

**TRADITIONAL “Sample” Academic Plan for Secondary, English/Communication Teaching Option  
Effective May 2011**

Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
<a href="#">ENGL 015</a> or <a href="#">ENGL 030</a> (GWS) (ETM)	3	<a href="#">PSYCH 100</a> (GS) (ETM)	3
Multimedia Selection (GA)	3	<a href="#">Cluster “a” Selection</a>	3
<a href="#">Literature Selection</a> (GH) (ETM)	3	<a href="#">Science Selection</a> (GN)	3
<a href="#">EDUC 100S</a> (FYS)	1	<a href="#">EDPSY 014</a> (ETM)	3
<a href="#">Mathematics Selection</a> (GQ) (ETM)	3	<a href="#">CAS 100A</a> (GWS) (ETM)	3
<a href="#">Science Selection</a> (GN)	3	<a href="#">Health &amp; Physical Activity</a> (GHA)	1.5
Total Credits:	16	Total Credits:	16.5
Semester 3	Credits	Semester 4	Credits
<a href="#">CI 295</a> (ETM)	2	<a href="#">CAS 211, 213, 215, 250, 271, 280W, 375, 422, or 480</a>	3
<a href="#">Cluster “b” Selection</a>	3	<a href="#">Cluster “f” Selection</a>	3
<a href="#">Mathematics Selection</a> (GQ) (ETM)	3	<a href="#">PSYCH 412</a> or <a href="#">HD FS 239</a> (GS)	3
<a href="#">Media Selection</a> (GA)	3	<a href="#">Science Selection</a> (GN)	3
<a href="#">COMM 100</a> (GS), <a href="#">118</a> , (GS) <a href="#">150</a> (GA), <a href="#">205, 411, or 413W</a>	3	<a href="#">Cluster “g” Selection</a> (GH)	3
<a href="#">CI 280</a>	3		
Total Credits:	17	Total Credits:	15
Semester 5	Credits	Semester 6	Credits
<a href="#">LL ED 411</a>	3	<a href="#">LL ED 412W</a>	3
<a href="#">LL ED 420</a>	3	<a href="#">CI 495C</a>	3
<a href="#">LL ED 480</a>	3	<a href="#">ENGL 444</a>	3
<a href="#">Cluster “h” Selection</a>	3	<a href="#">Cluster “d” Selection</a>	3
<a href="#">SPLED 400</a>	4	<a href="#">SPLED 403B</a>	3
<a href="#">Cluster “e” Selection</a>	3	<a href="#">Health &amp; Physical Activity</a> (GHA)	1.5
Total Credits:	19	Total Credits:	16.5
Semester 7	Credits	Semester 8—STUDENT TEACHING	Credits
<a href="#">CAS 280W</a> or <a href="#">480</a>	3	<a href="#">CI 495E</a>	
Multimedia Selection (GA)	3	<i>No add'l coursework permitted during Student Teaching</i>	
<a href="#">ENGL 202A</a> or <a href="#">B</a> (GWS) (ETM)	3		
<a href="#">Cluster “c” Selection</a>	3		
<a href="#">EDTHP 400 Level Selection</a> or <a href="#">(115)</a>	3		
Total Credits:	15	Total Credits:	15

- **Bold** type indicates courses requiring a quality grade of C or better.
- ***Italic Bold*** type indicates courses requiring a quality grade of C or better and that satisfy both major and General Education requirements.
- GWS, GHA, GQ, GN, GA, GH, and GS are codes used to identify General Education requirements.
- Must complete at least 3 cr. of United States (US) and 3 cr. of International Cultures (IL).
- W is the code used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirement.
- ETM notes a course is required for entrance to major/certification program.
- Summer study could reduce some of the credit loads above.

Academic Advising Notes: **The course series listed above is only one of many possible ways to move through this curriculum. Please be sure to also use the curriculum checksheets and degree audits, as well as consult with an adviser about appropriate scheduling sequences, clearances for field experiences and PRAXIS requirements. Advisers also can assist students in identifying coursework offered at Penn State in the SUMMER.**