

This document is designed for community college students completing the Communication Studies Transfer Pathway A.A. with the intent to transfer to the University of St. Thomas and complete the Communication Studies B.A. degree. Students who do not intend to complete the 60-credit degree should contact our [transfer admission team](#) to plan course selections for the major and the goal areas.

Below is the list of approved coursework from the pathway that meets general education requirements or Communication major requirements. All courses must be completed with a C- or better to transfer.

Century Communication Studies Pathway Credits	Credits	St. Thomas Communication Studies Requirements Met
COMM 1021 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COMM 100 Public Speaking
COMM 1031 Interpersonal Communication	3	COMM 220 Interpersonal Communication
COMM 1041 Small Group Communication	3	COMM 274 Small Group Communication
COMM 1051 Intercultural Communication	3	COMM 370 Intercultural Communication
Total Communication Studies Pathway credits	12	
MINNESOTA TRANSFER CURRICULUM (MnTC)		St. Thomas Core Requirement
Goal area 1 (2 courses) See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options		
Goal area 2 – Met by completion of all 40 credits of the MnTC		
Goal area 3 (2 courses) Two courses from two different disciplines with at least one lab course See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options		
Goal area 4 (1 course) See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options		
Goal area 5 (3 courses) Three Courses from three different disciplines See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options		
Goal area 6 (3 courses) See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options		
Goal areas 7 and 8 – Met by taking required COMM courses	-	See Comm classes above
Goal areas 9 and 10 – one course in each Goal 9 COMM 1021 Fundamentals of Public Speaking Goal 10 See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options	-	See Comm Classes above
Total Communication Studies and MnTC credits	40	

**Recommended by St. Thomas*

Goal areas for MnTC (Minnesota Transfer Curriculum)	Credits	General education courses at St. Thomas
Completion of MnTC requirements and Communication	40	Meets general education requirements except for Theology, Philosophy, and Senior Capstone Experience.
The number of elective credits will vary depending on the number of MnTC and required coursework credits a student takes.	13 - 20	General electives apply towards the minimum 129 credits needed for a bachelor's degree.
Total credits transferred from A.A. degree	60	

Remaining major courses for St. Thomas Communication Studies major	Credits
COMM 328: Communication of Race, Class Gender	4
COMM 366: Persuasion and Social Influence	4
COMM 480: Capstone: Communication Ethics	4
COMM Elective Courses (St. Thomas offers 2 and 4-credit Communication Studies elective courses.)	12
Total Communication Studies Credits at St. Thomas	24
Remaining graduation requirements for a St. Thomas B.A. degree	-----
1 Theology course	4
1 Philosophy course	4
Elective credits to reach a minimum of 129 credits	37
Total credits completed at university	69
Total credits needed for St. Thomas B.A. degree	129



Advising Notes:

The following Comm Courses can count as general St. Thomas electives but can't be used to complete the Communication Studies B.A. degree.

COMM 1061 - Introduction to Mass Communication

COMM 2033 - Nonverbal Communication

COMM 2071 - Communication and Gender

COMM 2780 - Communication Internship

COMM 2790 - Special Topics

Transfer application link:

<https://www.stthomas.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/apply/index.html>