Humanities and Communication: Freshman & Sophomore Pathway 2022-2023

HCOM majors may complete this general pathway for freshman and sophomores, then follow the Transfer pathway for their selected concentration.

• Journalism and Media Studies concentration must also complete HCOM 170 and HCOM 280.

English Subject Matter Preparation concentration must also complete HCOM 222 (Fall semester odd

years only).

Fall Freshman Courses (15 units total)	Course or GE Title	Units	GE/Major
FYS 1XX (any FYS)	First Year Seminar with any GE	3	FYS
HDFS 200, KIN 161, KIN 263 or PSY 210	Lifelong Learning & Self-Development	3	E
HCOM 120, 125, SBS 110, CAD 102+90 (or CAD 101A)	Written Communication class	3	A2
Lang 101, 102, 201, 340, 350, or SPAN 212	Language other than English	3	C2. WLC
HCOM 243 or 251 or 265	US History Requirement		
or SBS 111 or 114 or 249 or CST 274		3	US1 with any GE
Spring Freshman Courses (15 units total)	Course or GE Title	Units	GE/Major
HCOM 110	Fund of Speaking & Listening	3	A1
STAT 100 (+ STAT 10 if needed)	Introductory Statistics	3	B4
CAD 101B or elective	Reading and Writing or elective	3	A2 or elective
SPAN, ITAL, JAPN, or ASL 102	2nd-semester language course	3	C2
HCOM 226, 227, 230, 231, or any C1 course	Any Arts GE area C1 course	3	C1
Fall Sophomore Courses (16 units total)	Course or GE Title	Units	GE/Major
HCOM 170, 241, 242, 245, or any DGSS	General Social Sciences GE (DGSS)	3	DGSS
HCOM200 or HCOM202	Critical Thinking GE area A3	3	A3
ENVS 201 or BIO 106 or PSY 110+110L	Human Bio & Behavior, Env Sci or Plant Sci	4	B2, B3
SPAN, ITAL, JAPN, ASL 201; or SPAN or WLC 212	World Culture & Lang Proficiency	3	WCLP
HCOM 222 for English Subject Matter Prep	Free elective (or lower-division major		
HCOM 280 for Journalism & Media Studies	requirement if needed)		
Or free elective for		3	Free elective
Spring Sophomore Courses (14 units total)	Course or GE Title	Units	GE/Major
ENVS 282 or AGPS 128 or PHYS 121/L	Physical Science GE course	3	B1
HCOM260S, SL210S, ED 212S, SBS212S	Civics/Service Learning GE course	3	DCSL, US2&3
HCOM 220, 224, 229, 243, 246, or 247, or SBS 249, GS 236, SPAN 260, or HOSP 221	GE area F (ethnic Studies)	3	F
Minor or Free elective	Free elective	4	Free elective
	HCOM General Freshman/Sophomore:	60	