# COURSES/REQUIREMENTS FOR YOUR PROGRAM OF STUDY

**CATALOG YEAR: 2016-2017**

**PROGRAM CODE:** AA.TRANSFER.STDS.COMMUNICATION  
**PROGRAM NAME:** Transfer Studies – Communication Option  
**FACULTY CONTACT:** Please see your advisor  
**PROGRAM SCHOOL:** Liberal Arts

AACC faculty developed the following charts to encourage greater success in your program of study. Why take classes in this order? The courses in the first column are designed to prepare you for courses in the second column and so on. Students with no developmental requirements in English or reading may register for a total of 18 credits per term. If you are a part-time student, you may take fewer credits by dividing the recommended courses across multiple terms to accommodate your schedule.

1. ** Successful completion of ENG-121 fully satisfies the English composition general education requirement.  
2. Students may satisfy the computer competency requirement simultaneously with their computer technology requirement. Students who have otherwise demonstrated competence in computing and information technology must select a general education mathematics course or a general education interdisciplinary course.  
3. It is recommended that students wishing to major more specifically in Mass Communications (including journalism or broadcasting) give particular consideration to specialized courses such as COM-101, COM-102 and the Journalism Practicum. Because the Communications curriculum at four-year institutions can vary considerably from one school to the next, it is strongly recommended that students consult with their transfer institution to determine which courses are most suitable for their particular program of study.  
4. Select 12 credits from a single discipline. The three letters used in a course designation (i.e., BIO, ENG, GSS) indicate the discipline to which it belongs. Physical activities courses may not be counted toward an option in physical education.  
5. No more than 3 credits of physical activity courses may be used as electives.

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(D) This course meets the diversity requirement or the diversity requirement can be met simultaneously as you satisfy this requirement. Only one diversity class is required to meet the diversity requirement. Courses which meet the diversity requirement can be found in General Education Requirements section of the College Catalog or by looking for the diversity symbol placed next to course descriptions in the Credits Courses of Instruction section of the College Catalog or in the Schedule of Credit Classes.

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Note: Minimum of 60 credit hours required for degree.
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