

### 2017-2018 Degree Map-Bachelor of Arts in Communication with Speech Option

This map is a term-by-term sample course schedule. The milestones listed to the right of each term are designed to keep you on course to graduate in four years. The Sample Schedule serves as a general guideline to help you build a full schedule each term. See course descriptions and prerequisites at <http://www.atu.edu/academics/catalog/>.

**Employment Information: Radio and Television Announcer, Copy Writer, Speech Coach, Public Relations Specialist, Advertising Account Manager**

#Prerequisite Courses: ENGL 0303 \_\_\_\_\_ ENGL 0404 \_\_\_\_\_ READ 0103 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 0803 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 1003 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 0903 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 0900 \_\_\_\_\_ MATH 1110 \_\_\_\_\_

**Sample Schedule**

Semester 1	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 1
ENGL 1013-Comp I (ACTS=ENGL 1013)	3	#		
U.S. History/Government	3			
Mathematics	3	#		Milestone
COMM 1003- Intro to Speech - Communication	3			
TECH 1001- Orientation to the University	1			
General Elective	3			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

Semester 2	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 2
ENGL 1023- Comp II (ACTS= ENGL 1023)	3	#		
Social Sciences	3			
General Elective <b>See Note 1</b>	3		<b>Note 1:</b> Student may enroll in Debate or Individual Events Practicums to earn COMM or General Electives.	
General Elective	3			
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<b>Total hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

Semester 3	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 3
Science with Lab	4			
COMM 2003- Public Speaking	3			Milestone
COMM 2023- Communication Research and Writing	3			Milestone
COMM Elective (any level)	3			
General Elective	3			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

Semester 4	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 4
Fine Arts & Humanities	3			
Social Sciences	3			
COMM 3123- Argumentation	3			
General Elective	3			Consider a minor
Science with Lab	4			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>GPA</b>		<b>COMM ADVISOR ASSIGNED</b>

The Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) is designed to assist in planning the academic progress of students. This system contains information about the transferability of courses within Arkansas public colleges and universities. The Arkansas Course Transfer System can be accessed at <http://acts.adhe.edu/>

Fine Arts and Humanities	U.S. History & Government
ART 2123 Experiencing Art (ACTS=ARTA1003)	HIST 1903 Survey of American History
MUS 2003 Introduction to Music (ACTS=MUSC1003)	HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)
TH 2273 Introduction to Theatre (ACTS=DRAM 1003)	HIST 2043 Honors U.S. History to 1877
ENGL 2173 Introduction to Film	HIST 2013 U.S. History II (ACTS=HIST2123)
JOUR 2173 Introduction to Film	POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)
ENGL 2003 Introduction to World Literature (ACTS=ENGL2113)	<b>Science with Lab</b>
ENGL 2013 Intro. to American Literature (ACTS=ENGL2653)	BIOL 1014- Intro. to Biological Science (ACTS= BIOL1004)
ENGL 2023 Honors World Literature	BIOL/PHSC 1004- Principles of Environmental Science
PHIL 2003 Introduction to Philosophy (ACTS=PHIL1103)	GEOL 1014- Physical Geology (ACTS= GEOL 1114)
PHIL 2043 Honors Introduction to Philosophy	PHSC 1013/1021- Physical Sci/Lab (ACTS= PHSC 1004)

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Semester 5	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 5
COMM Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
COMM Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective	3			
General Elective	3			
General Elective	3			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

Semester 6	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 6
Fine Arts & Humanities	3			
COMM Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>GPA</b>		<b>APPLY FOR GRADUATION</b>

Semester 7	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 7
COMM 4003- Human Communication Theory	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

Semester 8	Hrs.	Grade	Milestones/Notes	Semester 8
COMM Elective (any level)	3			See Note 1
COMM Elective (3000-4000 level)	3			<b>Graduation Requirements:</b> Min. hours 3000-4000 level courses: 40 No more than 4 PE activity hours Min. hours required:120 2.00+ GPA
General Elective (3000-4000 level)	1			
General Elective	3			
General Elective	2			
<b>Total hours</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>GPA</b>		

General Electives: 32 hours (1000-4000 level); 22 hours (3000-4000 level)

(Student may need less UD electives, if more than 12 hrs. of 3000-4000 level COMM electives are earned.)

# indicates a "C" or better is required

Social Sciences	Communication Courses
HIST 1503 World Civilization to 1500 (ACTS=HIST1113)	ECON 2013 Principles of Economics II (ACTS=ECON2203)
HIST 1513 World Civilization since 1500 (ACTS=HIST1123)	SOC 1003 Introductory Sociology (ACTS=SOC1013)
HIST 1543 Honors World Civilization to 1500	PSY 2003 General Psychology (ACTS=PSYC1103)
HIST 2003 U.S. History to 1877 (ACTS=HIST2113)	ANTH 1213 Intro. to Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH1013)
HIST 2013 U.S. History since 1877 (ACTS=HIST2123)	ANTH 2003 Cultural Anthropology (ACTS=ANTH2013)
HIST 2043 Honors U.S. History to 1877	GEOG 2013 Regional Geography of the World (ACTS=GEOG2103)
HIST 2003 Survey of American History	AMST 2003 American Studies
POLS 2003 American Government (ACTS=PLSC2003)	<b>Communication Courses</b>
ECON 2003 Principles of Economics I (ACTS=ECON2103)	COMM 1003 Intro. to Speech Comm
ECON 2103 Honors Principles of Economics I	COMM 2003 Public Speaking
	COMM 2173 Business and Professional Speaking