Preparation for the major courses for UCSB at SBCC: Comm. 101, 288, 289; Math 117 or Psych 150

1. If you complete only one, two or three of the major preparation courses, at SBCC you MUST complete the remaining course(s) at UCSB and earn a 3.00 average prior to being admitted to the full major status. If you earn a B- (2.7) in the remaining course(s) you have NOT earned a 3.00 GPA and will NOT be admitted to the major.

2. UCSB is on a +/- system. So…it is to your advantage to complete all four pre-major courses at SBCC! You can earn any grade from A through D or even “Pass” and the course will count toward transfer. And you will NOT be required to take any more classes at UCSB to get into the Communication major. Remember, a “C” or above in a transferable math is required for admission. (For two of the AA degrees in Communication at SBCC, 5 of the 6 courses need to be taken for a letter grade).

“Pre-major information: Students are admitted initially to the pre-major. Students will not be admitted to full Communication major status until they complete Communication 1, 87, 88, and 89, with no grade below C- and with a grade-point average of at least 3.00 for those courses completed at UCSB”. -directly from assist.org articulation agreement. GPA requirement for those classes taken AT UCSB.

3. In order to earn full major status once you’ve been admitted to UCSB and have completed all four courses at SBCC you should meet with the Communication advisor Tanya Higuera (893-2493) and she will admit you to full major status. You can do this in June (or July if you need summer classes) so that you can register for upper division comm classes at orientation in August. If you have general questions about being a communication major at UCSB contact a peer advisor: UCSBCOMMPEERS@yahoo.com.

“Transfer Summer Program”: If you plan to attend UCSB summer session, you will fill out a separate application. Tanya can assist you in choosing classes. http://summer.ucsb.edu

In order to graduate from UCSB, assuming lower division GE (IGETC or UCSB GE) and lower division requirements (prep) for the major have been completed at SBCC, you will need:

- 180 quarter units total. You will enter with at least 90 quarter units (60 semester). 70 semester units = 105 quarter units. You will need between 75 and 90 additional quarter units to graduate.

- Of those 75-90 units, 40 upper division quarter units in the major (10 classes in communication; 4 of the 40 units can be in another approved area outside of communication).

- Of those 75-90 units, 20 additional upper division quarter units must be in the College of Letters and Science (more communication classes, electives, minor, study abroad)

- The rest of the 75-90 units will be upper or lower division units in any subject (more communication classes, electives, or maybe a minor). It is easy to graduate within two years from UCSB! (5 or 6 quarters)

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Most common minors at UCSB for communication students:
Education & Applied Psychology- 3 tracks: Applied Psychology, Educational Studies, Teacher Preparation (18 UD units)
English (4 lower division units / 20 upper division units)
Global and International Studies: Global Peace and Security (24 upper division units)
Linguistics (4 lower division units / 24 upper division units)
Professional Writing (22-24 upper division units)

www.comm.ucsb.edu/undergrad/career/courses --UCSB site: Careers and Courses site at UCSB
www.comm.ucsb.edu/undergrad/transfer --UCSB site: Transfer Students

UCSB’s Transfer Admission Guarantee (TAG) for fall admission only is listed on ASSIST.org. FILL OUT TAG ONLINE IN by SEPTEMBER 30th. www.sbcc.edu/TAG. Apply to UCSB by NOVEMBER 30. Link at Transfer Center and Transfer Academy. BY END OF SUMMER must have completed 30 UC transferable units in order to TAG.

BY END OF FALL prior to transfer: two transferable English/one transferable math done, 3.2 GPA.

BY END OF SPRING prior to transfer: maintain 3.2 GPA, 60 transferable units, 7 course pattern (IGETC completes this). Last 30 units must be completed at a California Community College. To meet conditions of admission no Ds or Fs in spring and must earn minimum 2.0 GPA in the spring semester prior to transfer. (Still maintain overall 3.2 for TAG!)

SBCC Associates of Arts degrees: 1) Applied Communication, 2) Communication Studies for Transfer, and 3) Communication Science: UCSB pre major courses along with two additional specific communication/journalism courses and IGETC, CSU GE pattern, or the SBCC general education requirements.