

## Journalism Major Sample schedule; 2013-14 catalog and beyond

Note: Some variation possible in journalism progression based on community college TR courses

Required Journalism courses are in **boldface** type.

Freshman year			
First semester	Units	Second semester	Units
ENGL 101	3	ENGL 102	3
Second language	4	Second language	4
<b>JOUR 105 – Principles of Journalism</b> or Math 105 (or higher)	3	<b>JOUR 105 – Principles of Journalism</b> or Math 105 (or higher)	3
Tier I TRAD	3	Tier 1 INDV'm	3
(Math optional**)		Tier I NATS	3
	<b>13 units</b>		<b>16 units</b>
<i>**If placed into Pima College Math 92 or UA Math 100, take that course to prepare for MATH 105 next semester adjusting other requirements with advisor.</i>		<i>Meet with advisor for 4-year planning and access to next level of journalism courses. Investigate possible minors.</i>	
Sophomore year			
Second language	4	Second language	4
<b>JOUR 205 – Reporting the News</b>	3	<b>JOUR 306 – Advanced Reporting</b>	3
<b>JOUR 203 - Photojournalism</b>	3	<b>JOUR 307 – Principles of Multimedia</b>	3
<b>JOUR 208 – Law of the Press</b>	3	Tier 1 INDV	3
Tier I TRAD	3	Tier I NATS	3
	<b>16 units</b>		<b>16 units</b>
<i>See advisor for planning; begin thinking about choice for minor. Meet with internship coordinator, to plan internships.</i>		<i>See advisor to check academic progress. Declare minor. Attend internship fair.</i>	
Junior year			
<b>JOUR 320A – Editing</b>	3	<b>JOUR 413 – Reporting Public Affairs</b>	3
<b>JOUR 439 – Ethics</b>	3	Elective	3
Tier II HUM (300+ level)*	3	Minor course	3
Tier II NATS	3	Elective	3
Minor	3	Tier II Arts	3
	<b>15 units</b>		<b>15 units</b>
<i>Meet with advisor. Attend Career Fair. Visit Career Services. Plan for spring internship.</i>		<i>Meet w/ advisor and internship coordinator to plan for possible summer internships; attend internship fair.</i>	
Senior year			
<b>JOUR 385 or 472 or 411 Senior Skills Courses (TV News Writing, Science Journalism or Feature Writing)</b>	3	<b>JOUR 490 A, B, C*, or E: Senior School Media. Prereqs: J. 205, 306, 307, 320A (*490C: 385)</b>	3
Minor course	3	Minor course (300+ level)	3
Minor course (300+ level)	3	Minor course (300+ level)	3
<b>JOUR Elective (300+ level)</b>	3	<b>JOUR Elective (300+ level)</b>	3
Elective	3	Elective (300+ level)	3
	<b>15 units</b>		<b>15 units</b>
<i>Start senior degree check. Visit the Career Center for help with resumes, cover letters and interview practice. Attend U.A. recruitment and career fairs.</i>		<i>Visit the Career Center for help with resumes, cover letters and interview practice. Attend U.A. recruitment and career fairs. Begin applying for jobs</i>	

Total units in this schedule: 121, including 39 required JOUR and minimum of 18 required for minor, plus General Education and Foundation requirements. Total units needed to graduate is 120, 42 of those units must be upper division (300+).

Pre-major GPA must be at least 2.5; major, minor and overall GPA must be at least 2.0 to qualify for degree.

**See advisor if English placement is 109H, if AP or IB credits are being transferred, or if CLEP has given credits. These situations may result in the ability to study abroad for a semester or the need to take more electives.**