

Writing for Mass Media

TV & Film Production

Media, Culture, & Society

Audio Production & Performance

MCOM 1332

MCOM 2371

MCOM 1330

MCOM 1371

SHSU Catalog (2025/2026)

Bachelor of Arts, Mass Communication: Multiplatform Journalism				
CORE REQUIREMENTS	REQUIREMENTS Departmen		munications 9	036.294.1341 mcom@shsu.edu
Course Name		Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Communication (6 hours)				
Composition I		3	ENGL 1301	ENGL 1301
Composition II		3	ENGL 1302	ENGL 1302
Mathematics (3 hours)				
College Mathematics		3	MATH 1332	MATH 1332
Life & Physical Sciences (6 hours)				
Choose two courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.				
Language, Philosophy, & Culture (3 hours) ¹				
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.				
Creative Arts (3 hours)				
Choose one course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.				
American History (6 hours)				
United States History to 1876		3	HIST 1301	HSTY 1301
United States History since 1876		3	HIST 1302	HSTY 1302
Government/Political Science (6 hours)				
American Government		3	GOVT 2305	POLS 2305
Texas Government		3	GOVT 2306	POLS 2306
Social & Behavioral Science (3 hours) ²				
Choose <u>one</u> course from your current Texas community college's core approved list.				
Component Area Option Recommendations (6 hours) ^{1, 3}				
Choose <u>two</u> courses from your current Texas community college's core approved list.				
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS Full degree can be found here: https://www.shsu.edu/programs/bachelor-of-arts-in-mass-communication/index.html				
Course Name		Hours	TCCNS	SHSU
Contemporary Moral Issues		3	PHIL 2306	PHIL 2306
Media Literacy		1	COMM 2300	MCOM 1130

3 COMM 2303 Foreign Language (14 hours)¹

COMM 2311

COMM 1336

COMM 1335

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SHSU requires 4 semesters of foreign language (one field)

*SHSU accepts a maximum of 70 credit hours: 66 academic hours + 4 hours of activity-based physical education (kinesiology) hours. Students must earn a 2.0 minimum overall GPA in all coursework, overall major GPA in all major coursework, SHSU GPA in all coursework, and SHSU major GPA in all major coursework.

All Mass Communication majors and minors must earn a grade of "C" or better in each Mass Communication course. A minor is not required for this degree program.

1 - Foreign Language Course WOLC 2311 and WOLC 2312 satisfy the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area IV (Language, Philosophy, and Culture) and three hours of the requirement for Component Area IX (Component Area Option).

2 - MCOM 1307 can be taken at SHSU and satisfies the Core Curriculum requirement for Component Area VIII (Social and Behavioral Sciences).

3 - PHIL 2306 and MCOM 1130 satisfy four hours of the requirement for Component Area IX (Component Area Option) and are Degree Specific/Major requirements for Mass Communication.