



PROGRAM OF STUDY

Communication Studies Associate in Arts for Transfer

The Orange Coast College Associate in Arts in Communication Studies for transfer program provides students with communication skills that they can apply in personal, professional and global contexts. In these courses students will learn to improve their oral and written communication skills in the areas of critical thinking, organization, analysis, argumentation and presentation of information. Students will learn to improve their verbal and non-verbal interpersonal communication skills in the areas of listening, perception, self-concept, conflict resolution, intercultural and gender communication. These skills are developed in Communication Studies A100, A105, A110, A150, A155, A165, A170, A180, A220, and A240.

Program Outcomes:

OUTCOME 1:

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Courses Needed for Communication Studies (Transfer)

Required Core (9 units):	Units
CMST A110 Public Speaking	3.0
CMST A100 Interpersonal Communication	3.0
CMST A220 Essentials of Argumentation	3.0
Subtotal	9.0

List A – complete six (6) units from the following:	Units
CMST A120 Readers Theatre and Oral Interpretation	3.0
CMST A150 Forensics Workshop	3.0
CMST A155 Intercultural Communication	3.0
CMST A180 Introduction to Mass Communications	3.0
Subtotal	6.0

List B – complete three (3) units by choosing from a course not yet chosen from the above category or from the courses below:	Units
CMST A105 Intrapersonal Communication	3.0
CMST/GNDR A165 Men, Women and Communication	3.0
CMST A170 Nonverbal Communication	3.0
CMST A240 Media Literacy	3.0
JOUR A110 Newswriting and Reporting	3.0
Subtotal	3.0

Program Major Units: 18	Units
CSU or IGETC General Education Breadth: 37-39	
Subtotal	37.0 – 39.0

Transfer elective units as needed to satisfy 60-unit degree requirement	Units
Subtotal	Varies

Total Units 60.0