

**Bucks County Community College (Bucks) & La Salle University  
Transfer Guide for COMMUNICATION STUDIES (1120) (A.A.) at Bucks  
to COMMUNICATION (B.A.) tracks include: JOURNALISM, PUBLIC RELATIONS,  
COMMUNICATION MANAGEMENT and MASS MEDIA at La Salle University**

BUCKS COURSE	CRS.	LA SALLE UNIVERSITY EQUIV. COURSE / AREA SATISFIED	CRS.
COMM105 Interpersonal Communication	3	COM 102 Interpersonal Communication	3
COMP110 English Composition I	3	ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion	3
MATH115 Elementary Statistics	3	Transfers as elective credit	3
SOCI110 Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	3
Social Science	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
COMM110 Effective Speaking	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills	3
COMP111 English Composition II	3	ENG 210 College Writing II: Research	3
COMT101 Introduction to Theatre	3	Elective credit	3
Program Elective	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
Cinema Elective	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
COMM111 Media and Society	3	COM 101 Introduction to Mass Media	3
College Level Science	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
Foreign Language or Literature	3	Transferable credit	3
Program Elective	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
Elective: Any PHIL course recommended	3	Philosophy Core Qualifier	3
COMM240 Persuasive Communication	3	COM elective credit	3
Program Elective	3	<i>See advising notes for this major on reverse side</i>	3
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Elective: HUMN120, HUMN121, HUMN122, HUMN125, HUMN127, HUMN128 or HUMN129 recommended	3	Religion Core Qualifier	3
<b>TOTAL BUCKS CREDITS</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>TOTAL CREDITS TRANSFERABLE</b>	<b>60</b>

**Bucks-La Salle Dual Admission Students:** Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission program must sign the Dual Admission Application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a Core-to-Core component. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University's Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Bucks County Community College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take **CORE Qualifiers** – one Philosophy course, one Religion course and one Computer Science course – at La Salle if they have not taken courses at Bucks that will fulfill these requirements. See recommendations on the reverse side under "Advising Notes Related to Core Qualifiers" for which specific Bucks courses will fulfill these requirements.

**Non-Dual Admission students** who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes specific courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, [www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu), to view the current course catalog.

La Salle will accept credit on a case by case basis earned through one of the following sources: the College Level Examination Program (CLEP), the Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support Program (DANTES) and in accordance with the recommendations of the American Council on Education (ACE).

**IMPORTANT NOTES ON OTHER SIDE**

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**Advising Notes Related to Core Qualifiers – For Dual Admission Students:**

- 1) Any Philosophy (PHIL) course at Bucks satisfies La Salle’s Philosophy Core Qualifier.
- 2) Courses at Bucks that satisfy La Salle’s Religion Core Qualifier are HUMN120, HUMN121, HUMN122, HUMN125, HUMN127, HUMN128, and HUMN129.
- 3) CISC100 Introduction to Computers or CISC110 Introduction to Information Systems satisfy La Salle’s Computer Science Core Qualifier.

**Advising Notes Related to Major Course Requirements:**

- 1) For the **Cinema Elective**, VACV141 The Art of Independent Cinema or VACV142 The Art of Theatrical Cinema will transfer as COM 204 Introduction to Film Studies.
- 2) For **Program Electives**, please note that the COMT and KINS courses listed on the Bucks website as Program Electives are not transferable to La Salle. The following courses meet this requirement and are transferable, with equivalent La Salle courses listed in parentheses: JOUR155 Advertising Copywriting (COM 337 Advertising Copywriting ), JOUR175 News Reporting and Writing (COM 206 Fundamentals of Journalism ), MGMT100 Introduction to Business (BUS 100 Business Perspectives), MKTG200 Advertising (MKT 302 Advertising and Promotional Management ), VACV130 Media Scriptwriting (transfers as a COM elective), VACV135 Video Studio Production I (COM elective), VACV137 Audio Production (transfers as a COM elective), VACV145 Film Production I (COM elective), VAPH110 Digital Photography Fundamentals (ART 268), VAMM100 Digital Imaging (ART 220), VAMM120 Interface Design (DART elective), VAMM209 Multimedia Concepts I (CSD 210).
- 3) For the **Science** elective, please refer to the list of acceptable courses on the Bucks website.
- 4) For the general **Electives**, note that pre-college level courses do not meet this requirement. Please seek advisement on course selection and transferability.
- 5) For the **Social Science** requirement Non-Dual Admission students are recommended to choose either POLI111 or ECON111 to fulfill part of La Salle’s School of Arts and Sciences Core requirements.

**Additional Notes:**

- 1) The maximum number of credits that a student may transfer to La Salle is 70. Additional courses beyond the Associate degree can be taken at Bucks to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 2) **A transfer student must complete at least half the major courses at La Salle.**
- 3) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of Transfer Services at Bucks. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with Transfer Services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at Bucks. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

**La Salle University**

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