

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in Applied Communication: Communication Studies degree at Miami University for students who completed an Associate of Arts degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Communication Studies Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) or Second Writing (TME002) course depending on placement	ENG 111	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Mathematics course [Recommended: Quantitative Reasoning (TMM011)] ¹	MTH 119 or Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Literature course)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course with lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Up to 12 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	12
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Intro to Communication Theory (OCM001)	STC 238	3
Interpersonal Communication (OCM002)	STC 136	3
Small Group Communication (OCM003)	STC 231	3
Public Speaking/Oral Communication (OCM013)	STC 135	3
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
Foreign Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives	Varies*	6
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:		60-65
Advising Notes: (*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded. ¹ Miami University requires Introductory Statistics (TMM010) for the Bachelor of Arts in Applied Communication: Communication Studies.		

The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Applied Communication: Communication Studies degree at Miami University after a student has completed an Associate of Arts Ohio Guaranteed Communication Studies Transfer Pathway degree. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE		Course Number	Credit Hours
General Education:	Advanced Writing (if not already completed during the associate degree)	Varies	0-3
General Education:	Intercultural Perspectives Course	Varies	3
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #1	Varies	3
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #2	Varies	3
General Education:	Thematic Sequence Course #3	Varies	3
General Education:	Experiential Learning	Varies	0-3
Major Requirement:	Statistics (if not already completed during the associate degree)	STA 261	0-3
Major Requirement:	Empirical Research Methods	STC 262	3
Major Requirement:	Advanced Methods in Applied Communication	APC 363	3
Major Requirement:	Introduction to Organizational Communication	STC 339	3
Major Requirement:	Intercultural Communication or Foreign Language at 202 level	STC 436	3
Major Requirement:	Applied Communication Capstone	APC 401	3
Major Requirement:	Communication Contexts (select four classes)	Varies	12
Major Requirement:	Advanced Communication Electives (select two classes)	Varies	6
General Electives:	General Electives	Varies	14-19
REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:¹			59-64
Advising Notes: ¹ Miami University requires a total of 124 credit hours for degree completion. The total number of hours to complete a bachelor's degree represents a range of hours that may be needed depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.			

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	124

SPECIAL NOTES
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SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
STC 262 Empirical Research Methods	3	Intercultural Perspectives course	3
Communication in Context Elective	3	STC 339 Introduction to Organizational Communication	3
Communication in Context Elective	3	APC 363 Advanced Methods in Applied Communication	3
Thematic Sequence Course #1	3	Advanced Communication Elective	3
Advanced Writing (if needed) or STA 261 Statistics (if needed) or General Elective	3	Thematic Sequence Course #2	3
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	15	Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	15

FOURTH YEAR

SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
STC 436 Intercultural Communication	3	APC 401 Applied Communication Capstone	3
Experiential Learning	0-3	Communication in Context Elective	3
Communication in Context Elective	3	General Elective	3
Advanced Communication Elective	3	General Elective	3
Thematic Sequence Course #3	3	General Elective	3
General Elective	3-6		
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	15-18	Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	15