

required upper division credit hours.

The University of New Mexico Core Curriculum (37 units)

Writing and Speaking: (3-9 units)

Mathematics: (3 units)

Physical and Natural Sciences: (7 units)

Social and Behavioral Sciences: (6 units)

Humanities: (6 units)

Second Language: (non-English language; 3 units)

Fine Arts: (3 units)

Arts and Sciences College Minimum Requirements

· Total credit hours = 120

· 300/400 level credit hours = 48*

· Minimum credit hours taught in A&S = 96

*Students who complete a second language through the fourth semester are exempt from 6 of the 48 required upper division credit hours.

University Residence Requirements

a. Minimum hours = 30

b. Senior standing = 15 past 92

c. In major = One half

d. In minor = One quarter

Minimum graduation GPA = 2.00

Keep in mind that minimum grades on road map are for individual coursework only. Students must maintain a minimum of a 2.0 cumulative grade point average for admission to and graduation from the College of Arts and Sciences and a 2.5 for admission to the C&J department. Minimums listed for the individual courses do NOT meet the cumulative minimum.

For more information see the catalog at www.unm.edu

Career Opportunities and Pathways:

- Copy-Editor
- News Journalist
- Photo Journalist
- Topic (i.e. Sports/Music/Environmental) Journalist
- Magazine Writer
- Videography
- Media Broadcast
- Media Production
- Speech Writer
- Press Agent
- Political Correspondent

Suggested Minors/2nd Majors/Upper Division Electives:

Professional Writing
Management
Psychology
Sociology/Criminology
Anthropology
Art Studio
Political Science
Sustainability Studies
International Studies
American Studies
History

Important Notes:

A minimum 2.5 gpa is required for admission to the C&J department, and a 2.5 gpa is required in your major to graduate.

The courses in the Journalism & Mass Communication major are pre-requisite driven, and will take a minimum of 4 semesters to complete, beginning with CJ 171L.

Seventy-two (72) total hours must come from subjects outside of C&J.

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