

SPORTS COMMUNICATION (B.A.)

Unless otherwise noted, 120 credits of coursework is required for a baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.0 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.0 major GPA.

For details about this program, including program description, admission requirements, and contact information, click here (<https://www.montclair.edu/academics/programs/ba-sports-communication/>).

Degree Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	New Student Seminar	1
	SEEDS General Education Requirements	31-33
	Major Requirements	46
	Free Electives	42-40
Total Credits		120

Major Requirements

Code	Title	Credits
Core Requirements		
CMST 110	Introduction to Communication and Media	3
CMST 210	Theorizing Communication and Media	3
Major Requirements		
JOUR 180	Multimedia Toolkit	4
JOUR 253	News Videography	3
SPTC 241	Introduction to Sports Storytelling	3
SPTC 247	Sports Media and Society	3
STCM 240	Social Media Analytics	3
300-Level Major Electives		
Complete two courses from the following:		6
SPTC 340	Sports Public Relations	
SPTC 341	Cross Platform Sports Writing and Reporting	
SPTC 342	Sports Television and Radio Performance	
SPTC 343	Sports Analytics	
400-Level Major Electives		
SPTC 440	Sports Sponsorships and Promotions	3
or SPTC 441	Sports Production for Television, Radio and Internet	
Additional Electives		
Complete 15 credits from any CMDA, CMST, FMTV, JOUR, SPTC, or STCM course (not previously used for major requirements). See links to course lists below.		15
Total Credits		46

Major Electives

CMDA, (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/cmda/>)
 CMST (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/cmst/>),
 FMTV, (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/fmtv/>) JOUR, (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/jour/>) SPTC, (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/sptc/>) STCM (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/coursesaz/stcm/>)

New Student Seminar

Code	Title	Credits
Students in the Adult Learner program must take GNED 100.		
Complete one course from the following. Some courses may be restricted by major. Consult with an academic advisor.		1
ADVS 198	Pathways to Success	
CHEM 190	Freshman Seminar in Chemistry	
FYS 100	First Year Seminar	
GNED 100	Adult Academic Success Seminar	
GNED 199	New Student Seminar	
HPEM 199	Freshman Seminar in Health and Physical Education	
IDS 155	Pathways to Adult Learning	
JUST 199	New Student Seminar	
MATH 102	New Student Experience for Mathematical Sciences	
MUGN 199	Freshman Seminar for Music Majors	
NURS 199	Introduction to Nursing	
POLS 199	Freshman Seminar in Political Science and Law	

SEEDS General Education Requirements

Click here for a listing of courses that fulfill the SEEDS requirements. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/programs/seeds-general-education-requirements/>)

Code	Title	Credits
Foundations		
<i>Effective Writing I</i>		
Complete one Effective Writing I course.		3
<i>Effective Writing II</i>		
Complete one Effective Writing II course.		3
<i>Interactive Communication</i>		
Complete one Interactive Communication course.		3
<i>Quantitative Reasoning</i>		
Complete one Quantitative Reasoning course.		3
<i>Political and Civic Life</i>		
Complete one Political and Civic Life course.		3
<i>World Languages</i>		
Complete two sequential classes in one World Language when starting at the Beginner I or Beginner II level. Complete one class when starting at the Intermediate/Advanced Level.		3-6
Exploration		
Complete one course from four different Exploration categories.		12
<i>Analyzing Cultures and Societies</i>		
<i>Creative Expression</i>		
<i>Ethical Inquiry</i>		
<i>Historical Thinking</i>		
<i>Literary and Artistic Analysis</i>		
<i>Scientific Reasoning</i>		
Total Credits		30-33

Recommended Roadmap to Program of Study Completion

This recommended degree plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their program of study requirements within **four years** and 120 credits. This plan is a recommendation and must be used in consultation with their academic advisor. Important note: Students should be aware this plan assumes no pre-requisite coursework is required. If pre-requisite coursework is needed, students may have additional requirements to fulfill which do not appear on the plan.

First Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
GNED 199	1 SEEDS: Effective Writing II	3
SEEDS: Effective Writing I	3 SPTC 241	3
SEEDS: Foundation Course	3 JOUR 180	4
SEEDS: Interactive Communication - may be fulfilled by CMST 101 in the major.	3 CMST 210	3
SEEDS: Exploration 2	3 Free Elective	1
CMST 110 (Fulfills SEEDS: Exploration - Historical Thinking)	3	
	16	14

Second Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
SEEDS: World Languages 1	3 SEEDS: World Language 2 or Free Elective	3
SEEDS: Exploration 3	3 STCM 240	3
SPTC 247	3 Major Elective: Additional Elective	3
JOUR 253	3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
	15	15

Third Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
SEEDS: Exploration 4	3 Major Elective: 300 level	3
Major Elective: Additional Elective	3 Major Elective: Additional Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
	15	15

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
Major Elective: 300 level	3 Major Elective: 400 level	3
Major Elective: Additional Elective	3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3

Free Elective	3 Free Elective	3
	15	15

Total Credits 120