

**West Texas A&M University**  
**Advising Services**  
**Degree Checklist**  
**2022-2023**

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ WT ID: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Communication Disorders (see *an* note below)**  
**Department of Communication Disorders**  
**AC 242 651-5100**

CORE CURRICULUM COURSES: 42 HOURS ♦		HRS	CC
<b>Communication (Core 10)</b>			
ENGL 1301 Intro. to Academic Writing & Argumentation OR ENGL 1311 Writing About Ideas	3		
COMM 1315, 1318, or 1321	3		
<b>Mathematics (Core 20)</b>			
MATH 1314*, 1316*, 1324*, 1325*, 1332*/**, 1342*/**, 1350*/**, 2412*, or 2413* (fourth MATH hour moves to Core 90)	3		
<b>Life and Physical Sciences (Core 30)</b>			
See University Core Requirements below	(6)		
<b>Language, Philosophy and Culture (Core 40)</b>			
ANTH 2351, ENGL 2321*, 2326*, 2331*, 2341*, 2343*; HIST 2311, 2323, 2372; MCOM 1307; PHIL 1301, 2374; SPAN 2311*, 2312*/**, 2313*, 2315*, or 2371 Choose 1	3		
<b>Creative Arts (Core 50)</b>			
ARTS 1301, 1303, 1304; DANC 2303; MUSI 1306, 1307 (for music majors), 1310; or THRE 1310 Choose 1	3		
<b>American History (Core 60)</b>			
HIST 1301 or 2381, 1302 or 2382, 2301 Choose 2	6		
<b>Government/Political Science (Core 70)</b>			
POSC 2305 and 2306	6		
<b>Social and Behavioral Sciences (Core 80)</b>			
See University Core Requirements below	(3)		
<b>Component Area Option (Core 90)</b>			
Take one hour from: ♦ AGRI 2300; BIOL lab hours (from Core 30); BUSI 1301, 1304; CHEM lab hours (from Core 30); CIDM 1105, CIDM 1301 or 1315; CS 1301; ECON 2331; ENGL 1101, 1102, 1302*, 1312*, 2311*; ENVR lab hour (from Core 30); GEOL lab hours (from Core 30); IDS 1071 (1-3 hours); extra MATH hours (from Core 20); MUSI 1053; PHIL 2303; PHYS lab hours (from Core 30); SES 1120	1		
See University Core Requirements below	(5)		
<b>COMMUNICATION DISORDERS MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: 84 HOURS</b>			
A grade of "C" or better must be earned in all courses required for major.			
<b>UNIVERSITY CORE REQUIREMENTS: 14 HOURS ♦</b>			
<b>CORE 30</b> BIOL 1406[3] or 1408[3], 1407*[3] or 1409*[3], or 1413[3]	3		CC
<b>CORE 30</b> CHEM 1405*[3] or 1411*[3] or 1412*[3], or PHYS 1401*[3] or 1402*[3]	3		CC
<b>CORE 80</b> PSYC 2301 General Psychology	3		CC
<b>CORE 90</b> ENGL 1302* or 2311*	3		CC
<b>CORE 90</b> BIOL 1406L[1] or 1408[1], 1407L[1] or 1409[1], or 1413L[1] <b>AND</b> CHEM 1405L[1] or 1411L[1] or 1412L[1], PHYS 1401L[1] or 1402L[1]	2		
<b>COMMUNICATION DISORDERS: 54 HOURS</b>			
CD 2370* Phonetics	3		
CD 2372* Language Development	3		
CD 2373 Survey of Communication Disorders	3		
CD 3340* Speech Sound Disorders in Children	3		
CD 3345* Introduction to Fluency Disorders	3		

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CD 3355* Introduction to Audiological Assessment	3		
CD 3356* Aural Rehabilitation	3		
CD 3365* Introduction to Voice Disorders	3		
CD 3370* Diagnosis in Communication Disorders	3		
CD 4311* Clinical Counseling and Interviewing in Communication Disorders	3		
CD 3471* Anatomy & Physiology in Comm. Disorders	4		
CD 4374 Clinical Observation and Professional Writing in Communication Disorders OR CD 4398* Senior Clinical Practicum	3		
CD 4381* Neural Basis of Communication Disorders	3		
CD 4386* Acquired Speech and Language Disorders	3		
CD 4390* Clinical Prof. Issues in Communication Disorders	3		
CD 4360* Speech and Hearing Science	3		
CD 4472* Child Language and Literacy Disorders	4		
CD 4480* Research & Technology in Comm. Disorders	4		
<b>REQUIRED RELATED COURSES: 6 HOURS</b>			
Take one course from: PSYC 2308 Child Development CC PSYC 2314 Lifespan Growth & Development CC PSYC 2315 Human Behavior and Personal Adjustment	3		
PSYC 4360* Abnormal Psychology	3		
<b>REQUIRED BACHELOR OF SCIENCE COURSES: 7 HOURS</b>			
BIOL 2401*, 2401L Human Anatomy & Physiology I CC	4		
MATH 3360* Statistical Methods OR NURS 3304* Elementary Biostatistics in Health Care Research MATH 1342 Elementary Statistical Methods CC Choose 1	3		
<b>ELECTIVES: 8 HOURS BY ADVISEMENT ♦</b>			
ELECTIVES	8		
<b>MINIMUM HOURS REQUIRED TO COMPLETE DEGREE</b>		<b>120</b>	

*an* Admission into the undergraduate program in communication disorders requires a **minimum 3.0 GPA**. Core classes must be completed, including CD 2374. The deadline to apply is April 1. Admissions are for fall only at this time. Contact the department for more information.

♦ The core curriculum must total **exactly 42 hours**; excess hours must be moved to the major as an elective or a major requirement and stay within the 120-hour requirement or approved total submitted to the Coordinating Board for degree requirements. Some majors specify particular courses to meet core curriculum requirements when options are available.

\* Indicates prerequisites—see catalog for more information.

\*\* While MATH 1332, 1342 and 1350 will fulfill core math requirements, they will NOT prepare students for higher-level math courses such as Plane Trigonometry (MATH 1316) or Pre-Calculus (MATH 2412).

\*\*\* Or an equivalent course (second year, second semester) in a foreign language.  
 NOTE: At least 36 hours of advanced work (3000- or 4000-level courses) for which tuition is paid must be earned at WTAMU. A maximum of 60 semester hours in communication disorders, six hours in religion (REL) and six hours in physical education (PHED) can be counted toward a degree.

**NOTE: This is NOT a degree plan. All undergraduate students must request an official degree plan from their academic dean's office by the time they have completed 30 credit hours.**

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**Major:** Communication Disorders, B.S.

**Major Code:** 240

First Year	
Fall	Spring
Semester Hours	Semester Hours

Second Year	
Fall	Spring
Semester Hours	Semester Hours

Third Year	
Fall	Spring
Semester Hours	Semester Hours

Fourth Year	
Fall	Spring
Semester Hours	Semester Hours

**Degree Total Hours 120**

**DISCLAIMER:** This curriculum guide should be used in conjunction with the corresponding degree checklist for general planning purposes only. The degree checklist (later a student's official degree plan) should be referred to as the comprehensive list of all courses required for the degree. An official degree plan is required after completing 30 hours. Students should always seek the advice of their academic adviser before scheduling classes.

<p><b>Identified Marketable Skills:</b></p>
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<p><b>Top 3 Local Employers or Industries/Professional Programs/Possible Career Opportunities</b></p>
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<p><b>Prerequisites/Important Sequences/Other degree Notes:</b></p>
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