

Journalism Transfer Plan

Consider major courses below as part of your electives toward your Associate of Arts (A.A.), Associate of Science (A.S.) or Associate of Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree. A maximum of 63 credits can be transferred from a two-year institution.

Students who transfer to Mount Mercy with an A.A. degree from an Iowa Community college will have all Core Curriculum requirements waived except the Mercy Capstone and one course in the Ultimate Questions domain. These two requirements must be taken at Mount Mercy.

Major Requirements (43 credits)

Mount Mercy Major Courses	Iowa Community College Equivalent
Required:	
CO 111 Introduction to Communication Studies	
CO 120 Introduction to Journalism	MMS 131 News Reporting
CO 130 Basic Media Grammar for Professional Writing	
CO 140 Introduction to Mass Media in the United States	MMS 101 Mass Media
CO 242 Media Theory	
CO 360 Law and Ethics of Mass Media	
CO 281 Newspaper Reporting	
CO 290 News Processing for Journalism and Public Relations	
CO 372 Communication Practicum	
CO 380 Internship in Communication	
CO 480 Seminar in Communication	
AR 106 Photography I	ART 184 Photography
AR 220 Typography & Design	GRA 132 Digital Layout II
AND Choose One Writing Elective	

All **journalism majors** must maintain a minimum grade of C or above in each of the communication department (CO) course requirements.

If your transfer institution offers the same course title but with different course numbers, please reach out to the Office of Admissions at Mount Mercy to clarify.

Note: This plan of study is intended to be used as a guide and changes to curriculum may occur. For specific course information and degree information, please visit MMU's catalog at <u>catalog.mtmercy.edu</u>.



Mount Mercy University Graduation Requirements and Course Descriptions



To apply:

- Apply online at <u>www.mtmercy.edu/apply</u> (no application fee required)
- Send official transcripts from all colleges attended. Office of Admissions, 1330 Elmhurst Drive NE, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402-4797 or <u>admission@mtmercy.edu</u>

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