

# COMM 110 Public Speaking

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## **COMM 110 PUBLIC SPEAKING**

Provides a practical and theoretical introduction to the fundamental principles of public speaking through an audience-centered approach, and a forum for practicing public speaking skills. Students discover, develop, and criticize ideas in public discourse through research, reasoning, organization, composition, presentation, and evaluation of various types of speeches, including informative and persuasive speeches. Critical thinking & listening skills are realized through speaker and audience analysis. Speeches are delivered in both impromptu (spontaneous) and extemporaneous (prepared) modes. *Letter Grade Only. Degree Credit.*

**Units:** 3

**Hours/semester:** 48-54 Lecture; 96-108 Homework

**Recommended:** Eligibility for ENGL 100.

**AA/AS Degree Requirements:** Area A1

**Transfer Credit:** CSU (CSU GE Area A1), UC (IGETC Area 1C)

**C-ID:** COMM 110

