

ORAL ROBERTS UNIVERSITY
DEGREE: **Bachelor of Arts**
MAJOR: **Communication**
CONCENTRATION:

DEGREE PLAN SHEET 2016-2017
ORU Distance Learning: COMD

TOTAL HOURS REQUIRED 128
Hours in general education 60-63
Hours in major 30
Hours in minor 18
Hours in electives 17-20

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Advisor _____

SEMESTER TAKEN	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOURS	SEMESTER TAKEN	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE	CREDIT HOURS
YEAR 1, Fall Semester A				YEAR 1, Spring Semester B			
_____	GEN 114	OR Online Learning Strategies***	3	_____	COM 309	Argumentation and Persuasion	3
_____	GEN 099	Whole Person Assessment	0	_____	_____	Laboratory Science Lecture**	3
_____	THE 103	Spirit-Empowered Living	3	_____	_____	Laboratory Science Lab**	1
YEAR 1, Fall Semester B				YEAR 1, Summer Semester A			
_____	COM 101	Oral Communication	3	_____	GOV 101	Elective (SPA 101 recommended)	3-4
_____	HUM 103	Christian Worldview and Culture	3	_____	_____	American Government and Politics	3
YEAR 1, Spring Semester A				YEAR 1, Summer Semester B			
_____	HUM _____	Humanities Course	3	_____	SPA 102	Elementary Spanish II	4
_____	BLIT 110	Survey of Old Testament Literature	3	_____	COMP 101	OR Composition I****	3
YEAR 2, Fall Semester A				YEAR 2, Spring Semester B			
_____	COMP 102	Composition II*****	3	_____	_____	Social Sciences Elective*	3
_____	SPA 203	Intermediate Spanish I	3	_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3
YEAR 2, Fall Semester B				YEAR 2, Summer Semester A			
_____	COM 203	Interpersonal Communication	3	_____	HUM _____	Humanities Course	3
_____	MAT 105	College Algebra	3	_____	BLIT 120	Survey of New Testament Literature	3
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	HPE 001	Health Fitness I	1
YEAR 2, Spring Semester A				YEAR 2, Summer Semester B			
_____	COM 412	Training and Development	3	_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3
_____	_____	Elective	3	_____	HPE 002	Health Fitness II	1
YEAR 3, Fall Semester A				YEAR 3, Spring Semester B			
_____	COM 300	Organizational Communication	3	_____	CAM 451	Communications Internship	3
_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3	_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3
YEAR 3, Fall Semester B				YEAR 3, Summer Semester A			
_____	COM 410	Discussion & Conference Leadership	3	_____	COM 302	Advanced Public Speaking	3
_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3	_____	_____	Elective	3
YEAR 3, Spring Semester A				YEAR 3, Summer Semester B			
_____	_____	Laboratory Science Lecture**	3	_____	HIS 101	American History Survey: 1760 to Present	3
_____	_____	Laboratory Science Lab**	1	_____	_____	Elective	3
_____	COM 342	Communication Theory	3	_____	_____	_____	_____
YEAR 4, Fall Semester A				YEAR 4, Spring Semester B			
_____	COM 446	Business and Professional Speech	3	_____	COM 499	Senior Paper/Project	2
_____	_____	Elective	3	_____	_____	Elective	2-3
_____	HPE 101	Fitness for Life I	1	_____	_____	_____	_____
YEAR 4, Fall Semester B				YEAR 4, Spring Semester A			
_____	COMP 303	Critical Reading and Writing	3	_____	_____	Senior Paper Preparation	1
_____	HPE 102	Fitness for Life II	1	_____	_____	Elective (If Applicable)	3
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	Course in Selected Minor	3

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Above is a list of courses that must be taken in order to complete your degree. The order may change due to the availability of courses or previous college course work. However, it is suggested that you follow this degree plan format. Elective requirements may be fulfilled by transfer of credit or by taking courses of the student's choice from ORU's undergraduate online offerings. **(NOTE: This is not your transfer evaluation!)**

Please note that taking more than 8 credit hours per 7-week term is neither recommended nor allowed without petition.

KEY

- * - One of the following transfers as a social sciences elective: BUS 201, FIN 244, PSY 201, SOC 101, SOC 201.
- ** - Students may choose from the following laboratory science courses: BIO 101, PSC 101, CHE 101.
- *** - Students with fewer than 24 credit hours upon entering the program must take GEN 114 as the required orientation course. Hours from GEN 114 will satisfy one of the 3-credit-hour elective course requirements.
- **** - Students with acceptable scores on the English placement exam may take a HUM course in place of the COMP 101 requirement.
- ***** - Students must either complete COMP 101 with "C" or higher or pass a placement exam in order to enroll in COMP 102.
- T - Transferred
- NA - Not applicable



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General Education			Credit Hours
Online Orientation Course (One of the following:)			0-3
GEN	099	Whole Person Assessment	
GEN	114	Online Learning Strategies	
English (COMP 102, 303)			6
Foreign Language (2 consecutive semesters including 203)			6
Oral Communication (COM 101)			3
Humanities (HUM 103 plus three of the following: COMP 101; HUM 222, 233, 244)			12
Biblical Literature (BLIT 110, 120)			6
Theology (THE 103)			3
Mathematics (MAT 105)			3
American History (HIS 101)			3
American Government (GOV 101)			3
Laboratory Science (Choice of two of the following:)			8
BIO	101	Principles of Biology Lecture and Laboratory	
PSC	101	Principles of Physical Science Lecture and Laboratory	
CHE	101	Principles of Chemistry Lecture and Laboratory	
Social Sciences Elective (Choice of one of the following:)			3
BUS	201	Principles of Economics I	
FIN	244	Personal Financial Planning	
PSY	201	Introduction to Psychology	
SOC	101	Introduction to Sociology	
SOC	201	Marriage and the Family	
Health, Physical Education, and Recreation (HPE 001, 002, 101, 102)			4
General Education Total			<hr/> 60-63
Major (Grade of "C" or higher required)			
Interpersonal Communication (COM 203)			3
Organizational Communication (COM 300)			3
Advanced Public Speaking (COM 302)			3
Argumentation and Persuasion (COM 309)			3
Communication Theory (COM 342)			3
Senior Paper Preparation (COM 498)			1
Senior Paper/Project (COM 499)			2
Training and Development (COM 412)			3
Business and Professional Speech (COM 446)			3
Discussion and Conference Leadership (COM 410)			3
Communications Internship (CAM 451)			3
Major Total			30
Minor			18
Electives			17-20
Degree Total			<hr/> 128