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FRESHMAN			SOPHOMORE			JUNIOR			SENIOR		
Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring
Introduction to Journalism JOUR 102 (1)	Media, Self and Society JOUR 228 (4)¹ [D2]		Mass Media Law JOUR 302 (4) (JOUR 203)	Web Audio & Video JOUR 303 (4) (JOUR 203)		Editing JOUR 334 (4) (JOUR 203)			Media Internship JOUR 444 (3) (JOUR 352, 353, or 413; Internship Coord Approval)		
News Reporting and Writing JOUR 203 (4)	Intro to Multimedia Journalism JOUR 285 (4) (JOUR 203)		Public Relations JOUR 312 (4) (Soph Standing)			Visual Communication for the Mass Media JOUR 390 (4) (JOUR 203)					
	Statistics STAT 130, 217, 218, or 251 (4)¹ * [B4]		Approved Elective (4)³ *			Journalism Ethics JOUR 402 (4) (JOUR 203)					
			Journalism Elective (4)² *			Global and Cultural Perspectives JOUR 219 or 401 (4) *					
			Concentration (4) *			Approved Elective (4)³ *					Approved Elective (4)³ *
	Oral Communication COMS 101/102 (4)** [A1]		Concentration (4) *			Journalism Elective (4)² *					Journalism Elective (4)² *
	Expository Writing ENGL 133/134 (4)** [A2]					Approved Upper-Division Elective (4)³ *					Approved Upper-Division Elective (4)³ *
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	Reasoning, Argumentation, & Writing [A3] COMS 126, 145, ENGL 145, 147, ES 145, PHIL 126, or WGQS 145 (4)** (Completion of GE A2 with a C- or better) Can be taken anytime between Winter of Freshman and Winter of Sophomore Years.										
GE (4) **	GE (4) **		GE (4) **	GE (4) **		GE (4) **				GE (4) **	
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			GE (4) **	GE (4) **		Graduation Writing Requirement GWR* (Students can attempt to fulfill the requirement after 90 earned units; students should complete the requirement before senior year)				GE (4) **	
TOTAL YEARLY UNITS		45	TOTAL YEARLY UNITS		48	TOTAL YEARLY UNITS		48	TOTAL YEARLY UNITS		39
									TOTAL:		180

Notes:

MOST GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES CAN BE TAKEN IN ANY ORDER AS LONG AS PREREQUISITES ARE MET

* Refer to current catalog for prerequisites.

**One course from each of the following GE areas must be completed: A1, A2, A3, B1, B2, Upper-Division B, C1, C2, Lower-Division C Elective, Upper-Division C, D1, Upper-Division D, Lower-Division E, F, and GE Electives (8). Upper-Division B, Upper-Division C, and Upper-Division D should be taken only after Junior standing is reached (90 units).

Refer to online catalog for GE course selection and Graduation Writing Requirement (GWR).

¹ Required in Major or Support; also satisfies General Education (GE) requirement.

² 12 Journalism Elective units maximum. See catalog for course options and details.

³ 36 Approved Elective units. At least 24 units must be upper-division courses with a lecture or seminar component. Students encouraged to pursue minors or develop other areas of interest outside of Journalism. This excludes activity-only, lab-only, or supervision courses such as internships.

⁴ If a General Education (GE) course is used to satisfy a Major or Support requirement, additional units of Free Electives may be needed to complete the total units required for the degree.

Legend:

Course Title Course # (Units)	Major (92)
(Prerequisite)	Support (4)
[GE Area]	Concentration (20)
	General Ed. (64) ⁴