

Pathway: **Communication Studies**

Area of Study: **Social Sciences, Humanities, and Language**



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Overview

This pathway meets requirements for the Associate of Arts-Direct Transfer Agreement (AA-DTA) degree with a concentration in Communication Studies. Completion of this degree opens doors to a variety of careers in sectors including non-profit, business, government, entertainment, and education. It also allows you to transfer into a Communication Studies or related major at a four-year college or university. (Read program QR code to see more)

Estimated Length of Completion

Degree: Associate of Arts - Direct Transfer Agreement (LASDTAA)

9 quarters, Part time

Career Opportunities

A Communication Studies pathway can lead to various career opportunities. Examples include:

- Advertising Executive
- Corporate Communications Manager
- Editor
- Education, Teacher or Corporate Trainer
- Human Resources Specialist
- Journalism, TV production, Radio
- Marketing Executive
- Media Planner/Social Media Manager
- Meeting ...(Read program QR code to see more)

Tuition and Fees

Learn more about the [estimated cost of attendance and general fees to attend college](#).

Financial Aid and Funding Resources

It's time to apply for Financial Aid for next year by completing either the [FAFSA](#) or the [WASFA](#) 2024-25.

Need help paying for college?

To apply for financial aid, including grants and scholarships you don't have to pay back, visit [North's Financial Aid Department](#) for details. Part-time and full-time students can qualify for financial aid funds.

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Get Started

Step 1: Apply and register at North Seattle College anytime (the application is always free). Once you become a student, register for classes using the online class schedule and go to the academic calendar for registration dates and tuition deadlines.

Step 2: See an advisor to create a personalized educational plan by the end of your second quarter. Your plan will include prerequisites, graduation requirements, and transfer preparation if you plan to transfer to another college or university to earn a bachelor's degree.

A sample schedule is below. The schedule will help you explore courses. The guide assumes a fall quarter start, but you can begin in any quarter.

Sample Schedule

This is an example of a quarterly schedule:

Quarter 1

- CMST&101 Intro to Communication (5 units)
- MATH&107 Math In Society (5 units)

Quarter 2

- ENGL&101 English Composition I (5 units)
- CMST&102 Intro To Mass Media (5 units)

Quarter 3

- Integrated Studies: ENGL&102 (5 units)
- Integrated Studies: Elective course (5 units)

Quarter 4

- CMST&220 Public Speaking (5 units)
- PSYC&100 or SOC&101 or ANTH&206 (5 units)

Quarter 5

- ENVS&100 Survey Of Env Science (5 units)
- World Language I or another Visual, Literary, and Performing Arts class that is not a Communication Studies (CMST) class (5 units)

Quarter 6

- World Language II or another elective (5 units)
- CMST&210 Interpersonal Com. (5 units)

Quarter 7

- BIOL&100 Survey Of Biology (5 units)
- World Language III or CMST&205 (5 units)

Quarter 8

- PSYC&100 or SOC&101 or ANTH&206 (5 units)
- HEA150 or Natural World (5 units)

Quarter 9

- CMST&230 Small Group Com. (5 units)
- PSYC&100 or SOC&101 or
Individuals/Cultures/Societies (5 units)



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