

**TRANSFER GUIDE**  
**Communication and Theatre**  
**Western State College of Colorado**  
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**Section I: Degree/Program Requirements**

A. Institutional graduation requirements for this degree program.

The graduation requirements for a transfer student pursuing this major will be no different than the graduation requirements for a native student, including the minimum number of semester credits required for graduation. Specifically, the student must meet the following requirements:

- Complete 120 credits;
- Successfully complete the required 36 credits in the major,
- Successfully complete at least 15 upper-division courses in the major;
- Successfully complete at least 18 credits in the required minor; and
- Successfully complete at least 40 upper-division credits.

B. Required courses in the major, including pre-requisites and required supporting courses, as listed in the chart below:

<b>Community College Required Courses:</b> Required courses to be taken as part of AA/AS degree to guarantee the completion a baccalaureate degree in 60 additional credits after transfer.						
None.						
<b>Degree Program Requirements</b>						
	<b>Course Number</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>CC Course Number</b>	<b>CC Course Name</b> (recommend these courses be taken while at CC)	<b>CC Credit Hours</b>
<b>Required Major Courses</b>						
	COTH 219	Visual Communication	3			
	COTH 222	Analysis and Interpretation in Communication	3			
	COTH 271	Small Group Communication	3			
	COTH 304	Human Communication	3			
	COTH 470	Philosophy and Theory of Communication	3			
	COTH 478	Symbols in Communication	3			
	COTH 484	Communication and Theatre Seminar	3			
	<i>One of the following:</i>		3			
	COTH 215	Development of Theatre I	3			
	COTH 216	Development of Theatre II	3			

	<i>One of the following:</i>	3			
	COTH 241	Media Writing	3		
	COTH 264	Film and Video Production	3		
<b>Elective Major Courses</b>					
	COTH Electives (300-400 level)		9		
<b>Required Minor Courses</b>					
	Minimum of 18 credits		18		
<b>Other graduation requirements</b>			6		
<b>Graduation Requirements beyond AA/AS degree</b>			60		
<b>Associate of Arts/Science Degree</b>			60		
<b>TOTAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS</b>			120		

## Section II: Transfer of Credit

- A. Grade Eligibility. Only academic courses with a letter grade of "C-" or better are transferable. Western will accept and count toward meeting graduation requirements all state guaranteed general education courses that have a grade of C- or better.
- B. Western accepts scores of 4 and above on advanced placement tests and scores of 4 and above earned on international baccalaureate tests.
- C. Western will accept all approved credits earned within ten years of transfer. Courses earned more than ten years earlier may be evaluated on an individual basis.
- D. Western may apply a state guaranteed general education course toward the major or other graduation requirements if that facilitates the student's graduation more effectively.

## Section III: Appeals Process

- A. Institutional Appeal Process. Students who follow this agreement shall have the right to appeal a transfer decision that appears to be inconsistent with the terms and courses listed in this agreement. Appeals pertaining to this transfer guide should be filed with the institution. A student may file an appeal that pertains to state guaranteed general education courses directly to CCHE.
- B. State Appeal. For information on the student appeal process, refer to Student Appeal Policy at <http://higher.ed.colorado.gov/Publications/Policies/Current/i-partt.pdf> .

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