



**2+2 Degree Plan Checklist**  
**Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences to**  
**Bachelor of Arts**  
**Communication Studies**



**National Park College**  
**Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences**  
**General Education Requirements (35 Credit Hours)**

**English/Communication (9 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENG	1113	English Composition I	ENGL 1003		3	
ENG	1123	English Composition II	ENGL 1013		3	
SPCH	1103	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	COMS 1203		3	

**Mathematics (3 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1123	College Algebra <i>or</i>	MATH 1023		3	
MATH	1213	Quantitative Literacy	MATH 1043			

**Fine Arts and Humanities (6 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ART	1593	Art Appreciation <i>or</i>	ART 2503		3	
MUS	1213	Music Appreciation	MUS 2503			
ENG	2273	World Literature I <i>or</i>	ENGL 2003		3	
ENG	2283	World Literature II	ENGL 2013			

**History/Government (6 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2253	World Civilization To 1500 <i>or</i>	HIST 1003		3	
HIST	2263	World Civilization Since 1500	HIST 1013			
HIST	2223	United States History To 1865 <i>or</i>	HIST 2763		3	
HIST	2233	United States History Since 1865 <i>or</i>	HIST 2773			
POLS	1113	American National Government	POSC 2103			

**Social Sciences (3 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ANTH	1113	General Anthropology <i>or</i>	ANTH 2223		3	
ECON	2213	Microeconomics <i>or</i>	ECON 2313			
PSYC	1103	General Psychology <i>or</i>	PSY 2013			
SOC	1103	Introduction to Sociology	SOC 2213			

**Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1114	General Biology I/Lab <i>or</i>	BIOL 1003/1001		4	
BIOL	2224	Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 2203/2201			
CHEM	1104	Chemistry for Non-Majors	CHEM 1043/1041		4	
CHEM	1204	General Chemistry I/Lab <i>or</i>	CHEM 1023/1021			
PHYS	1114	Physical Science	PHSC 1203/1201			
PHYS	1124	Astronomy	PHYS 1103/1101			



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**Directed Electives (24 Credit Hours)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ANTH	1113	<i>Select three:</i> General Anthropology Microeconomics General Psychology Introduction to Sociology	ANTH 2223		9	
ECON	2213		ECON 2313			
PSYC	1103		PSY 2013			
SOC	1103		SOC 2213			
ECON	2213	Microeconomics	ECON 2323		3	
PHIL	1123	Introduction to Philosophy	PHIL 1103		3	
SOC	2203	Social Problems	STAT 3233		3	
Foreign Language <i>Select two based on NPC competency and/or prerequisite standards:</i>					6	
SPAN	1103	Beginning Spanish I	SPAN 1013			
SPAN	1113	Beginning Spanish II	SPAN 1023			
SPAN	2113	Intermediate Spanish I	SPAN 2013			
SPAN	2123	Intermediate Spanish II	SPAN 2023			
FREN	1103	Beginning French I	FR 1013			
FREN	1113	Beginning French II	FR 1023			
FREN	2203	Intermediate French I	FR 2013			
FREN	2213	Intermediate French II	FR 2023			

**NPC Required Courses (1 Credit Hour)**

			ASU	Semester	Hours	Grade
ORT	0000	LMS Student Orientation	N/A		0	
PE	XXX1	Any 1-hr PE course			1	

**Total NPC Credit Hours: 60**



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**Required Courses (60 credit hours)**

**ASU-Jonesboro Courses**

			Semester	Hours	Grade
<b>Major Requirements</b>					
<i>Due to rotation, all courses may not be available every term</i>					
COMS	2243	Principles of Argumentation		15	
COMS	2313	Communication Theory			
COMS	2373	Introduction to Interpersonal Communication			
COMS	3363	Communication Research Methods <i>or</i>			
COMS	3433	Communication Criticism			
COMS	4533	Communication Studies Capstone			
<b>Communication Studies Electives</b>					
<i>18 of the 21 required hours must be upper-level courses</i>					
AD	3023	Principles of Advertising		21	
COMS	2253	Introduction to Health Communication			
COMS	3203	Business and Professional Communication			
COMS	3243	Principles of Persuasion			
COMS	3253	Principles of Listening			
COMS	3373	Gender Communication			
COMS	3433	Communication Criticism			
COMS	4203	Small Group Communication			
COMS	4243	Interpersonal Communication			
COMS	4253	Intercultural Communication			
COMS	4263	Organizational Communication			
COMS	4313	Special Problems			
COMS	4323	Communication in Personal Relationships			
COMS	4373	Conflict Resolution			
COMS	4383	Computer Mediated Communication			
COMS	4403	Health Communication			
COMS	4423	Narratives in Health and Healing			
PR	3303	Principles of Public Relations			
PR	4603	Crisis Communication			
<b>Electives</b>					
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