

Lincoln Land Community College
Associate of Arts
Applied Communication Studies

Completion of an Associate in Arts or Science degree at Lincoln Land Community College fulfills SIUE’s general education requirements with the exception of an Interdisciplinary Studies course that all students must take during their junior or senior year at SIUE.

This “Transfer Program Guide” is an *example* of proposed curriculum for students to use while completing their associate’s degree. Reading, writing, and math placement could alter the course sequencing and transfer date. Therefore, students should begin sequencing their reading/writing (if applicable) and math & science courses during the first semester, paying particular attention to prerequisites. Students have the option of taking summer classes to lessen fall and spring course loads.

It is highly recommended that students meet with a Lincoln Land College advisor. Please see “**Important Student Notes**” located on page two of this transfer guide.

Fall Year 1

LLCC Course		Hours
EGL 101	Composition I	3
CMN 101	Public Speaking Fundamentals	3
IAI FA	IAI Fine Arts	3
IAI LS	IAI Life Science W/WO Lab	4
ELEC	Elective	3
Total		16

Spring Year 1

LLCC Course		Hours
EGL 102	Composition II	3
CMN 104	Interpersonal Speech	3
IAI HUM	IAI Humanities	3
IAI MATH	IAI Math	3
IAI PS	IAI Physical Science W/WO Lab	3
Total		15

Fall Year 2

LLCC Course		Hours
ELEC	Elective	3
IAI FA/HUM	IAI Fine Arts or Humanities	3
IAI SOC/BEH	IAI Social Behavioral Science	3
ELEC	Elective	3
IAI SOC/BEH	IAI Social Behavioral Science	3
Total		15

Spring Year 2

LLCC Course		Hours
JRN 205	Introduction to Public Relations	4
ELEC	Elective	3
IAI SOC/BEH	IAI Social Behavioral Science	3
ELEC	Elective	4
Total		14

Associate Total **60**

A minor is required for students who major in ACS. Options for a double major, double minor, or a single minor are available. Courses taken at LLCC to meet LLCC’s general education requirements (including electives) can be used for the minor(s) or additional major. Students should begin planning early for any of these options.

Students must complete 50% or more of SIUE degree requirements at SIUE (120 + hours required for graduation).

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IMPORTANT STUDENT NOTES:

The preceding information is provided to assist students in the transfer process. In no way does this document substitute for meeting with an academic advisor. Students are advised to meet on a regular basis with advisors at Lincoln Land and SIUE. Courses taken through dual credit can be applied to required SIUE coursework, please contact a Lincoln Land College advisor for more information. Please consult the Lincoln Land College catalog for additional graduation requirements.

Students have 2 options when pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Applied Communication Studies (ACS).

A Bachelor of Arts degree will require 2 semesters of the same foreign language, which can be taken at either LLCC or SIUE, in addition to 8 Humanities and/or Fine Arts Courses (some of which will be completed with the Associate in Arts.)

A Bachelor of Science degree will require completion of 8 courses in life, physical, or social science, in addition to 2 courses with a lab component (all of which will be met with the completion of the Associate in Arts.)

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

A cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher (on a 4.0 scale)

SIUE ACS students choose from among 3 Tracks: Corporate and Organizational, Interpersonal Communication, and Public Relations.