



**CURRICULUM GUIDE
2009-2010**

**SPEECH AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES
CERTIFICATES OF ACCOMPLISHMENT**

**Including Business Communication; Forensics; Intercultural Communication;
Interpersonal Communication; Leadership Communication; Mass Communication;
Oral Interpretation; Speech and Communication Studies**

**Requirements for Business Communication; Forensics; Intercultural Communication;
Interpersonal Communication; Leadership Communication; Oral Interpretation; and
Speech and Communication Studies Certificates of Accomplishment:**

- a) Complete satisfactorily the courses listed for the particular certificate.
- b) Complete 100% of the required units at Ohlone College.
- c) Complete each course with a grade of B or better.

Requirements for Mass Communication Certificate of Accomplishment:

- a) Complete satisfactorily the courses listed for the certificate.
- b) Complete at least 50% of the required units at Ohlone College.
- c) Maintain a 2.0 grade point average.

BUSINESS COMMUNICATION*

This certificate provides students with communication skills required for careers in business.

SPCH-102	Critical Thinking/Group Decision Making OR	3
SPCH-104	Critical Thinking/Persuasion OR	(3)
SPCH-106	Critical Thinking/Argumentation and Debate	(3)
SPCH-103	Interpersonal Communication	3
SPCH-105	Intercultural Communication	3
SPCH/BA-115	Career Communication	<u>3</u>
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*Each course must be completed at Ohlone College with a grade of B or better.

FORENSICS*

This certificate provides students with training in speaking competitively.

SPCH-101	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
SPCH-110A3	Forensics Workshop OR	6
SPCH-112A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(6)
SPCH-114A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	(6)
SPCH/TD-132	Voice and Diction	<u>3</u>
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INTERCULTURAL COMMUNICATION*

This certificate provides students with intercultural communication competence for business and personal relationships.

SPCH-105	Intercultural Communication	3
SPCH-103	Interpersonal Communication OR	3
SPCH-122	Family Communication	(3)
SPCH-110A1-A3	Forensics Workshop OR	1-3
SPCH-112A1-A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(1-3)
SPCH-114A1-A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	<u>(1-3)</u>
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INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATION*

This certificate provides students with competence in communicating interpersonally in their personal and professional lives.

SPCH-102	Critical Thinking/Group Decision Making OR	3
SPCH-104	Critical Thinking/Persuasion	(3)
SPCH-103	Interpersonal Communication	3
SPCH-110A1-A3	Forensics Workshop OR	1-3
SPCH-112A1-A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(1-3)
SPCH-114A1-A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	<u>(1-3)</u>
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LEADERSHIP COMMUNICATION*

This certificate provides students with leadership and communication skills useful in their communities and careers.

SPCH-101	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
SPCH-102	Critical Thinking/Group Decision Making OR	3
SPCH-104	Critical Thinking/Persuasion OR	(3)
SPCH-106	Critical Thinking/Argumentation and Debate	(3)
SPCH-103	Interpersonal Communication OR	3
SPCH-105	Intercultural Communication	(3)
SPCH-107	Leadership Communication	3
SPCH-110A1	Forensics Workshop OR	2-3
SPCH-110A2	Forensics Workshop OR	(2)
SPCH-110A3	Forensics Workshop OR	(3)
SPCH-112A1	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(2-3)
SPCH-112A2	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(2)
SPCH-112A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(3)
SPCH-114A1	Oral Interpretation Workshop OR	(1)
SPCH-114A2	Oral Interpretation Workshop OR	(2)
SPCH-114A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	<u>(3)</u>
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MASS COMMUNICATION

The Mass Communication certificate provides students with communication skills, theory, and training required for academic and professional careers in the mass communication field including journalism, TV, radio, and public relations. This certificate also provides students with the fundamental communication skills for further study in mass communication.

BRDC-120	Introduction to Electronic Media	2
JOUR-101A	Newswriting	3
JOUR-155	Mass Media and Society	3
SPCH-101	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
BRDC-123A	Radio Operations I OR	3
BRDC-141	Live TV Newscast OR	(3)
JOUR-170	Newspaper Writing and Editing Staff OR	(1)
JOUR-171	Newspaper Writing and Editing Staff OR	(2)
JOUR-172	Newspaper Writing and Editing Staff	<u>(3)</u>
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ORAL INTERPRETATION*

This certificate provides students with vocal training that is helpful for careers in theater, business, law, and education.

SPCH-110A1-A3	Forensics Workshop OR	1-3
SPCH-112A1-A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(1-3)
SPCH-114A1-A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	(1-3)
SPCH/TD-130	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
SPCH/TD-132	Voice and Diction	<u>3</u>
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SPEECH AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES*

This certificate provides students with competent communication skills used in both academic and professional settings.

SPCH-101	Introduction to Public Speaking	3
SPCH-110A1-A3	Forensics Workshop OR	1-3
SPCH-112A1-A3	Argumentation and Debate Workshop OR	(1-3)
SPCH-114A1-A3	Oral Interpretation Workshop	(1-3)

Choose two courses from the following:

SPCH-102	Critical Thinking/Group Decision Making	3
SPCH-103	Interpersonal Communication	3
SPCH-104	Critical Thinking/Persuasion	3
SPCH-105	Intercultural Communication	3
SPCH-106	Critical Thinking/Argumentation and Debate	3
SPCH/BA-115	Career Communication	3
SPCH-122	Family Communication	3
SPCH/TD-130	Oral Interpretation of Literature	3
SPCH/TD-132	Voice and Diction	<u>3</u>
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