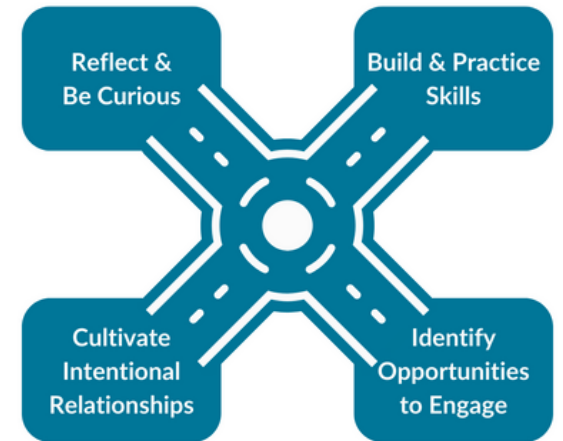


Student Success Map for **JOURNALISM**

	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 Media & Society & Media Writing <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 News Reporting I&II, Editing, Enterprise Journalism, Media Law, Enterprise Reporting, & Data Journalism 	<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 Ethics in Journalism and subject area requirements
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, like the Society for Professional Journalists <input type="checkbox"/> Attend campus events, like those hosted by the Center for Media Ethics and Literacy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Increase your involvement in an RSO <input type="checkbox"/> Get active in student media, including The Arkansas Traveler and Hill Magazine <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer for the Lemke Journalism Project, a multicultural training program 	<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 <input type="checkbox"/> Apply for a leadership role in student media outlets The Arkansas Traveler, Hill Magazines
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"/> Find an internship <input type="checkbox"/> Connect with Razorbacks on LinkedIn and ask to meet virtually or in person 	<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"/> Meet with the school's internship coordinator <input type="checkbox"/> Attend a conference to learn extra skills and network (ex. ISOJ, BEA, AEJMC, SPJ, NAHJ) <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 **JOURNALISM**

<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">• Writing• Collaborative work• Information literacy• Cultural competence• Ethics• Message creation• Information synthesis• Persuasion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Journalism• Law• Marketing• Strategic Communication• Communication• Business Administration• Media Studies• Media Management
<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">• News Reporter• Sports Reporting• Managing Internal or External Communications• Copywriter• Nonprofit Management• Editor• Multimedia Journalist• Law• Marketing Director• Media Production• Grant Writing• Project Coordination• Write your own story! Your broad skillset gives you the agility to blaze paths in emergent fields.• Journalism 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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