

TRANSFER GUIDE/BDP

BSCJ, Criminal Justice  
Appalachian State University  
2022-2023

[Department of Government & Justice Studies](#)  
[College of Arts & Sciences](#)  
[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 yellow 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 \(CAA\) 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 gray section. Students will work with an Appalachian advisor, after transferring to develop an individual graduation plan.
3. Important transfer and major information is listed in the bottom white 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.

Community College Coursework: 60 Transfer hours		Associate in Arts			
Semester	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
Semester 1: 14 hours	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	MAT 152	Statistics	4	STT 2820	Required for the major
	POL 120	American Government	3	PS 1100	Required for the major
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3		
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	Semester hours			14	
Semester 2: 16 hours	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	SOC 210 or 220	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 100 or 1100	Required for the major
	PSY 150	General Psychology	3	PSY 1200	Preferred by the major
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3		
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Natural Science	4		
	Semester hours			16	
Semester 3: 15 hours	CJC 111	Intro to Criminal Justice	3	CJ 1100	Required by the major
	CJC 121	Police Processes	3	CJ 2120	Required by the major
	PSY 281	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 2212	Required by the major
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/GEC/Elective</a>		3		
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanities/Fine Arts	3		
	Semester hours			15	
Semester 4: 15 hours	CJC 132	The Court System	3	CJ 2150	Required for the major
	CJC 141	Corrections	3	CJ 2430	Required for the major
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/GEC/Elective</a>		3		
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	Semester hours			15	
<b>Total AA degree hours</b>			<b>60</b>		

**Appalachian Course Work: 61 hours**

Semester	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Semester 5: 16 hours	CJ 3001	Writing in Criminal Justice	3	Writing in the Discipline
	CJ/PS 3115	Research Methods	4	
	Major Elective Course 1		3	A total of 9 hours (3 courses) is required from list on POS
	Free Elective		3	The degree requires enough Free Electives to earn a minor with careful planning
	Free Elective		3	
	Semester hours			16
Semester 6: 18 hours	CJ 3400	Theories of Crime & Justice	3	
	Major Elective Course 2		3	If taken at community college, take free elective
	Diversity Course		3	Take one course from list on POS
	Free Elective		3	
	Free Elective		3	
	Free Elective		3	
	Semester hours			18
Semester 7: 15 hours	CJ 3551	Criminal Law	3	
	Major Elective Course 3		3	If taken at community college, take free elective
	Free Elective		3	
	Free Elective		3	
	Free Elective		3	Make sure to take enough hours to earn a total of 120 for graduation
	Semester hours			15
Semester 8: 12 hours	CJ 4900	Internship	12	CAPSTONE; Students in the APDP program will take 6 hours of CJ 4901 and 6 hours of CJ electives. STUDENTS MAY NOT TAKE ANY OTHER COURSEWORK DURING THE INTERNSHIP.
	Semester hours			12
<b>Total Appalachian hours</b>			<b>61</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 on-line 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.

**Degree Information:**

- A minor is optional for this degree. If a minor is pursued, a foreign language minor is recommended.
- POL 130, PSY 118 OR 237, and SOC 242 will satisfy the nine hours of required electives for the major.
- Students will work with an Appalachian advisor, after transferring, to develop an individual graduation plan.

**Transfer Resources:**

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



Questions, please call Transfer Admissions & Engagement at 828-262-7877