

# Electronic Media/Broadcasting, BS

## Placement Exams for the Major:

MAT 1010 will fulfill the math requirement for this major. You can register for MAT 1010 regardless of your SAT/ACT score and you do not need the Math Placement Test. Consult with your academic advisor if you want to consider a higher level math course for any reason.

## First-Year Student Course Recommendations:

1. **R C 1000 or UCO 1200** if there are seats available. If not, it's fine to take both classes in the spring semester.
2. **COM 1200**
3. One or more General Education **SCL, ICL or HUM** courses
4. **Quantitative Literacy Course (MAT 1010 or higher)** (see Math Placement note above)

### Having trouble registering?

- Review the [Student Self-Service Guide](#) for Registration instructions and videos.
- If the courses above are closed, [add yourself to waitlists](#).
- Then add appropriate classes from page 2 of the [2025-2026 Checksheet](#) until you have registered for 12-15 total hours.
- Use the [Gen Ed Requirements in the Bulletin](#) to look up Gen Ed course descriptions.
- Use this [Course Prefixes/Subjects list](#) to know which subject to choose in the Class Search in AppalNet.
- Rewatch the [Gen Ed video in PREP](#) to better understand the Categories and Designations components of Gen Ed.
  - All English Literary Studies: ENG xxxx (LS) designation courses have a prerequisite of R C 1000, First Year Writing (R C = Rhetoric & Composition.)
- BOONE CAMPUS students: Here is a [color-coded 2-page General Education checksheet](#) (updated 3x/day) that shows which Boone Campus Gen Ed classes have open seats.

## Alternative Courses for Your First Semester:

### **Can't get into the classes above? Try these:**

- COM 2101 or COM 2103 or COM 2105
- COM 1600
- 1-2 credit hours of Wellness Literacy
- Additional SCL, ICL or HUM courses for Gen Ed
- A [Foundations of American Democracy \(FAD\) course](#) **unless** you've already met this requirement (check DegreeWorks).

Are you looking for a class to help you build your skills to be successful in college and help you adjust to college life? Check out these elective courses: [College Success Seminar](#) and [Academic Success Courses](#).