



Radio Communications

Remember: Who/Who/Where/What/ATIS

Who they are...Who I am...Where I am...What I am going to do (direction of flight)...With ATIS information

1. First Contact: Ground Control 121.8.

- **Pilot:** "Centennial Ground, Cessna 52872 at area Hotel, taxi for a southeast departure, with information Kilo."
- **Ground:** "Cessna 52872, taxi to runway one-seven left."
- **Pilot:** "Taxi to one-seven left, 52872."

2. Second Contact: After run-up is complete, contact Ground Control 121.8.

- **Pilot:** "Centennial Ground, Cessna 52872 at runway one-seven left at Alpha One (or your location intersection), run-up complete."
- **Ground:** "Cessna 52872, hold short of runway one-seven left, monitor the Tower on 118.9."
- **Pilot:** "Hold short of one-seven left and monitor the tower, 52872." (Change frequencies to 118.9 and monitor only. Move up to the hold line.)

3. Third Contact: Tower will contact you do not call the tower.

- **Tower:** "Cessna 52872, runway one-seven left, cleared for takeoff, southeast departure approved, traffic is a Cessna on a mile final, your runway."
- **Pilot:** "Cessna 52872, cleared for takeoff one-seven left, southeast departure approved."

4. Fourth Contact: Initial call-up inbound 10-15 miles out. Check ATIS first. Tower on 118.9

- **Pilot:** "Centennial Tower, Cessna 52872, over_____, full stop, with Lima."
- **Tower:** "Cessna 52872, enter left downwind for one-seven left, report two southeast."
- **Pilot:** "Enter left downwind for one-seven left, report two southeast, 52872."

At secondary reporting point

- **Pilot:** "Centennial Tower, Cessna 52872 is two southeast."
- **Tower:** "Cessna 52872, cleared to land, runway one-seven left."
- **Pilot:** "Cleared to land one-seven left, 52872."

After landing

- **Tower:** "Cessna 52872, exit runway at Alpha Eight, contact ground point eight."
- **Pilot:** "Exit at Alpha eight, ground point eight."

Final Contact: Clear of runway. Ground control 121.8

- **Pilot:** "Centennial Ground, Cessna 52872 at Alpha eight, taxi to Hotel."
- **Ground:** "Cessna 52872, taxi to parking."
- **Pilot:** "To parking, 52872."