

**Minnesota State University, Mankato
Communication Sciences and Disorders
Post-Baccalaureate Program**

Requirements for individuals who seek admission to master's program but who do not have an undergraduate degree in Communication Sciences and Disorders (CSD)

A minimum of 30 credits from the following coursework must be completed, transferred, or scheduled prior to consideration for graduate admission. Below is a planning tool to help you plan your post-baccalaureate program. All courses or equivalents are required, and they are listed according to semester offered and format (e.g., face-to-face, online, hybrid). The shading in the table below represents a preferred sequence (take shaded courses during semester indicated), but the sequence is flexible and ultimately up to the individual.

Schedule Planner: A summer start is recommended. ✓ Check the semester when you plan to take each course or check transfer for a course you already completed. **Note:** The first four listings are general education requirements and offerings vary. See online class schedule for availability: <https://secure2.mnsu.edu/courses/>

Requirement	Topic	Semester and format offered							
		✓	Summer	✓	Fall	✓	Spring	✓	Transfer
Statistics	Basic stats, educational stats, or behavioral sciences stats								
Biology	Biology, human anat. & phys, neuroanatomy/phys, human genetics, or animal biology								
Physical Sci.	Physics or chemistry								
Soc./ Behav. Sci.	Psychology, sociology, anthropology, or public health								
CDIS 201	Observation of Human Comm.		Online		Face-to Face OR Online	✓	Face-to Face OR Online		
CDIS 220	Basic Audiology					✓	Online		
CDIS 290	Intro. Communication Disorders	✓	Online		Online		Online		
CDIS 312	Speech & Language Develop.		Online	✓	Face-to-Face				
CDIS 322	Speech & Hearing Science	✓	Online		Online				
CDIS 392	Phonetics		Online	✓	Face-to-Face				
CDIS 394	Applied Anatomy & Phys.	✓	Online		Face-to-Face				
CDIS 410	Neurological Bases of Speech			✓	Face-to-Face				
CDIS 421	Aural Rehabilitation					✓	Online		
CDIS 444	Appraisal & Diagnosis			✓	Face-to-Face				

Optional CSD Coursework

Any other CSD undergraduate courses can be taken for further background, but are not required for the post-baccalaureate program. See online class schedule for offerings: <https://secure2.mnsu.edu/courses/>

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Financial Aid:

Financial Aid may be available for completing these prerequisites for the graduate program. If you have specific questions about financial aid, please contact the Financial Aid office at MSU.

Academic Advising:

If you decide to enroll at MSU, please contact the Communication Sciences & Disorders program and request an academic advisor: 507-389-1414 or carol.reedstrom@mnsu.edu