

core curriculum	Please refer to the 2022-2024 CORE CURRICULUM list from Undergraduate Studies for course options.	
	<b>FIRST-YEAR SIGNATURE COURSE:</b> 3 hours (required during the first year in residence)	UGS 302 or 303 <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>ENGLISH &amp; HUMANITIES:</b> 6 hours from the core curriculum.	RHE 306 <input type="checkbox"/> E 316L or M or N or P _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>AMERICAN &amp; TEXAS GOVERNMENT:</b> 6 hours from the core curriculum.	GOV 310L <input type="checkbox"/> GOV 312L or 312P <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>AMERICAN HISTORY:</b> 6 hours from the core curriculum.	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>SOCIAL &amp; BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES:</b> 3 hours from the core curriculum.	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>MATHEMATICS:</b> 3 hours from the core curriculum.	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>SCIENCE &amp; TECH, PART I:</b> 6 hours from the core curriculum (in Part 1 list).	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>SCIENCE &amp; TECH, PART II:</b> 3 hours from the core curriculum (Part 1 or Part 2 list).	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>VISUAL &amp; PERFORMING ARTS:</b> 3 hours from the core curriculum.	_____ <input type="checkbox"/>	

flags	Students should choose courses in the core curriculum and in the major requirements that also fulfill their major department's flag requirements.	
	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> writing	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> writing (outside the core curriculum)
	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> quantitative reasoning	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> cultural diversity
	_____ <input type="checkbox"/> global cultures	CMS 306M <input type="checkbox"/> ethics
		_____ <input type="checkbox"/> independent inquiry

college	<b>COMMUNICATION FOUNDATIONS:</b>	COM 301E <input type="checkbox"/> COM 302E <input type="checkbox"/>
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college	<b>LANGUAGE:</b>	Option 1) Demonstrate intermediate proficiency in a single language other than English, or Option 2) Demonstrate beginning-level proficiency in one language, and take one approved culture course relevant to the language. See moody.utexas.edu/students/languages for details.	Option 1 completed <input type="checkbox"/> Option 2 completed <input type="checkbox"/>
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	CMS 306M <input type="checkbox"/> CMS 332K <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Methods* - 3 hours</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Career Prep* - 3 hours</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
	For the most updated <b>Methods</b> and <b>Career Prep</b> visit <a href="https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies">https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies</a>

	<b>12 additional CMS hours:</b> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/> _____ <input type="checkbox"/>
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major	<b>CORPORATE COMMUNICATION</b>	<b>INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION</b>	<b>POLITICAL COMMUNICATION</b>
	CMS 313M <input type="checkbox"/>	CMS 315M <input type="checkbox"/>	CMS 317C <input type="checkbox"/>
	<b>9 hours</b> chosen from the Corporate Pick list at <a href="https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies">https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies</a>	<b>9 hours</b> chosen from the Interpersonal Pick list at <a href="https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies">https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies</a>	<b>9 hours</b> chosen from the Political Pick list at <a href="https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies">https://moody.utexas.edu/academics/degree-programs/bachelor-science-communication-studies</a>
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	*The course selected may not be counted toward any additional CMS major requirement. See notes section on reverse.		

etc.	In combination with the core, college and major requirements, electives may be needed to meet the <b>120 hours</b> and the <b>36 upper-division</b> hours required for graduation. Elective hours may be used toward the optional minor/certificate (see reverse).		upper-division elective/minor hours
			additional elective/minor hours

Hours Lacking		Hours Completed		Total Hours (120 Minimum)	
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minor

**OPTIONAL MINOR/CERTIFICATE:** A minor or certificate consists of 15+ hours of coursework prescribed by the offering department. Moody College students may only declare one (minor or certificate, not both), and must declare it before completing 75% of their degree requirements. Full policies can be found at [moody.utexas.edu/students/policies/minors](http://moody.utexas.edu/students/policies/minors).

COURSES \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_

notes

- Students must take at least 36 and no more than 48 hours of CMS coursework. At least 18 of these hours must be upper-division.
- A student may not enroll in more than nine hours of CMS courses in one semester.
- A student may not double major in Communication Studies and Communication and Leadership.
- **No more than 60 hours of Communication coursework can count for degree credit.**
- A grade of C- or better is required in each course taken in the Moody College (some courses require a higher grade to advance in the degree), and no Communication course may be taken on a pass/fail basis unless it is only offered as pass/fail.
- Students must have a 2.0 overall GPA at UT and in Moody College coursework in order to graduate.
- Only 1 hour of Music Performance and 1 hour of PED coursework each may be counted toward a degree in the Moody College.
- Moody College polices are listed at [moody.utexas.edu/students/policies](http://moody.utexas.edu/students/policies).

First Year

**CMS 306M**  
Professional Communication Skills  
*Ethics Flag*

Lower-division CMS course

Second Year

**CMS 313M/315M/317C**  
Organizational Communication  
Interpersonal Comm Theory  
Speech in American Culture  
*(pick course based on track)*

Lower-division CMS track course

Third Year

Upper-division CMS elective

**CMS 332K**  
Theories of Persuasion  
*Prerequisite: Upper-division standing*

Lower-division CMS course

Upper-division CMS Career Prep

Fourth Year

Upper-division CMS track course

Upper-division CMS elective

Lower-division CMS Methods

Upper-division CMS track course

This is a suggested arrangement of courses. Yours may vary slightly.