

**TRANSFER GUIDE/BDP for the AA in Teacher Prep**

**BA, Theatre Arts, Theatre Education 591E**  
**Appalachian State University**  
**2023-2024**

Department of Theatre and Dance  
College of Fine & Applied Arts  
Program of Study

**HOW-TO Use the Transfer Guide/BDP**

The Transfer Guides/BDPs have three sections:

1. The NC Community College courses are listed in the top section. Recommended and/or preferred courses are provided, with the equivalent Appalachian courses listed. If a specific course is not listed, students should use the blue hyperlink to access the [Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list](#). Students are welcome to choose any CAA course; however, students should choose courses that are available at their institution and satisfy their transfer degree requirements.
2. Appalachian courses are listed in the middle section. Once at Appalachian, students will work with a WCOB advisor to develop an individual graduation plan.
3. Important transfer and major information is listed in the bottom sections. Students should refer to these sections for information regarding program requirements and other important information the department would like students to be aware of.

**Please note** - Transfer Guides/BDPs are developed based on the approved curriculum for that catalog year. Depending on term of entry and the curriculum posted for that catalog year, programs of study may have changed.

<b>Community College Coursework: 60 Transfer hours</b>		<b>Associate in Arts in Teacher Preparation</b>			
<b>Semester 1:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	EDU 187	Teaching and Learning for All	4	EDU 2000	
	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	MAT COURSE	Quantitative Literacy	3-4	GEP MAT	Take MAT 143 or 152 or 171
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Social/Behavioral Science Elective	3		
	Semester hours		14-15		
<b>Semester 2:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	COM 120 or COM 231	Communication or Humanities Elective	3	COM 2121 or COM 2105	
	SOC 225	Social Diversity	3	SOC Elective	
	DRA 112	Literature of the Theatre	3	THR 2005	Required for the major; UGETC Humanities
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	General Education Elective	3		
	Semester hours		15		
<b>Semester 3:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	EDU 216	Foundations of Education	3	EDU 2100	
	EDU 279	Literacy Development & Instruction	4	EDU ELEC	
	<a href="#">FL 111</a>	Elementary Foreign Language I	3	FL 1010	Required for major
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Natural Science Elective	4		
	Semester hours		14		
<b>Semester 4:</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	EDU 250	Teacher License Preparation	3	EDU ELEC	Students should pass the Praxis CORE tests required for admission to Teacher Education at Appalachian during or just after this course is completed.
	<a href="#">FL 112</a>	Elementary Foreign Language II	3	FL 1020	Required for major
	DRA 211	Theatre History I	3	THR 3730	Required for major; UGETC Humanities
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	UGETC electives	3-4		
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Social/Behavioral Science Elective	3		
		Semester hours		15-16	
	<b>Total AA degree hours</b>		<b>60</b>		

**Appalachian Coursework: 64 hours**

Semester 5:	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Fall	EDU 3000	Diverse Learners: Teaching & Learning	3	
	THR 2009	The Stage Environment	3	
	THR 2625	Voice and Movement for the Stage	3	Offered in fall semester only
	THR 2101	Production Running Crew	1	
	THR 2235	Theatrical Costume and Makeup	3	
	THR 3857	Teaching Theatre, K-5	2	Offered in fall semester only. Odd years
		Semester hours	15	
Semester 6:	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Spring	THR 2230	Scenery and Properties	3	Offered in spring semester only
	THR 2620	Acting I: Beginning Scene Study	3	Offered in spring semester only
	THR 3735	Modern Theatre History and Literature	3	Writing in the Discipline; Offered in spring semester only
	THR 3630	Theatre Directing Techniques	3	Offered in spring semester only
	THR 3656	Theatre Perf & Produ for Young Audiences	3	Offered in spring semester only
	THR 4357	Teaching Theatre, 6-8	2	Offered in spring semester only. Even years
		Semester hours	17	
Summer Semester:	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	FL 1040	Intermediate Foreign Language I	3	May take FL 1060 combination course for 6 hours
	FL 1050	Intermediate Foreign Language II	3	
		Semester hours	6	
Semester 7:	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Fall	EDU 3100	Assessment for Learning	3	
	THR 2240	Lighting and Sound	3	Offered fall semester only
	THR 2250	Stage Management	2	
	THR 3445	Arts Management & Promotion	3	Offered in fall semester only
	THR 3901	Theatre Education Practicum	1	
	THR 3017	Teaching Theatre, 9-12	2	Offered fall semester. Even years
		Semester hours	14	
Semester 8:	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Spring	EDU 4900	Student Teaching/Clinical Internship	12	CAPSTONE (those who take THR 4840 Capstone and Free Elective are exempt)
		<b>Students NOT planning to take EDU 4900 must take the following sequence of courses to complete the Capstone requirement</b>		
	THR 4840	Capstone	3	Offered fall semester only
	Free Elective		5	Take enough hours to complete 120 required for the degree.
		Semester hours	8-12	
		<b>Total Appalachian hours</b>	<b>60-64</b>	

**Applying to Appalachian:**

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, from all post-secondary coursework, is required for admission to Appalachian.
- Students interested in applying to Appalachian should submit an application and official college transcripts to be considered for admission.
- Students hoping to attend a summer or fall term are encouraged to apply by February 15th and those hoping to attend in the spring are encouraged to apply by October 15th.

**Additional Praxis CORE Testing Information:**

- \* Please visit the Apply to Teacher Education website for additional information about possible exemption from the Praxis CORE based on ACT or SAT scores.
- \* Please visit the James Center for Academic Advising Testing Resources website for additional information and resources related to preparing for the Praxis CORE.

**Notes**

**Community college graduates must obtain a grade of "C" or better in each course and an overall GPA of at least 2.7 on a 4.0 scale to transfer with a junior status, per the state-wide articulation agreement.**

To be admitted to the Reich College of Education for teacher education, a student must meet the following criteria:

- \* Complete EDU 2000 & EDU 2100 with a C or better
- \* Complete 45 hours with a 2.7 GPA (2.7 GPA must be maintained)
- \* Complete the Praxis Core
- \* Students who wish to be licensed in NC must complete CI 4900, Student Teaching. Students who do not wish to be licensed can take THR 4 840 Capstone, and at least 3 hours of electives

- Transfer Resources:**
- Transfer Admissions & Engage** [transfer.appstate.edu](https://transfer.appstate.edu)
  - Office of Admissions** [admissions.appstate.edu](https://admissions.appstate.edu)
  - Office of Financial Aid** [financialaid.appstate.edu](https://financialaid.appstate.edu)
  - Scholarships** [scholarships.appstate.edu](https://scholarships.appstate.edu)
  - Career Development** [careers.appstate.edu](https://careers.appstate.edu)
  - University Housing** [housing.appstate.edu](https://housing.appstate.edu)
  - Off-Campus Housing** [offcampushousing.appstate.edu](https://offcampushousing.appstate.edu)
  - Campus Activities** [campusactivities.appstate.edu](https://campusactivities.appstate.edu)



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