BA, Sociology **Department of Sociology**
Appalachian State University **College of Arts & Sciences**
2021-2022 **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 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 1: 14 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
UGETC	Math	4		
SOC 210	Intro to Sociology	3	SOC 1000	Required for the major
UGETC	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	Semester hours	14		

Semester 2: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
UGETC	Science	4		
UGETC	Humanity/Fine Arts	3		
UGETC	Social Science	3		
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	Semester hours	16		

Semester 3: 15 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
UGETC	Humanity/Fine Arts	3		
FL 111	Beginning Foreign Language I	3	FL 1010	Required for the major
Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
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Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
	Semester hours	15		

Semester 4: 15 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
FL 112	Beginning Foreign Language II	3	FL 1020	Required for the major
Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
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Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
	Semester hours	15		
	Total AA degree hours	**60**		

Appalachian Course Work: 60 hours

Semester 5: 15 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
SOC 3885	Research Methods	3	Writing in the Discipline; must earn a C or higher
SOC 3950	Classical Sociological Theory I	3	Must earn a C or higher
Sociology Elective		3	At least 12 hours of SOC electives must be at the 3000 level or above and
Minor Course		3	
FL 1040	Intermediate Foreign Language II	3	
	Semester hours	15	

Semester 6: 15 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
SOC 3895	Social Statistics and Data Analysis	3	Must earn a C or higher
SOC 3960	Contemporary Sociological Theory II	3	Writing in the Discipline; must earn a C or higher
Sociology Elective		3	At least 12 hours of SOC electives must be at the 3000 level or above and
Minor Course		3	
FL 1050	Intermediate Foreign Language II	3	
	Semester hours	15	

Semester 7: 15 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
Sociology Elective		3	At least 12 hours of SOC electives must be at the 3000 level or above and
Sociology Elective		3	approved by an advisor.
Minor Course		3	
Minor Course		3	
Free Elective		3	
	Semester hours	15	

Semester 8: 15 hours

Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
SOC 4450	Senior Capstone	3	Capstone; must earn a C or higher
Sociology Elective		3	At least 12 hours of SOC electives must be at the 3000 level or above and
Sociology Elective		3	approved by an advisor.
Minor Course		3	
Minor Course		3	
	Semester hours	15	
	Total Appalachian hours	**60**	

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.

Transfer Information:
- A minor is required for this degree.
- Students will work with an Appalachian advisor, after transferring, to develop and individual graduation plan.

Questions, please call Online & Transfer Services at 828-262-7877