

Use this worksheet to track pre-requisite course requirements needed to apply to the COMSC program. A letter grade of **B** or better is required for each course. Pass/fail courses may not be included.

Course Title	Grade	Credits
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15 credits of pre-requisite coursework in Communication Sciences and Disorders are:

Introduction to Speech-Language Pathology (3 credits) Introduction to organic and behavioral correlates of human communication, its development and disorders. The influence of culture, heritage, and socioeconomic status on the disorders of voice, articulation, fluency, and language.			
Introduction to Language Science (3 credits) Introduction to the nature of language and communication. Topics include components of the linguistic system, relationship between verbal and non-verbal communication, and language acquisition across the life span. [Note: Language Development or Language Acquisition will suffice for this requirement.]			
Phonetics of American English (3 credits) Phonetic features of oral American English and dialectal variations of American English and non-native English speech.			
Anatomy and Physiology (3 credits) An overview of the structure of speech and the basic mechanisms involved in the production of speech sounds; a foundation for a more in-depth study of speech science and its application to clinical practice in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology; Structure and organization of the ventilatory, laryngeal, supralaryngeal and orofacial mechanisms; issues in basic speech acoustics and perception.			
Introduction to Audiology (3 credits) An overview of Audiology inclusive of acoustics, anatomy and physiology of the ear. Coursework reviews etiologies and pathologies of hearing disorders, measurement of hearing loss and how hearing loss affects communication and the development of language.			

Applicants must also fulfill the following requirements at either the undergraduate and/or graduate level:

English (6 credits) English writing (e.g., Freshman Composition)			
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Behavioral or Social Science (6 credits) Anthropology, criminology, psychology, sociology, etc.			
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Biological Science (3 credits - no lab necessary) Biology, botany, genetics, nutrition, physiology, zoology, etc.			
Physical Science (3 credits - no lab necessary) Astronomy, chemistry, earth sci., geology, oceanography, etc.			
Mathematics (3 credits) Algebra, calculus, statistics, etc. (no remedial courses)			
US History (3 credits) US History, US Political Science			
Arts (3 credits) Performance art, drawing, music, painting, sculpture, etc.			
Non-English language (3 credits) American Sign Language, French, Japanese, Spanish, etc.			