

Communicative Disorders (Speech-Language Pathology & Audiology) Major Degree Plan

This is a model of the requirements and possible sequence of courses. However, students may progress through the program or have more flexibility if they have high ACT scores, CLEP credit, concurrent enrollment credit, AP credit, and/or transfer credit; or if they attend during summer semesters. All students should meet with the academic advisor prior to registering to work out a specific individualized plan.

Freshman Year (31 credits)

Fall Semester (16 credits)

COMD 2400 Orientation and Observation.....	1
ENGL 1010 (CL1) Introduction to Writing: Academic Prose	3
BIOL 1010 (BLS) Biology and the Citizen.....	3
PSY 1010 (BSS) General Psychology	3
USU 1010 University Connections	2
Breadth Humanities (BHU) course	3
Elective course	1
Passing scores on six Computer and Information Literacy (CIL) Exams	0

Spring Semester (15 credits)

BIOL 2320 Human Anatomy	4
COMD 2500 Language, Speech, and Hearing Development.....	3
MATH 1010 Intermediate Algebra (4 cr) or	
MATH 1050 (QL) College Algebra (4 cr)	4
Breadth Creative Arts (BCA) course.....	3
Elective course	1

Sophomore Year (30-33 credits)

Fall Semester (15 credits)

COMD 2600 Introduction to Communication Disorders	2
ENGL 2010 (CL2) Intermediate Writing: Research Writing in a Persuasive Mode.....	3
FCHD 1500 (BSS) Human Development Across the Lifespan (3 cr) or	
PSY 1100 Developmental Psychology: Infancy and Childhood (3 cr)	3
STAT 1040 (QL) Introduction to Statistics	3
SPCH 1020 (BHU/CI) Public Speaking (3 cr) or	
SPCH 2110 (BHU/CI) Interpersonal Communication (3 cr).....	3
Elective course	1

Spring Semester (15-18 credits)

COMD 2910 (CI) Sign Language I	4
Breadth American Institutions (BAI) course.....	3
Breadth Physical Sciences (BPS) course.....	3-4
Quantitative Intensive (QI) course	2-4
Elective course(s).....	3

Junior Year (29 credits)

Note: A minimum 3.0 overall GPA is required for admission to the professional program during the junior year.

Fall Semester (15 credits)

COMD 3100 Fundamentals of Anatomy for Speech and Language	3
COMD 3500 Phonetics/Developmental Phonology.....	3
HEP 2000 First Aid and Emergency Care	2
Depth Humanities and Creative Arts (DHA) course.....	3
Depth Life and Physical Sciences (DSC) course	3
Elective course	1

Spring Semester (14 credits)

COMD 2910 (CI) Sign Language I (Majors)	4
COMD 3400 Acoustics and Anatomy of the Ear.....	3
COMD 4450 Assessment and Treatment of Communicative Disorders in the Pediatric Population	3
COMD 5100 Language Science.....	3
Elective course	1

Senior Year (30-33 credits)

Fall Semester (15-16 credits)

COMD 3700 Basic Audiology	3
COMD 5070 Speech Science.....	3
COMD 5210 Cultural and Linguistic Diversity in Communicative Disorders	3
SPED 4000 Education of Exceptional Individuals	2
One Acceptable Related Course (see list below)	3-4
Elective course	1

Spring Semester (15-17 credits)

COMD 5200 Language Assessment and Intervention for Children Birth to Age Five	3
COMD 5330 Pediatric Aural Rehabilitation.....	3
Two Acceptable Related Courses (see list below).....	6-8
Elective course(s).....	3

Acceptable Related Courses (choose 3 courses)

Students must select three acceptable related courses. Please note that some of these courses have prerequisites. In addition to the courses listed below, other courses may also be approved.

BUS 3110 (DSS) Management Fundamentals.....	3
COMD 3910 Sign Language II (F,Sp,Su)	4
COMD 4750 Teaching the English Language to Individuals who are Deaf and Hard of Hearing (F).....	3
ENGL 3020 (DHA) Perspectives in Linguistics (Sp)	3
ENGL 3030 (DHA) Perspectives in Literature (F,Sp,Su).....	3
ENGL/HIST 3070 (DHA) Perspectives in Folklore (F,Su)	3
ENGL 3080 (CI) Introduction to Technical Communication (F,Sp)	3
FCHD 2610 Child Guidance (F,Sp)	3
FCHD 3100 Abuse and Neglect in Family Context (F,Sp).....	3
FCHD 3350 (DSS) Family Finance (F,Sp,Su)	3
FCHD 3510 Infancy and Early Childhood (F,Sp).....	3
FCHD 3520 Children in the Middle Years (F).....	3
FCHD 3540 Adult Development and Aging (Sp).....	3
LING 4100 The Study of Language (F,Sp).....	3
MGT 3110 (DSS) Managing Organizations and People (F,Sp,Su).....	3
MGT 3710 Developing Team and Interpersonal Skills (F,Sp).....	3
PSY 1400 Analysis of Behavior: Basic Principles (F,Sp,Su).....	3
PSY 3120 (DSS) Abuse, Neglect, and the Psychological Dimensions of Intimate Violence (F,Su).....	3
PSY 3450 Perception and Psychophysics (F).....	3
PSY 3500 (CI/DSS) Scientific Thinking and Methods in Psychology (F,Sp).....	3
PSY 4420 (DSS) Cognitive Psychology (Sp) (3 cr) and	
PSY 4430 Cognitive Psychology Laboratory (Sp) (must take concurrently with PSY 4420) (1 cr).....	4
SPCH 3330 (DSS) Intercultural Communication (F,Sp)	3