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**Crowder Associate of Arts in Communication to  
MSU Bachelor of Science in Journalism**

The following is a guide to graduation with completion of Crowder's Associate of Arts in Journalism and Public Relations and MSU's Bachelor of Science in Journalism degree.  
The degree may be completed on campus only.

**Crowder Year 1 Semester 1**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	CROWDER COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
<b>Institutional Requirement</b>	COLL 101	College Orientation	1	GEN 000		
<b>Oral Communications</b> 3 credit hours	COMM 104	Fundamentals of Speech	3	COM 115	✓	
<b>Mathematical Sciences</b> 3 credit hours	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	MTH 130 GEC 104 MTH 136	✓	
	MATH 125# MATH 130 MATH 135	Quantitative Reasoning Elementary Statistics Algebra for Calculus				
<b>Written Communications</b> 6 credit hours	ENGL 101	English Composition	3	ENG 110	✓	
<b>Major Course</b>	COMM 150	Introduction to Journalism	3	JRN 270		✓
<b>Major Course</b>	COMM 102	Introduction to Public Relations	3	JRN 000		
<b>Semester 1 Total</b>			<b>16</b>			

**Crowder Year 1 Semester 2**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	CROWDER COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
<b>Written Communications</b> 6 credit hours	ENGL 102	Advanced English Composition	3	ENG 210	✓	
<b>Social/Behavioral Sciences</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	AGEC 123 CJ 101 ECON 201	ECON 202 GEOG 111 HIST 106				
<b>Major Course</b>	COM 151	News/Feature Writing	3	JRN 000		
<b>Major Course</b>	COMM 105	Introduction to Human Communication	3	-		
<b>Major Course</b>	COMM 111	Magazine Production	3	JRN 477		✓
<b>Semester 2 Total</b>			<b>15</b>			

**Crowder Year 2 Semester 3**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	CROWDER COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
<b>Humanities and Fine Arts</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 101 ART 106▲ ASL 101 ASL 102	FREN 101 ENGL 109 ENGL 225 ENGL 235				
<b>Social/Behavioral Sciences</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	HST 121 HST 122 PLS 101	✓	
	HIST 106 HIST 107 PLSC 103	U.S. History I U.S. History II National, State, Local Government				
<b>Humanities and Fine Arts</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 101 ART 106▲ ASL 101 ASL 102	FREN 101 ENGL 109 ENGL 225 ENGL 235				
<b>Natural Sciences</b> 7 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	BIOL 101 BIOL 110 BIOL 120	BIOL 152 BIOL 252 CHEM 101				
<b>Social/Behavioral Sciences</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	AGEC 123 CJ 101 ECON 201	ECON 202 GEOG 111 HIST 106				
<b>Semester 3 Total</b>			<b>15</b>			

**Crowder Year 2 Semester 4**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	CROWDER COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MEETS CORE 42	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
<b>Natural Sciences</b> 7 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines including one course with a lab component)	<b>Choose one:</b>		4	Varies	✓	
	BIOL 101 BIOL 110 BIOL 120	BIOL 152 BIOL 252 CHEM 101				
<b>Core Elective</b> 5 hours required for Core 42	Choose MOTR coded course(s) of your choice with the assistance of an advisor.		5	Varies	✓	
<b>Humanities and Fine Arts</b> 9 credit hours (Must fulfill 2 disciplines)	<b>Choose one:</b>		3	Varies	✓	
	ART 101 ART 106▲ ASL 101 ASL 102	FREN 101 ENGL 109 ENGL 225 ENGL 235				
<b>Major Elective</b>	COMM 251	Journalistic Editing	3	JRN 476		✓
<b>Semester 4 Total</b>			<b>15</b>			
<b>Total Hours at Crowder</b>			<b>61</b>	<i>Total Hours Applied Toward MSU Major Requirements:</i>		9

# Preferred course for this degree option

\* One credit hour course

▲ May choose only one, falls under MOTR code 'PERF'

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**MSU Year 3 Semester 1**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement - Dept. Preadmission Core	MED 120	Mass Media and Society	3
Major Requirement - Dept. Preadmission Core	MED 130	Fundamentals of Media Convergence	3
Major Requirement	MED 304	Mass Media Theory	3
Major Requirement	JRN 407	Media Law	3
Major Requirement	JRN 370	News Reporting and Writing	3
<b>Semester 1 Total</b>			<b>15</b>

**MSU Year 3 Semester 2**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement - Dept. Preadmission Core	MED 220	Media Literacy	3
Major Requirement	MED 581	Issues in Media Ethics	3
Major Requirement	JRN 381	Broadcast News Writing	3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
<b>Semester 2 Total</b>			<b>15</b>

**MSU Year 4 Semester 3**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	JRN 595	Journalism Internship	2-6
Major Requirement	JRN 388	Electronic News Gathering	3
Major Requirement	JRN 572	Public Affairs Reporting	3
Major Requirement	JRN 384	Broadcast Performance	3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
<b>Semester 3 Total</b>			<b>14-18</b>

**MSU Year 4 Semester 4**

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	JRN 478	Multimedia Journalism	3
Major Requirement - Capstone	<b>Choose one:</b>		3
	JRN 374	JRN 375 JRN 376 JRN 592	
General Elective **	Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals.		3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
Minor Requirement	<u>Choose one course that will fulfill chosen minor requirement.</u>		3
<b>Semester 4 Total</b>			<b>15</b>
<b>Total Hours at MSU</b>			<b>59-63</b>
<b>Total Hours Overall</b>			<b>120-124</b>

\*\* Electives provide the opportunity to customize your degree program. Some elective credits may or may not be needed to bring total credit hours to a minimum of 120 credit hours and upper division hours (300+) to 40.

**This information is provided as a guide only.**

- Crowder students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their Crowder education to discuss the most appropriate Crowder coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
- Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
- Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., Crowder).