

SHSU Catalog (2024/2025)

Bachelor of Arts, Mass Communication: Broadcast Production							
CORE REQUIREMENTS	Department	of Mass Communications		36.294.1341 mcom@shsu.edu			
Course Name		Hours	TCCNS	SHSU			
Communication (6 hours)							
Composition I		3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1301			
Composition II		3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 1302			
Mathematics (3 hours)							
College Mathematics		3	MATH 1332	MATH 1332			
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)							
Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours) <sup>1</sup>							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Creative Arts (3 hours)							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
American History (6 hours)							
United States History to 1876		3	HIST 1301	HIST 1301			
United States History since 1876		3	HIST 1302	HIST 1302			
Government/Political Science (6 hours)							
American Government		3	GOVT 2305	POLS 2305			
Texas Government		3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306			
Social & Behavioral Science (3 hours) <sup>2</sup>							
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours) <sup>3</sup>							
Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.							
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS Full degree can be found here: https://www.shsu.edu/programs/bachelor-of-arts-in-mass-communication/index.html							
Course Name		Hours	TCCNS	SHSU			
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Course Name	Hours	TCCNS	SHSU		
Critical Thinking <sup>2</sup>	3	PHIL 2303	PHIL 2303		
Media Literacy	1	COMM 2300	MCOM 1130		
Writing for Mass Media	3	COMM 2311	MCOM 1332		
TV & Film Production	3	COMM 1336	MCOM 2371		
Audio Production & Performance	3	COMM 2303	MCOM 1371		
Media, Culture, & Society <sup>1</sup>	3	COMM 1335	MCOM 1330		
Foreign Language (14 hours)					

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SHSU requires 4 semesters of foreign language (one field)

\*SHSU accepts a maximum of 70 credit hours: 66 academic hours + 4 hours of activity-based physical education (kinesiology) hours. Students must earn a 2.0 minimum overall GPA in all coursework, overall major GPA in all major coursework, SHSU GPA in all coursework, and SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

All Mass Communication majors and minors must earn a grade of "C" or better in each Mass Communication course.

1- Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) as well as for the Mass Communication major.

2- Satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences) as well as a Degree Specific requirement for Mass Communication.

3- MCOM 1371 and MCOM 1130 satisfy four hours of the requirement for Component Area IX (Component Area Option) and are Degree Specific/Major requirements for Mass Communication.