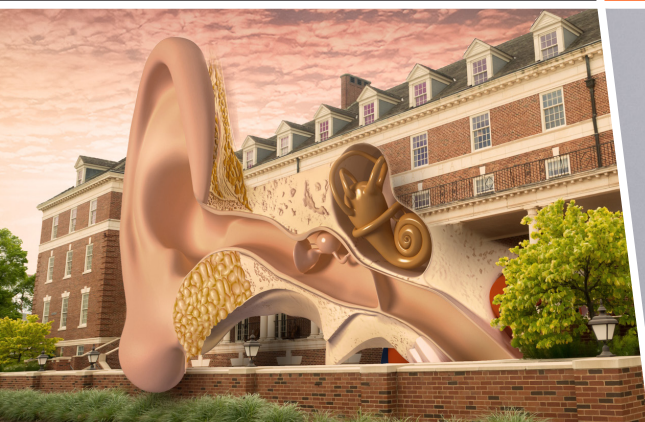




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# Communication Sciences and Disorders



## MAJORS

Communication Sciences and Disorders, BS

“The most exciting part is knowing that I am helping others and it’s going to be beneficial for someone else for the rest of their life.”

- Becca Walters, CDIS Major

**Communications Sciences and Disorders** provides an in-depth study of Normal Speech, Language, Hearing Processes and Disorders of Communication. These topics are studied to prepare students to enter a graduate program. As a CDIS major, you will build the foundation and pre-professional background to pursue a career in speech-language pathology and/or audiology.

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- Observe therapy sessions as a junior and gain clinical experience as a senior
- Gain research experience in the Phon Farm, Motor Speech Lab, Sociophonetics Lab and the Language Learning Lab
- Take courses in American Sign Language, manually coded English and finger spelling

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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## CAREER & INDUSTRY

- Speech Pathology
- Musician
- Administration
- Communications & Outreach
- Audiologist
- Special Education Instructor
- Speech Therapist
- Clinical Supervisor

## SALARY

up to

**\$41,000\***

Students majoring in Communication Sciences & Disorders make on average between \$34,000 and \$41,000 annually.

\*Figured based on figures from NACE

## GET INVOLVED

Stay active on campus while making lifelong friends. Get involved with groups, such as:

- National Student Speech, Language & Hearing Association
- CAS Ambassadors
- CAS Student Council
- Quiz Bowl Team

**Oklahoma State University**  
Office of Undergraduate Admissions

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## COURSES TO EXPECT

- Sign Language
- Audiology and Phonetics
- Speech Science
- Diagnostics

## RESEARCH AND OPPORTUNITIES

- Electrophysiology of motor speech production
- Acoustic, temporal and aerodynamic indices of voice
- Traumatic brain injury and the impact of hyperbaric therapy
- Oral motor speech disorder
- Adults and neurological language disorders
- Volunteer at Special Olympics
- The National Student Speech Language Hearing Association (NSSLHA)
- Study Abroad

## STUDENT INTERNSHIPS

Working with our Career Service advisors, you have numerous opportunities for internships in a non-profit organization, a government office, or a private/public for profit business. The placement may be paid or unpaid, and/or count for academic credit. These factors are determined by the employer and/or in collaboration with you.

- Intern for Cavett Kids Foundation - Oklahoma City, OK

## SCHOLARSHIPS

Many scholarships are available for prospective freshmen, transfer students, current students and continuing students. For more scholarship information, please visit [cas.okstate.edu/scholarships](https://cas.okstate.edu/scholarships)



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