

**Degree: Speech-Language Pathology 3+2**

This degree map is based on the 2026-2027 Academic Catalog and is subject to change. Students should meet with their academic advisor each semester and use Degree Works to monitor their individual progress toward degree completion. The time it takes to earn a degree will vary based on several factors including summer/winter enrollment, dual enrollment and number of courses successfully completed each semester.

**Sample 4-Year Plan**

First Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
CMSD 152 Intro to Communication Disorders	3	SPEC 110 Intro to Ind w Exceptionalities	3
MATH 120 Mathematics in Health Sciences	3	BIOL 101 Human Biology	3
FYS 100 First Year Seminar	3	PSYC 100 Introduction to Psychology	3
COMM 101/102 Public Speaking/Interpersonal Comm	3	General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15

Second Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
CMSD 240 Normal Language Acquisition	3	CMSD 200 Introduction to Audiology	3
PSYC 200 Applied Psych. Stats. /STAT 141 Statistics	3	CMSD 220 Phonetics	3
PHYS 204 Acoustics	3	CMSD 366 Anatomy & Physiology for Speech/Hearing*	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
Semester Total	15	Semester Total	15

Third Year			
Fall Courses	Credits	Spring Courses	Credits
CMSD 400 Auditory Training & Speech Reading *	3	CMSD 340 Cognitive & Behavioral Principles in SLP*	3
CMSD 460 Psycholinguistics *	3	CMSD 410 Applied Speech Science *	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
General Education/Elective	3	General Education/Elective	3
Semester Total	18	Semester Total	18

**FOURTH YEAR:** Students who are successful in completing the first 3 years with a GPA of 3.5 and meet all requirements for entry into the graduate SLP program will be enrolled in the Master of Science in Speech-Language Pathology (MS SLP) program in the Fall of their Fourth Year (Senior/Graduate School). To complete the BS, 24 credits of the graduate coursework will be applied to the 96 undergraduate credits for a total of 120 credits required for the undergraduate degree.

**FIFTH YEAR:** Continue as a graduate student to complete the MS SLP.

**Winter/Summer College – Optional**

While not required, winter and summer sessions are offered each year and may help students stay on track or get ahead. You may take seven (7) credits during a winter session and up to 14 credits during a summer session.

## Curriculum Checklist

### MAJOR COURSEWORK

- \_\_\_ CMSD 152 Introduction to Communication Disorders (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 200 Introduction to Audiology (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 220 Phonetics (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 240 Normal Language Acquisition (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 340 Cognitive & Behavioral Principles in SLP \* (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 366 Anatomy & Physiology for Speech, Language, and Hearing \* (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 400 Auditory Training & Speech Reading \* (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 410 Applied Speech Science \* (3)
- \_\_\_ CMSD 460 Psycholinguistics \* (3)
  
- \_\_\_ 24 Credits from MS SLP \* (24)

\*Denotes advanced coursework

Students must take a minimum of 42 credits of advanced coursework. Advanced coursework can be met in major courses, minor courses, free electives, and general education courses. Courses that meet this requirement are designated in Banner.

## General Education Requirements

### (45 credits)

#### Foundations (15 credits)

- FYS 100 First Year Seminar (3)
- Writing (W) (3)
- Comm 101/102 (3)
- Math 120 (Q) (3)
- Stat 141 (Q) (3)
- History (H) (3)

#### Interconnections (9 credits)

- Diversity (D) (3)
- Global Perspectives (G) (3)
- D or G or Foreign Lang. (F) (3)

#### Citizenship & Responsibility (6 credits from 2 areas)

- Goal 1: SPEC 110 (3)
- Goal 2: Ethical Reasoning (E) (3)
- Goal 3: Critical Reasoning (R) (3)

#### Natural World & Technologies (9 credits)

- BIOL 101 Human Biology (N) (3)
- PHYS 204 Acoustics (N) (3)
- Technology (T) (3)

#### Creativity & Expression (6 Credits)

- Literature (L) (3)
- Arts (A) or Creativity (C) (3)

## Degree Requirements

All students must obtain a minimum of 120 credits to complete the BS degree requirements. This program offers 96 credits via undergraduate coursework. The remaining 24 credits are obtained through work completed in the MS SLP program. Students must apply to the MS SLP program during the Spring Semester of their Junior Year (by March 1<sup>st</sup>). Students must have an overall GPA of 3.5, have no more than one course repeated, have no grade lower than a C in any course, and have no grade lower than a B in major courses. Students who do not meet these requirements can complete the traditional four-year (BS) in Audiology & Speech-Language Pathology. All students must complete 25 hours of guided clinical observation via SimuCase or other means prior to starting the MS SLP program.