

The following suggested course sequence is for undergraduate students pursuing a Bachelor of Science degree in Communication Sciences and Disorders, **Speech-Language Pathology Track**, starting Fall 2025.

Freshman Year (Fall Semester) [<i>Students Declare Pre-SLP</i>]		Notes
ENGL 101 Introduction to College Writing	3 Credit Hours	WC1
COMM 111 Public Speaking	3 Credit Hours	OC
MATH 109 Elementary Statistics	3 Credit Hours	QR
ASL 115 Introduction to Deaf Culture	3 Credit Hours	SBHP + D1
CHEM 101 Chemistry and Contemporary Society	3 Credit Hours	NS
Freshman Year (Spring Semester)		
ENGL 102 Intermediate College Writing	3 Credit Hours	WC2
PSYC 201 Introduction to Psychology	3 Credit Hours	SB
PHIL 207 Diverse Perspectives in Philosophy	3 Credit Hours	AH1 + D2
PHIL 211 Critical Thinking	3 Credit Hours	AH2
BIOL 102 Biology: Current Issues/Apps	3 Credit Hours	NS
BIOL 104 Laboratory for Biology: Current Issues/Apps	1 Credit Hour	NSL
Sophomore Year (Fall Semester) [<i>Students Formally Apply to Major</i>]		
CMDS 245 Survey of Communication Sciences/Disorders	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 270 Clinical Observation	1 Credit Hour	Required
ASL 101 American Sign Language 1	3 Credit Hours	Required
PSYC 306 Lifespan Developmental Psychology	3 Credit Hours	Required
Elective (student choice)	3 Credit Hours	Required
Sophomore Year (Spring Semester)		
CMDS 272 Anatomy & Physiology: Speech/Hearing Mechanism	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 464 Normal Speech & Language Development	4 Credit Hours	Required
ESDP 240 Introduction to Exceptional Children	3 Credit Hours	Required
ASL 201 American Sign Language 2	3 Credit Hours	Required
Elective (student choice)	3 Credit Hours	Required
Junior Year (Fall Semester)		
CMDS 405 Introduction to Audiological Techniques/Rehab	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 463 Clinical Phonetics	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 471 Functional Neuroanatomy	3 Credit Hours	Required
PSYC 571 Speech Science	3 Credit Hours	Required
LINK 325 Introduction to Linguistics	3 Credit Hours	Required
Junior Year (Spring Semester)		
CMDS 402 Speech Sound Disorders	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 412 Disorders of Language	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 430 Aural Rehabilitation	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 450 Diagnostics	3 Credit Hours	Required
Elective (student choice)	3 Credit Hours	Required

Senior Year (Fall Semester)

CMDS 474 Multicultural Issues in CSD	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 481 Autism and Developmental Disabilities	3 Credit Hours	Required
LING 522 Structure of Modern American English	3 Credit Hours	Required
HSS 393 Medical Terminology	3 Credit Hours	Required
Elective (student choice)	3 Credit Hours	Required

Senior Year (Spring Semester)

CMDS 480 Language and Literacy	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 490 Clinical Methods in CSD	3 Credit Hours	Required
CMDS 495 Clinical Experiences in CSD	3 Credit Hours	Required
Elective (student choice)	3 Credit Hours	Required
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The American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) requires that applicants for certification (after graduate school) also complete coursework from the following four areas: (1) biological science, (1) physical science (chemistry or physics), (1) social-behavioral science (psychology/sociology), and (1) math-based statistics. The following courses from UofL are suggested; however, the highlighted courses are reflected in the above sequence.

- Biological Science: **BIOL 102**, BIOL 240, or BIOL 242 (lab not required)
- Physical Science: **CHEM 101**, CHEM 105, or CHEM 201 (lab not required) | PHYS 111 or PHYS 221 (lab not required)
- Social-Behavioral Science: **PSYC 201**, PSYC 301, PSYC 305, or **PSYC 306** | SOC 201, SOC 202, SOC 210, or SOC 301
- Math-Based Statistics: PSYC 301, SOC 301, or **MATH 109**

The following courses are suggested as possible student electives.

- HSS 184 Healthy Lifestyles 1
- EDSP 180 Introduction to Special Education
- EDSP 181 Field Experiences in Special Education
- PSYC 305 Brain and Behavior
- PSYC 325 Health Psychology
- PSYC 355 Neuroscience