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PREPARING TO PARTICIPATE
Chapter 1: Introduction to Communication

(Student Preparation—Knowledge)

(Student Participation—Application)

1.1 Benefits

List and describe the three benefits of studying communication.

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Think of a time when effective communication was beneficial in your personal or social life. Describe the communication encounter and the successful outcome.

1.2 Communication Process

List and define the six elements of the communication process.

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How have our channels of communication changed over the years? What implications do these channels have on the way we communicate with others?

1.3 Models

List and explain the three models of communication.

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Think of a recent communication encounter you have participated in. Can you identify all the elements of communication in that encounter?

1.4 Themes

Describe the themes that will run throughout the course.

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What are your personal goals for this course? What strategies will you use to accomplish your goals?