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.

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MINNESOTA TRANSFER CURRICULUM (MnTC)  St. Thomas Core Requirement

Goal area 1 (3 courses)
- See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options

Goal area 2 – (3 courses)
- See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options

Goal area 3 (2 courses)
- From two different disciplines, one must have a lab course
- See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options

Goal area 4 (1 course)
- See MnTC Curriculum for specific course options

Goal area 5 (2 courses)
- Two Courses from two 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 – (2 courses)
- One course may satisfy more than one goal area

Goal areas 9 and 10 – (2 courses)
- One course may satisfy more than one goal area

Total Communication Studies and MnTC credits 40

*Recommended by St. Thomas

Goal areas for MnTC (Minnesota Transfer Curriculum)  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 and Health/Physical Education credits will vary depending on the number of MnTC and required coursework credits a student takes.  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

Requirements based on 2023-24 Academic Catalogue
Updated 9/2023
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 2250 TOPICS IN COMMUNICATION STUDIES (MNTC 2, 7) 2-3 credits

Transfer application link:
https://www.stthomas.edu/admissions/undergraduate/transfer/apply/index.html