

**Highland Community College Suggested Program of Study  
Speech Communication (Associate in Arts)**

The Speech Communication program is designed for students intending to transfer and to seek a bachelor's degree. Students will study both group and public communication. An emphasis in communication will help prepare students for careers in human resource development, training and development, and other fields.

<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credit Hour</b>
<b><u>Basic Skills</u></b>		
COL 103	College Success and Orientation	1
ENG 101	College English I	3
ENG 102	College English II	3
MAT 104	College Algebra	3
SP 106	Public Speaking	3
	PE Elective	1
	Computer Literacy Elective	1
<b><u>Humanities</u></b>		
LG 101	Spanish I	5
TH 108	History and Appreciation of Theatre	3
	Literature Elective	3
<b><u>Social &amp; Behavioral Science</u></b>		
PSY 101	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	General Sociology	3
	Social Science Elective	3
<b><u>Natural &amp; Physical Science</u></b>		
	Science w/Lab	5
	Science Elective	3
<b><u>Electives</u></b>		
SP 101	Oral Communications	3
	Speech Communication Electives	9
	Open Electives	8

**Suggested Speech Communication Electives:** SP 105 Interpersonal Communications, SP 200 Business & Professional Speaking, and SP 103 Oral Interpretation.

**Potential Employment Applications of Degree**

Speech communication is one of the fundamental skills prized by all employers. Being able to make others understand concepts, ideas, projects, and tasks is a valuable asset.