

**HARRISBURG AREA COMMUNITY COLLEGE (HACC) & SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY (SHIP)
TRANSFER GUIDE FOR COMMUNICATIONS (#2036) – HUMAN COMMUNICATIONS A.S. AT HACC
TO COMMUNICATION STUDIES B.A. AT SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY**

HACC COURSE	CRS.	SHIP EQUIV. COURSE/ AREA SATISFIED	CRS.
General Education Requirements (25 Credits)			
ENGL 101 English Composition I	3	ENG 114 Academic Writing ^W	3
ENGL 102 English Composition II	3	GEN 028 Gen Ed Trans Crtvty&Expr-Lit ^L	3
COMM 101 Effective Speaking	3	HCS 100 Intro to Human Communication ^O	3
H&A:ART 181, 182, HUM 101, MUS 102, 104, THTR 101, SPN, FRCH, GRMN, or ARAB	3	Gen Ed: Arts ^A or Foreign Language ^{F,3}	3
Math Elective: Gen Ed Math except MATH 100	3	Gen Ed: Quantitative ^Q	3
Science Elective: Choose from HACC Core List	3	Gen Ed: Natural World ^N	3
Science w/ Lab: Choose from HACC Core List	3	Gen Ed: Natural World ^N	3
S&BS: SOCI 205 or PSYC 101	3	Gen Ed: Diversity ^D	3
First-Year Seminar: COMM 110	3	HCS 210 Public Speaking/Required	3
Physical Education & Wellness	1	Elective ⁶	1
Major Requirements (9 Credits)			
COMM 120 Mass Media and Society	3	COM 111 Media Literacy ^S	3
COMM 201 Theories of Communication	3	HCS 200 Human Communication Theory/ Required	3
COMM 253 Intercultural Communication	3	HCS 270 Intercultural Communication/ Required	3
Human Communications HCOM (9 credits)			
COMM 203 Interpersonal Communication	3	HCS 250 Interpersonal Communication/Major Elective	3
COMM 251 Small Group Communication	3	HCS 230 Small Group Communication/Major Elective	3
COMM 252 Business, Professional Communication	3	HCS 381 Pro. Comm/Multimedia Pres./Major Elective	3
Other Required Courses (14 Credits)			
Choose One: GEOG 230, PHIL 101, PHIL 225, SOCI 201	3	Gen Ed: Critical Reasoning ^R or Ethical Reasoning ^E	3
Choose 3 rd Science or ECON 202 or CSC	3	Gen Ed: Natural World ^N or Technology ^T	
ANTH 201 or 205, ECON 201, GEOG 201, GP 205, HIST 102, or 202	3	Gen Ed: Global Perspectives ^G	3
HIST 101 or HIST 201	3	Gen Ed: History ^H	3
Choose any elective	3	Free Elective	3
PROGRAM TOTAL CREDITS	60	TRANSFERABLE CREDITS	60

Overview of Shippensburg University's General Education Program

The General Education Program at Shippensburg University comprises 45 of the credit hours required for graduation. It consists of 5 themes with 2-3 required course goals in each theme

- Foundations: 15 credits (3 credit first-year seminar not currently required for transfer students)
 - Writing^W, Oral Communication^O, History^H, Quantitative^Q
- Interconnections: 9 credits required from 3 goals with at least 3 credits required in Diversity and 3 credits in Global Perspectives
 - Diversity^D, Global Perspectives^G, Foreign Language^F
- Citizenship & Responsibility: 6 credits required with no more than 1 course from the same goal category
 - Citizenship^S, Ethical Reasoning^E, Critical Reasoning^R
- Natural World & Technology: 9 credits required with at least 6 credits completed in the Natural World category
 - Natural World^N, Technology^T
- Creativity & Expression: 6 credits required with at least 3 credits required in the Literature category
 - Literature^L, Arts^A, Creative^C

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COURSES TO BE COMPLETED AT SHIPPENSBURG UNIVERSITY (60 credits)
General Education Requirements: Per BOG Transfer Policy 1999-01-A, completion of an A.A. or A.S. degree from HACC will result in the waiver of the remainder of the general education requirements at Ship. This will result in the availability of additional free elective credits that must be completed to graduate with the minimum 120 credits required for the bachelor's degree.
Major Requirements – Communication Studies Core Courses (9 credits)
HCS 360 Research Methods in Communication – 3 credits
HCS 370 Rhetorical Criticism – 3 credits
HCS 400 Seminar – 3 credits
Major Requirements - Electives (9 credits) Students will work with advisors to develop a program of emphasis that incorporates courses that are connected to personal and professional goals. Students must take at least one more course at the 300-level or above. Additional credits may come from any level courses, and/or internships.
Electives (42 credits)
Students should consult with their Ship Academic Advisor to discuss the possibility of completing additional credit toward a minor or 2 nd major.

SPECIAL NOTES (IMPORTANT, PLEASE READ)

1. Courses for Shippensburg University have been selected by joint agreement of HACC and SU. However, curricula are subject to change. Please speak with your advisor and/or the SU transfer counselor if you have any questions.
2. Communication Studies at SHIP requires a 2.0 cumulative GPA in order to gain admission.
3. B.A. students must satisfy the Novice level competency in a foreign language. This is accomplished via 3 years of the same language in high school, an AP score of at least 3, or the completion of a 103 level course. Three credits of a foreign language may count under the Interconnections Foreign Language general education requirement.

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