

**Track 1**...is designed for students who have earned a bachelor's degree in a speech language pathology field, or those who have or will have earned a bachelor's degree and will have completed all of the necessary prerequisite coursework listed below.

**Application deadline: Early Decision December 1<sup>st</sup> or Regular Decision Deadline: January 15th.**

**Program outline**

- 4 consecutive semesters (fall, winter, summer, fall)
  - Fall semester: Full-time SLP coursework & community based clinical exposure w/ GVSU faculty
  - Winter & Spring/Summer: Full-time SLP coursework & 2-5 days a week in the community with a practicing SLP
  - Fall semester: Full-time, unpaid internship (no coursework)

✓	<b>Prerequisite Courses</b> (GVSU Courses) "C" or better in prerequisite classes and a minimum 3.0 prerequisite GPA required.	<b>Minimum Credits</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Course Equivalent</b>	<b>Grade</b>
	Anatomy & Physiology of Speech/Hearing Mechanism (CSD 302)	3			
	Language Development (CSD 220)	3			
	Phonetics (CSD 304)	3			
	Hearing Science (CSD 200)	3			
	Speech Science (CSD 306)	3			
	Basic Audiology (CSD 309)	3			
	Neurological Foundations of Communication Disorders (CSD 401)	3			
	Audiologic Rehabilitation (CSD 404)	3			
	Two courses in a disorders area (SLP 407, 420, 421, 422)	4			
✓	<b>National Certification Course Requirements</b>				
	Biological Science Course (GV Students BIO 120)				
	Physical Science Course (GV Students PHY 200)				
	Statistics Course (GV Students STA 215)				
	One Psychological or Social Science Courses (PSY 101 or other SBS Gen Ed)				

Applications for Track 1 will be completed through the Communication Sciences and Disorders Centralized Application System (CSDCAS). All applications and supplemental materials must be received and verified by CSDCAS and GVSU by the application deadline above.

- The above prerequisite coursework may be in progress at the point of application; however, all prerequisite courses must be completed prior to the start of the program with a "C" or better and with a minimum overall 3.0 prerequisite GPA. Courses taken at other institutions may be titled differently than the GVSU equivalent. In such cases, a review of course syllabi may be requested to ensure that relevant content has been covered.
- GVSU supplemental application
- For detailed admission & application requirements please go to: <https://www.gvsu.edu/csd/admission-to-the-slp-masters-program-2.htm>

Advising Worksheet  
**Speech-Language Pathology (M.S.)**  
 Track 2

**Track 2**...is designed for students who have earned a bachelor's degree, but have not taken the necessary prerequisite coursework listed below. **Application deadline: Priority April 1<sup>st</sup>**

**Program outline**

- 6 consecutive semesters (fall, winter, fall, winter, summer, fall)
  - Fall I semester: Full-time leveling coursework (*see courses below*)
  - Winter I semester: Full-time leveling coursework (*see courses below*)
  - Fall II semester: Full-time SLP coursework & community based clinical placement w/ GVSU faculty
  - Winter II & Spring/Summer: Full-time SLP coursework & 2-5 days per week clinical with a practicing SLP
  - Fall III semester: Full-time, unpaid internship (no coursework)

√	<b>Leveling Coursework</b> (taken first two semesters) "C" or better in prerequisite classes and a minimum 3.0 prerequisite GPA required.	<b>Minimum Credits</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Course Equivalent</b>	<b>Grade</b>
	CSD 200 Intro. Hearing Science	3			
	CSD 220 Communication Development	3			
	CSD 302 Anatomy & Physiology of Speech/Hearing Mechanism	3			
	CSD 304 Phonetics	3			
	CSD 306 Speech Science	3			
	CSD 401 Neurological Foundations of Communication Disorders	3			
	CSD 404 Audiologic Rehabilitation	3			
	SLP 405 Clinical Methods	3			
	One course in a disorders area (SLP 407, 420, 421, 422)	2			
√	<b>Track 2 Prerequisites &amp; National Certification Course Requirements</b> (Grade of "D" or better)				
	Biological Science Course				
	Physical Science Course				
	Statistics Course				
	One Psychological/Social Science Courses				

- The above prerequisite coursework may be in progress at the point of application; however all prerequisite courses must be completed prior to the start of Fall II (see above) with a "C" or better and with a minimum overall 3.0 prerequisite GPA. Courses taken at other institutions may be titled differently than the GVSU equivalent. In such cases, a review of course syllabi may be requested to ensure that relevant content has been covered.
- For detailed admission & application requirements please go to: <https://www.gvsu.edu/csd/admission-to-the-slp-masters-program-2.htm>