

## Program Completion Plan (Eight Semester Plan)

**Department:** \_\_\_\_\_ Communication Sciences and Disorders **Degree:** \_\_\_\_\_ BS  
**Program/Major:** \_\_\_\_\_ Communication Sciences and Disorders  
**Track/Emphasis:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Does this program require a minor? (Yes/No)** \_\_\_\_\_ No<sup>1</sup>

Important program information in the online *Undergraduate Bulletin*:

**UCA Core Requirements:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2013/general-policies-information/uca-core/>  
**Degree Requirements:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2013/general-policies-information/degree-requirements/>  
**Program Description:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2013/colleges-departments-programs/college-of-health-and-behavioral-sciences/department-of-communication-sciences-and-disorders/>  
**Course Descriptions:** <http://uca.edu/ubulletin2013/courses/>

This degree program requires a total of **120** semester credit hours, including at least 40 upper-division credit hours.<sup>2</sup>

Comparable courses in the Arkansas Course Transfer System (ACTS) are cross-referenced in the ACTS column of each semester block below; a [core link](http://uca.edu/go/ubulletin-ldcore/) (<http://uca.edu/go/ubulletin-ldcore/>) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* UCA Core page, where UCA Core options and ACTS course numbers are listed in full; an [acts link](http://uca.edu/go/acts) takes the user to the *Undergraduate Bulletin's* ACTS page (<http://uca.edu/go/acts>) for additional information and a full UCA-ACTS crosswalk.

### Year 1

#### Fall – Semester 1 (credit hours: 15)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG or HONC	1310 1310	Introduction to College Writing or Honors Core I	3	ENGL1013
MATH	1390	College Algebra	3	MATH1103
		UCA Core Course (Responsible living) <sup>3</sup>	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
SPCH	1300	Basic Oral Communication	3	SPCH1003
		UCA Core Course (Inquiry & Analysis: Fine Arts or Humanities)	3	<a href="#">core link</a>

#### Spring – Semester 2 (credit hours: 16)

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
WRTG or HONC	1320 1320	Academic Writing and Research or Honors Core II	3	ENGL1023
CSD	2300	Introduction to Communication Sciences and Disorders	3	
BIOL	1400 or 1440	Biology for General Education or Principles of Biology I	4	BIOL1004 BIOL1014
		UCA Core Course (Diversity in Creative Works)	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
PSYC or SOC	1300 1300	General Psychology or Principles of Sociology	3	PSYC1103 SOCI1013

**Year 2****Fall – Semester 3 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	2306	Neuroscience for Communication	3	
		UCA Core Course (Inquiry and Analysis: American History and Government)	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
CHEM or CHEM or PHYS or PHYS or PHYS	1402 or 1450 or 1405 or 1410 or 1441	General Chemistry for Health Sciences or College Chemistry I or Applied Physics or College Physics I or University Physics I	4	CHEM1214 CHEM1414  PHYS2014 PHYS2034
		UCA Core Course (Diversity in World Cultures)	3	<a href="#">core link</a>
		General Elective	2	

**Spring – Semester 4 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	2322	Applied Phonetics	3	
		General Elective	3	
		General Elective	3	
BIOL	1440 or higher <sup>4</sup>	BS Special Degree Requirement (Science)	4	<a href="#">acts link</a>
		General Elective	2	

**Year 3****Fall – Semester 5 (credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	3306	Anatomy & Physiology for Communication Sciences and Disorders	3	
CSD	3321	Language Acquisition & Literacy	3	
CSD	3311 <sup>5</sup>	Fundamentals of Speech & Hearing Science	3	
		General Elective	3	
		General Elective	3	

**Spring – Semester 6 (credit hours: 16)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	3301	Articulation & Phonological Disorders	3	
CSD	3335	Birth To Five: Assessment & Intervention	3	
BIOL	1440 or higher	BS Special Degree Requirement (Science)	4	<a href="#">acts link</a>
		General Elective	3	
PSYC	2330	Psychological Statistics	3	

**Year 4****Fall – Semester 7 (Credit hours: 13)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	4340	Research Principles & Practice	3	
CSD	4311	Audiology	3	
CSD	4400	Language Disorders Across the Lifespan	4	
		General Elective	3	

**Spring – Semester 8 (Credit hours: 15)**

SUBJ	NUM	TITLE	SCH	ACTS
CSD	4315	Aural Rehabilitation	3	
CSD	4325	Clinical Methods	3	
CSD	4345	Special Topics	3	
CSD	4326	Diagnostic Methods	3	
		General Elective – upper division	3	

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**To be completed by the advisor when an Eight-Semester Plan is accepted by the student:**

**If applicable, has student selected a minor? Type “x” as appropriate. \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes**

**If “yes,” specify: \_\_\_\_\_**

**Notes**

<sup>1</sup> A minor is not required. In lieu of a minor, students must complete approximately 22 hours of electives across related disciplines approved by the major academic advisor.

<sup>2</sup> The program requires a 2.75 minimum cumulative GPA and a 3.2 minimum major GPA. If a student receives a D or F in any CSD course, the course must be repeated.

<sup>3</sup> See appropriate choices, alternatives, or substitutions under “UCA Core” in the *Undergraduate Bulletin*. During the first year, a student must complete a UCA Core course designated as a First-Year Seminar (FYS) in Critical Inquiry, Diversity or Responsible Living. The student will also need to complete major or general elective courses designated as fulfilling the upper-division and capstone requirements of the UCA Core.

<sup>4</sup> This degree plan assumes eight (8) hours of lab science coursework beyond the general education requirements to satisfy the B.S. special degree requirements.

<sup>5</sup> CSD 3311 is also offered in Spring, for those students who did not take it in the Fall.