



COMMUNICATION STUDIES

Associate of Arts Degree

PENDING STATE APPROVAL FOR 2009 – 2010

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE MAJOR:

COURSE NO.	TITLE	UNITS
COMS 105	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3
OR		
COMS 105H	Fundamentals of Public Speaking - Honors	3
OR		
COMS 223	Small Group Communication	3
COMS 150	Oral Interpretation	3
OR		
COMS 190	Forensics	2-4
COMS 225	Strategies of Argumentation	3
OR		
COMS 227	Introduction to Rhetorical Criticism	3
COMS 250	Process of Communication	3
Plus complete 9 units from the following:		
COMS 110	Communication and Leadership	3
COMS 235	Intergenerational Communication	3
COMS 246	Interpersonal Communication	3
COMS 256	Intercultural Communication	3
COMS 260	Communication and Gender	3
Total Units for the Major		20-22

PLUS:

- ◆ a minimum of 60 semester units (a minimum of 12 units completed at College of the Canyons)
- ◆ completion of either Cal State University General Education or UC/CSU IGETC General Education patterns, Diversity, American Institutions. **NOTE: PE/Wellness is not required.**
- ◆ a minimum 2.0 grade point average (C average) or better in associate degree applicable units and be in good standing at College of the Canyons (all courses required for the major must be completed with a C grade or better).