

Journalism

The Journalism concentration at Northeast Community College is designed to acquaint students with various basic techniques used in newspaper and other media. Students may earn an associate of arts degree in two years and put their skills directly to work, or transfer into a bachelor's degree program at a four-year college. Students gain valuable skills and experience writing and editing the College newspaper. Career fields include newspaper publishing, magazine publishing, book publishing, writing, and education.

Suggested Program of Study for Associate of Arts Degree (2 years)

Freshman Year

FIRST SEMESTER	
Course	Credits
JOUR 1100 Newswriting.....	3
JOUR 1150 Applied Journalism I.....	3
ENGL 1010 Composition I.....	3
Social Science*.....	3
History*.....	3
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SECOND SEMESTER	
Course	Credits
JOUR 1010 Intro to Mass Media.....	3
JOUR 1160 Applied Journalism II.....	3
HPER Basic Sports Series*.....	1
Fine/Performing Arts*.....	3
Oral Communication.....	3
Elective**.....	3-4
	16-17

Sophomore Year

FIRST SEMESTER	
Course	Credits
JOUR 2100 News Editing.....	3
JOUR 2170 Applied Journalism III.....	3
Behavioral Science*.....	3
Mathematics*.....	3-4
English/Literature*.....	3
	15-16

SECOND SEMESTER	
Course	Credits
HPER 1500 Lifetime Wellness.....	2
JOUR 2180 Applied Journalism IV.....	3
POLS 1000 American Government.....	3
SOCI 2150 Issues of Unity and Diversity.....	3
Natural Science*.....	4-5
	15-16

To earn an associate of arts degree, a student must satisfactorily complete a minimum of 60 semester hours that include the general education requirements.

* See general education requirements.

** Recommended electives: ARTS 1000 Introduction to Photoshop, ARTS 1450 Graphic Arts I, ARTS 2500 Photography, ARTS 2530 Digital Photography, SPAN 1200 Elementary Spanish, SPCH 2010 Interpersonal Communication, BSAD 2520 Principles of Marketing, BRDC 1100 Intro to Electronic Media