



NSCC Guided Pathway

2021-22

Liberal Arts (LAT) – Communication and Media Studies Pathway

Associate in Arts • Liberal Studies Division

Recommended Course Selection Sequence		Required	Credits	Course Offered	CPL Option	Completion
MDA107	Introduction to Digital Media Literacy		3			<input type="checkbox"/>
HIS103 or HIS104	U.S. History 1 U.S. History 2		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
PSY102	Introduction to Psychology		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
SPE102	Speech		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
CMP101	Composition 1	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
SPE106	Interpersonal Communication	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
MDA205	Scripting: Storytelling in a Digital Age		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
Science Elective		Ⓡ	3			<input type="checkbox"/>
MAT140	Liberal Arts Math		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
CMP120 or CMP126	Composition 2: Writing about Media Composition 2: Writing about Film	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
SOC106	Introduction to Sociology		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
DRA102	Introduction to Theater		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
SPE202	Intercultural Communication	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
Laboratory Science Elective		Ⓡ	4			<input type="checkbox"/>
MDA201	Media Studies	Ⓡ	3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
LIT202-216	Advanced Literature Elective		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
MDA203	World Cinema		3		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
MDA108 or MDA110 or MDA112	Television Studies and the Big Picture Film and Popular Culture American Cinema		3			<input type="checkbox"/>
Liberal Arts Electives		Ⓡ	5		X	<input type="checkbox"/>
Total Program Credits:			60			

Program Notes

- Open admissions
- Eligible Commonwealth Commitment program
- Eligible North Shore Promise program
- MassTransfer program
- Day or evening program

Campus Information

- Lynn or Danvers campus

Additional Graduation Requirements

- Cumulative CLGPA at or above 2.0
- Submit your intent to graduate form at: www.northshore.edu/registrar

Advising Notes

- The recommended courses listed are designed upon degree completion for a student to be eligible to transfer to a public Massachusetts state university or UMASS system institution with junior status in the major of communication and media study.
- Courses are listed in the recommended order you should take them.
- Many courses have prerequisite requirements that must be fulfilled to be eligible to enroll in the course.
- If you intend to graduate with an associate degree in two years, you should enroll in at least 15 credits if taking only fall/spring courses.
- Completing 30 credits each year helps students stay on track to timely graduation.
- Taking classes in the winter intersession and summer can accelerate your time to degree completion.
- All student degree audits for graduation purposes will be based off the official program of study the student is enrolled in.

Ⓡ Required course for degree

X Center for Alternative Studies & Educational Testing (CAS) – Course competencies and prerequisites may be fulfilled through Credit for Prior Learning (CPL). Visit www.northshore.edu/cas for more information.



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