group Course Option

Oakland University Courses	St. Clair County Community College Options
COM 2400	***COM 220***

Advocacy and Social Influence Group Course Option

Oakland University Courses	St. Clair County Community College Options
Applicable course for which there is no OU equivalent:	COM 130

Culture and Communication Group Course Option

Oakland University Courses	St. Clair County Community College Options
COM 2702	***THA 105***

Major Electives

Oakland University Courses	St. Clair County Community College Options
Choose one elective course from these:	COM 230; CM 101, 102 *OR, when not already taken for above groups:* COM 130, ***COM 220***; ***THA 105***

*Community College courses that are equivalent to 3000-level OU courses **do not count** toward the minimum 20 credits in 3000-4000 level 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 St. Clair County, and must complete a minimum of 30 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 St. Clair County 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 SC4 or at the SC4 MTA website. In addition, to best complete OU's transferable General Education requirements, please reference the SC4 General Education Transfer Guide and select the following:

- One course from OU's **Writing Foundations** category
  *(this serves as an **MTA English Composition** course and is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)*
- One course from OU's **Knowledge Applications** category

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 SC4 General Education Transfer Guide for the SC4 courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations
- Formal Reasoning
- Arts *(met when **THA 105** is chosen above)*
- Global Perspective
- Language and Culture
- Literature
- Natural Science and Technology
- Social Science *(met when **COM 220** is chosen above)*
- Western Civilization
- Knowledge Applications

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.

For additional information about the major, including ***Internships and Careers***, we encourage you to explore OU's Communication Program Overview webpage.