



2+2 Degree Plan Checklist
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences
BA in Journalism (Online Journalism)



University of Arkansas-Pulaski Technical College¹
Associate of Science in Liberal Arts and Sciences²

General Education Requirements (35 credit hours)

English/Communication (9 credit hours)			UCA³	Semester	Hours	Grade
ENGL	1311	English Composition I	WRTG 1310		3	
ENGL	1312	English Composition II	WRTG 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	Mathematical Reasoning	MATH 1360			

Lab Sciences (8 credit hours)			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
BIOL	1100/1300	Biology for Non-Majors and Lab <i>(or other ASLAS Life Science with Lab)</i>	BIOL 1400		4	
PHYS	1100/1300	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			

Journalism Foundation and Foreign Language Requirement (25 credit hours)

			UCA	Semester	Hours	Grade
MCOM	2300	Beginning Reporting	JOUR 2300		3	
MCOM	2330	Mass Media and Society	MCOM 1300		3	
SPAN	1311	Elementary Spanish I	SPAN 1310		3	
SPAN	1312	Elementary Spanish II	SPAN 1320		3	
SPAN	2311	Intermediate Spanish I	SPAN 2300		3	
		<i>ASLAS Approved Electives</i>			10	

Total Hours: 60⁴



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UCA Courses (60 credit hours)⁵**

Core (15 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
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: I, C)		3	
MCOM	3301	Media Law & Ethics (UD UCA Core: D, R)		3	

Required (6 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
JOUR	3345	Online Publishing I		3	
JOUR	3346	Online Publishing II		3	

Application (4 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
JOUR	1121	Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	2123	Electronic Media Applications		1	
JOUR	3121	Choose One: Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	3123	Electronic Media Applications			
JOUR	4121	Choose One: Print Media Applications		1	
JOUR	4123	Electronic Media Applications			

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

Internship (3 Credit Hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
JOUR	3321	Internship (UD UCA Core: Z)		3	

Minor Electives (21 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		Minor Electives (15 Minor/General Electives must be upper division)		21	

General Electives (2 credit hours)			Semester	Hours	Grade
		General Electives (15 Minor/General Electives must be upper division)		2	

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 Journalism (Online Journalism) 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).