



**2+2 Degree Plan Checklist**  
**Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences**  
**BS in Journalism (Print Journalism)**



**University of Arkansas-Pulaski Technical College<sup>1</sup>**  
**Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences<sup>2</sup>**

**General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)**

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

<b>Mathematics (3 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
MATH	1302	College Algebra	MATH 1390		3	

<b>Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
BIOL	1401	Biological Science and Lab	BIOL 1440		4	
PHYS	1401	Physical Science and Lab <i>(or other ASLAS Physical Science with Lab)</i>	PHYS 1400		4	

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

<b>Literature (3 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
ENGL	2337	<b>Choose one:</b> 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			

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

<b>Social Science (6 credit hours)</b>			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
PSYC	2300	<b>Choose two:</b> 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			

**Journalism Foundation and BS Math/Science Requirement (25 credit hours)**

			<b>UCA</b>	<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
MCOM	2300	Beginning Reporting	JOUR 2300		3	
MCOM	2330	Mass Media and Society	MCOM 1300		3	
BIOL	1402	<b>Choose one of the two-course combinations listed below:</b> Human Anatomy and Physiology I	BIOL 2406		6-8	
BIOL	1403	Human Anatomy and Physiology II	BIOL 2407			
CHEM	1405	General Chemistry I	CHEM 1450			
CHEM	1406	General Chemistry II	CHEM 1451			
MATH	1300	Mathematical Reasoning	MATH 1360			
MATH	2320	Introduction to Statistics and Probability	MATH 2311			
PHYS	1402	College Physics I	PHYS 1410			
PHYS	1403	College Physics II	PHYS 1420			
		<i>ASLAS Approved Electives</i>			11-13	

**Total Hours: 60<sup>4</sup>**



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**UCA Courses (60 credit hours)<sup>5</sup>**

<b>Core (15 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
JOUR	2305	Basic Press Photography		3	
JOUR	2325	Principles of Online Journalism		3	
JOUR	2340	Broadcast Journalism Production I		3	
JOUR	3308	News Editing (UD UCA Core: C, I)		3	
MCOM	3301	Media Law & Ethics (UD UCA Core: D, R)		3	

<b>Required (6 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
JOUR	3300	Advanced Reporting		3	
JOUR	3305	Publication Design & Makeup		3	

<b>Application (4 credit hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
JOUR	1121	Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	2121	Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	3121	Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	4121	Print Media Applications		1	

<b>Major Electives (9 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
		Upper Division Major Electives (From Approved List - See Major Advisor)		9	

<b>Internship (3 Credit Hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
JOUR	3321	Internship (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	

<b>Minor Electives (21 credit hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
		Minor Electives (14 Minor /General Electives must be upper division )		21	

<b>General Electives (2 credit hours)</b>			<b>Semester</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Grade</b>
		General Electives (14 Minor /General Electives must be upper division )		2	

**Total Hours: 120<sup>6</sup>**

<sup>1</sup> Please see your UA-PTC advisor for degree and graduation information.

<sup>2</sup> 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.

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

<sup>4</sup> 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 BS in Journalism (Print Journalism) degree program as a junior.

<sup>5</sup> 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.

<sup>6</sup> 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).