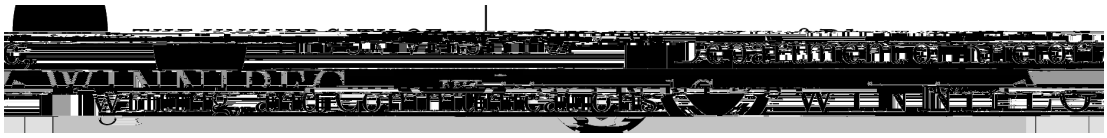

- It helps students avoid having to complete outstanding UW credits after attending RRC Polytech, which can be difficult if on a placement or after starting a permanent position.

Students have occasionally completed the program in 4 years instead of 5. This may require taking some courses each Spring or taking some UW credits while also attending RRC Polytech. This plan has drawbacks: you may not have the opportunity to take courses in the Spring, or have time to take classes at U of W while attending RRC Polytech full-time. In addition, even if you are prepared for a crammed schedule, you may not find the required courses offered at the times you have available. For these reasons, we generally recommend students take 5 years to complete the program.

Students are required to apply and pay an application fee at both institutions.

To apply to The University of Winnipeg, please see: http://www.uwinnipeg.ca/apply

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Communications program at RRC Polytech, but students are not required to select a cluster that matches their eventual major at Red River College – the cluster you choose at U of W does not affect which courses you can select in the Diploma program.

Please noteyou will need to complete 18 credit hours of cluster courses. The Department may approve additional courses for inclusion (course substitutions) which seem to fit coherently with others in the cluster; students seeking such approval should consult with the Rhetoric, Writing, and Communications Department Chair.

Thistemplate provides an example for students pursuing this cluster as part of the requirements for the Joint Communications Program.

During the Spring of your first year:
Students who intend to complete 72 credit hours at UW in two years should register for at least 6 credit hours in the Spring session of their first year.

During the Spring of your second year:
Students who intend to complete 72 credit hours at UW in two years should register for their last few credit hours in the Spring session of their second

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