SPEECH (SPCH)

SPCH 101 Interpersonal Communications
Exploration of multiple aspects of human behavior including the communication process, perception, verbal and nonverbal communication, diversity and adapting to others, conflict, culture, and relationships in personal/professional contexts.

Essential Learning Categories: Social and Behavioral Sciences

SPCH 102 Speechmaking
The preparation, organization, and delivery of a speech.

Essential Learning Categories: Humanities

SPCH 112 Acting III: Voice and Diction
The use of the speaking voice emphasizing voice placement, speech sounds, breath control, projection, and the phonetic alphabet. Recommended for theatre majors, teachers, prelaw, ministers and business majors.

SPCH 196 Topics
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 15 credit hours.

SPCH 203 Persuasion
Open discussions on the ethics, process, and application of everyday use of persuasion; how it applies to advertisements, politics, and friendships; preparation for debate.
Terms Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

SPCH 241 Oral Interpretation
The reading aloud of prose, poetry, and essays with the intention of conveying the author's ideas to a listening audience.

SPCH 296 Topics
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 15 credit hours.

SPCH 303 Nonverbal Communication
The opportunity to observe, record and interpret the nonverbal dimensions of communication behavior and the opportunity to enhance awareness and skill in nonverbal communication behavior in mass media, law, theatre, group dynamics, etc.

SPCH 304 Communication and Conflict
The nature of conflict, conflict structure, conflict styles, and the use of power in conflicts. Application of theories to analyze and set goals to plan strategies and tactics. Study of intervention principles and practices.
Terms Typically Offered: Fall.

SPCH 305 Intercultural Communication
Research and practical application to facilitate constructive communication and relationships with individuals and groups from diverse cultures, backgrounds, and identities.
Terms Typically Offered: Fall.

SPCH 306 Communication and Leadership
Study of communication theories and styles to determine the influence over behaviors, thoughts, and feelings in leader-follower interactions.
Terms Typically Offered: Fall.

SPCH 307 Professional Presentations
Exploration and practical development of high-energy presentation skills tailored to students' chosen career paths.
Prerequisites: SPCH 102 or ESSL 200.
Terms Typically Offered: Fall, Spring.

SPCH 308 Argumentation and Debate
Research and development of various types of debate such as student congress, mock trial, value debate, etc., using national and international topics of current interest.
Prerequisites: ESSL 200 or SPCH 102.
Terms Typically Offered: Spring.

SPCH 395 Independent Study
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 6 credit hours.

SPCH 396 Topics
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 15 credit hours.

SPCH 495 Independent Study
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 6 credit hours.

SPCH 496 Topics
Course may be taken multiple times up to maximum of 15 credit hours.