# ARTS, COMMUNICATION & DESIGN PATHWAY PROGRAM MAP: CATALOG YEAR: 2022-23



16 Units

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# Journalism: Associate in Arts for Transfer CSU

Journalism is a unique form of communication because it uses storytelling to present the news and its journalists who are the storytellers and historians that help people make sense of the events happening in the world around them. The journalism program at MSJC has many opportunities for engagement, learning, and storytelling.

Please see a Pathways Counselor: Create an education plan customized to meet your needs. Contact a Counselor

# Transfer Majors/Award Focus

- Journalism A.A.-T CSU
- Journalism A.A.-T UC

# **GE Pattern/Units**

- GE Pattern: Option B
- Total Units: 61



**Program maps** indicate the major coursework and recommended general education courses to fulfill your degree in 2 years (approximately 15 units/ semester or 30 units/year). If you are a part-time student, start Semester 1 courses and follow the course sequence. Some of the courses listed may be substituted by another course. Please view these options in the official course <u>catalog</u>.

#### Semester 1

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<b>v</b>	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
	ENGL-101	College Composition (formerly Freshman Composition)	4
	HIST-111 or HIST-112	U.S. History to 1877 or U.S. History Since 1865	3
	COMM-110	Communications Media Survey	3
	MATH-140 or PSYC-121	Introduction to Statistics or Statistics for Behavioral Sciences	3
	SOCI-101	Principles of Sociology	3

### Semester 2

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<b>v</b>	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
	COMM-104	Argumentation and Debate	3
	COMM-100	Public Speaking	3
	COMM-119	Public Relations	3
	PS-101	Introduction to American Government and Politics	3
	SPAN-101 or FREN-101 or ASL-100	Elementary Spanish I or Elementary French I or American Sign Language I	4

## **Career Options**

Program Directors (SM, A, B) Broadcast News Analysts (SM, B) Reporters and Correspondents (B, M) Find more careers: <u>msjc.emsicc.com</u> Required Education: SM: some college; C: Certificate; A: Associate,

B: Bachelor's, M: Master's; D: Doctorate



#### **Financial Aid**

Financial aid is determined by the number of credit hours you take in a semester. Maximize your financial aid by taking 12-15 units per semester.

#### Semester 3

#### 14 Units

✓	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
	ART-100	Art Appreciation	3
	JOUR-110	Introduction to Reporting and Newswriting	3
	ANTH-101	Physical Anthropology	3
	ANTH-111	Physical Anthropology Lab	1
	SPAN-102 or FREN-102 or ASL-101	Elementary Spanish II or Elementary French II or American Sign Language II	4

#### Semester 4

15 Units

<b>v</b>	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT
	COMM-103	Interpersonal Communication	3
	PS-103 or HIST-160 or LIT-275 or LIT-280	Ethnic Politics in America or Black History in the American Context or Latinx/Chicanx Literature or Multiethnic Literature	3
	ENVS-101	Environmental Science	3
	COMM-120	Survey of Communication Studies	3
	JOUR-130	Journalism Practicum	3

#### Notes:

Language Requirement: Some CSU's require the equivalency of an intermediate language proficiency for graduation. Please see a counselor for more detail regarding specific CSU major and graduation requirements.

# The Talon

While you are earning your journalism degree you can participate in our very own student newspaper, The Talon. The Talon is an internship style group that will help you apply your Journalism skills in writing, graphic design, and photography.

The Talon is a platform for Mt. San Jacinto College students and the community to promote a diverse student voice, involvement from the college, and creative collaborations to:

- Report on important issues concerning MSJC, and the students that attend the institution to better connect the student with the institution
- Promote awareness of activities that occur on campus and throughout the community MSJC serves
- Inform MSJC students of events and information critical to success in higher education
- Create a venue for the student voice which fairly represents the diversity of students that attend MSJC in an ethical manner
- Support academic freedom for legitimate intellectual viewpoints in academia and the culture as a whole

#### Work Experience

Sign up for a special project or internship opportunity. Gain work experience and earn credits.

- Support MSJC students with communication/journalism/English/multimedia focused workshops, lectures, competitions, and scholarships
- Create a forum where students can network with others with similar interests, gain experience in writing and community involvement, and understand the education system.

Visit our Mt. San Jacinto College website.

