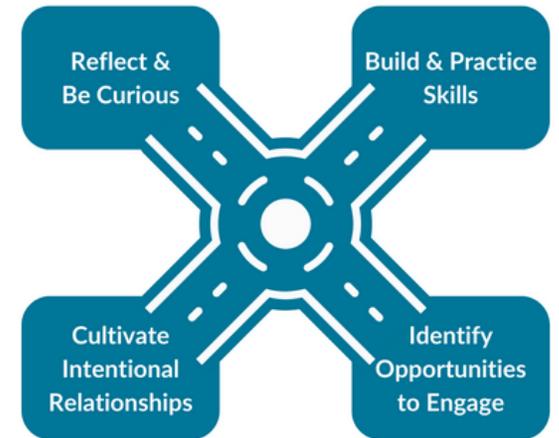


Student Success Map for **COMMUNICATION**

	First Year	Middle Years	Final Year
Create Classroom Success	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your Academic Advisor to review major requirements <input type="checkbox"/> Take Communication in a Diverse World and Media, Community and Citizenship courses <input type="checkbox"/> Tour the CORD to locate the Writing Center and tutoring 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Talk to a professor about your career plans, a research project, and/or grad school <input type="checkbox"/> Check with your advisor on your progress <input type="checkbox"/> Take Intro to Communication Research & other Communication courses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with your Academic Advisor to confirm you are ready to graduate <input type="checkbox"/> Take upper-level Communication elective courses
Find Campus Belonging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Attend HillFest in September <input type="checkbox"/> Read the "One Community, One Book" <input type="checkbox"/> Join an RSO for debate, film, or another area of interest 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase your involvement in an RSO <input type="checkbox"/> Explore Lambda Pi Eta 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Mentor a first-year student <input type="checkbox"/> Take on a leadership role in an RSO
Make Local & Global Connections	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Find a service project on GivePulse <input type="checkbox"/> Explore Study Abroad opportunities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Study Abroad <input type="checkbox"/> Conduct a summer research project 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Attend a professional conference
Build Career Ready Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take the Career Readiness Inventory <input type="checkbox"/> Find a student mentor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete the Career Launch program <input type="checkbox"/> Explore the PACE microcertificate and/or UofA Career-Ready Badge <input type="checkbox"/> Check-out on-campus jobs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Take the Career Readiness Inventory and First Destination Survey <input type="checkbox"/> Explore LinkedIn Learning and level up your skills
Prep for Post-Graduation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Talk to a Career Coach about on-campus and/or summer jobs <input type="checkbox"/> Create LinkedIn & Handshake profiles <input type="checkbox"/> Make an affordability plan with a financial aid counselor <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for College and Dept. scholarships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete an internship <input type="checkbox"/> Complete a Challenge Card assessment <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for College and Dept. scholarships 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Conduct 3 career conversations <input type="checkbox"/> Meet with a Career Coach and/or faculty member for assistance applying for grad programs or jobs <input type="checkbox"/> Update your LinkedIn and Handshake profiles

Career Info for **COMMUNICATION**

<h2>What are UofA Career-Ready Skills?</h2>	<h2>What skills does this major develop?</h2>	<h2>What graduate programs do majors often go into?</h2>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Career and self-development• Communication• Critical thinking• Perspective awareness• Leadership experience• Professionalism• Teamwork• Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Storytelling in a wide variety of contexts• Collaborative work• Information literacy• Cultural competence• Research• Message creation• Information synthesis• Persuasion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Communication• Law• Teaching• Cultural Studies• Public Policy• Strategic Communication• Business Administration• Counseling
<h2>What careers do majors often go into?</h2>	<h2>How do I start to plan my career?</h2>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Managing Internal or External Communications• Film Production• Development & Fundraising• Organizational Training• Information Management• Public Advocacy• Law• International Relations• Negotiation• Media Production• Grant Writing• Project Coordination• Write your own story! Your broad skillset gives you the agility to blaze paths in emergent fields.• Communication majors are found in a wide variety of sectors, using their skills in business, media, publishing, public relations, research, government, nonprofits, education, law, healthcare, social services, and other industries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Complete the SparkPath Challenge Card activity online and then discuss your results with a career coach or career peer mentor. Talk about why it is important to you, how it relates to you and your previous experiences.<input type="checkbox"/> What organizations are working on it?<input type="checkbox"/> Which of these organizations appeal to me? What role would I like to have with them?<input type="checkbox"/> What are my skills and how will I use them to work on this challenge?<input type="checkbox"/> What skills, knowledge and experience do I need to develop to contribute more to the challenge?<input type="checkbox"/> What is my plan to learn these things? Who can I connect with at the UofA for help?	



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