



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist

Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences

Bachelor of Arts in Public Relations



University of Arkansas-Pulaski Technical College¹

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Possible Prerequisites			Semester	Hours	Grade
DEVE	0316	College Reading		N/C	
DEVE	0322	English Skills		N/C	
DEVE	0324	English Composition Fundamentals		N/C	
DEVE	0336	Elementary Algebra		N/C	
DEVE	0338	Intermediate Algebra		N/C	

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA ³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1311	English Composition I	WRWG 1310		3	
ENGL	1312	English Composition II	WRWG 1320		3	
SPCH	1300	Speech Communications	COMM 1300		3	

Mathematics (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MATH	1302	Choose one: College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	
MATH	1300	Quantitative Literacy	MATH 1360			

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1400	Biology for General Education <i>(or other ASLAS Life Science with Lab)</i>	BIOL 1400		4	
PHYS	1401	Physical Science and Lab <i>(or other ASLAS Physical Science with Lab)</i>	PHYS 1400		4	

Arts and Humanities (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ARTS	2300	Choose one: Introduction to Visual Arts	ART 2300		3	
MUSC	2300	Introduction to Music	MUS 2300			
THEA	2300	Introduction to Theatre <i>(or other ASLAS Arts and Humanities)</i>	THEA 2300			

Literature (3 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	2337	Choose one: World Literature from the Beginning to 1650	ENGL 2305		3	
ENGL	2338	World Literature from 1650 to the Present <i>(or other ASLAS Literature)</i>	ENGL 2306			

History/Government (3 Credit Hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
HIST	2311	Choose one: US History to 1877	HIST 2301		3	
HIST	2312	US History since 1877	HIST 2302			
POLS	1310	American National Government	PSCI 1330			

Social Science (6 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
PSYC	2300	Choose two: Psychology and the Human Experience	PSYC 1300		6	
GEOG	2310	Cultural Geography	GEOG 1320			
SOCI	2300	Introduction to Sociology <i>(or other ASLAS Social Science)</i>	SOC 1300			

Public Relations Core and Foreign Language Requirement (25 Credit Hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MCOM	2300	Beginning Reporting	JOUR 2300		3	
SPCH	2312	Interpersonal Communication	COMM 3307		3	
SPAN	1311	Choose one of the three-course combinations listed below: Elementary Spanish I	SPAN 1310		9	
SPAN	1312	Elementary Spanish II	SPAN 1320			
SPAN	2311	Intermediate Spanish I	SPAN 2300			
FREN	1311	Elementary French I	FREN 1310		10	
FREN	1312	Elementary French II	FREN 1320			
FREN	2311	Intermediate French I	FREN 2310			
		<i>ASLAS Approved Electives</i>				

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵

Core (18 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
PRLS	2305	Introduction to Public Relations		3	
COMM	2308	Perspectives in Communication		3	
COMM	2313	Introduction to Communication Research		3	
COMM	3301	Organizational Communication (UD UCA Core: C, R)		3	
		Choose One:			
COMM	3308	Argumentation & Advocacy		3	
COMM	3312	Persuasion			
MCOM	3301	Media Law & Ethics (UD UCA Core: D, R)		3	

Application (15 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
JOUR	3305	Publication Design & Makeup		3	
PRLS	3305	Public Relations Techniques		3	
PRLS	3310	Writing for Public Relations (UD UCA Core: D)		3	
PRLS	4305	Public Relations Cases & Campaigns (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	
PRLS	4308	Public Relations Management (UD UCA Core: I)		3	

Minor Field (24 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Upper Division General Elective		3	
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		Minor Elective		3	
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General Electives (3 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Elective		3	

Total Hours: 120⁶

¹ Please see your UA-PTC advisor for degree and graduation information.

² Agreement requirements are guaranteed in accordance with the academic year of initial enrollment at UA-PTC, not to precede the academic year during which the agreement first took effect. A period of non-enrollment of 12 months or more requires that the student adhere to the agreement revision corresponding with the academic year of re-enrollment.

³ UCA course is either guaranteed by ACTS (acts.adhe.edu) or by UCA Department Chair approval (if blank, elective credit will be awarded).

⁴ Students completing the AS in Liberal Arts and Sciences degree requirements, as shown above, with a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA, will have satisfied the UCA Lower-Division Core and be admitted to the BA in Public Relations degree program as a junior.

⁵ In order to receive important communications about transferring to UCA, students are encouraged to create a UCA student account at gopurple.uca.edu. For more information about the 2+2 program, students may also send email inquiries to ucatransfer@uca.edu.

⁶ This agreement requires 120 credit hours as follows: maximum 60 at UA-PTC and remaining 60 at UCA (40 of which must be upper-division).