

**KEENE STATE COLLEGE
BACHELOR OF ARTS
JOURNALISM**

It is the student's responsibility to follow the official requirements of the degree, found in the Keene State College catalog. This planning sheet is for advising purposes.

Name: _____ Student I.D.#: _____

Institution(s) Attended: _____ Credits: _____

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I. **GENERAL EDUCATION** 42 credits minimum

A. **English Language Competence:** ENG 101 is required of all students.

ENG 101: _____

B. **Arts & Humanities:** A minimum of five courses totaling at least 15 credits as follows:

One course in Literature _____

One course in literature, which may be any 200 or 300-level English course except 202, 203, 204, 208, 301, 302, 303, 304, 308, 312. FR 303 and Spanish 303 may also be used to fulfill this requirement.

HIST _____ ART, FILM, MU or TAD _____

Two courses from Arts & Humanities disciplines: AMST, ART, COMM, ENG, FILM, FR, GER, HIST, JRN, ML, MU, PHIL, SP, TAD or an approved interdisciplinary course (WS 201* or an IDAH course).

C. **Social Sciences:** A minimum of four courses totaling at least 12 credits in three or more of the Social Science disciplines: ECON, GEOG, POSC, PSYC or SOC or an approved interdisciplinary course (WS 201* or an IDSS course).

D. **Sciences/Math:** A minimum of four courses totaling at least 12 credits as follows: One course in BIOLOGY. One course in a PHYSICAL SCIENCE (ASTR, CHEM, GEOL, MET, PHYS). Two courses from Sciences/Math disciplines: ASTR, BIO, CHEM, CS, ENST, GEOL, MATH, MET, PHYS or an approved interdisciplinary course (IDSM).

BIO _____ PHYSICAL SCIENCE _____

* WS 201 may be used only once, to fulfill either an Arts & Humanities or Social Science General Education requirement.

II. MAJOR REQUIREMENTS: (45-54 credits)

Majors must demonstrate proficiency in a modern language other than English. This may be done through either satisfactory completion of a standardized exam (e.g. department exam, CLEP, AP) or by satisfactory completion of one semester of a modern language at the intermediate level or higher. Courses taken to complete this requirement may be used to fulfill Arts & Humanities General Education requirements.

A grade of C or better must be earned in each course counted toward the major.

JRN 200: Intro to Mass Media ___ 3
 JRN 201: News Writing I Intro ___ 3
 JRN 270-284: Journalism Lab ___ 1-4 ___ 1-4
 (min. 2 semesters)
 JRN 290: Topics in Mass Media ___ 3
 JRN 317: Journalism Res. Meth ___ 3

Select one from:

JRN 310: Mass Media Hist & Theory . ___ 3
 JRN 322: Media Ethics ___ 3

Select one from:

*JRN 301: News Writing II–Reporting ___ 3
 *JRN 302: Broadcast Journalism ___ 3

Select two from the following:

**JRN 306: News Editing ___ 3
 ***JRN 308: Radio Journalism ___ 3
 ***JRN 315: TV News Studio ___ 3
 **JRN 401: Feature Writing ___ 3
 ***JRN 408: TV Journalism ___ 3
 *JRN 410: Pub. Affairs Reporting ___ 3
 ***JRN 446: Community TV News ___ 3

*JRN 201: Prerequisite
 **JRN 301: Prerequisite
 ***JRN 302: Prerequisite

Minor

Student selects a minor in consultation with a Journalism advisor.

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ELECTIVES:

Pick additional courses of your choice to bring your total number of credits earned to 120.

If you wish to use transferred courses toward major/minor requirements you must use the Course Substitution process. Contact the Academic and Career Advising Center for more information.