BS, Middle Grades Education, Language Arts & Science
Appalachian State University
2021-2022

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: 63 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		
UGETC	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
UGETC	Science	4		See Notes
ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
	Semester hours	15		

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		See Notes
UGETC	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
UGETC	Social Science	3		
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	Semester hours	16		

Semester 3: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
ENG 231 OR 232	American Literature	3	ENG 2350	Choose one course; required for major
UGETC	Science	4		See Notes
UGETC	Social Science	3		
Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
	Semester hours	16		

Semester 4: 16 hours

NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
UGETC	Science	4		See Notes
UGETC	Science	4		See Notes
ENG 251, 252, 261, 262, 265, OR 266	World Literature	3	ENG 2030 OR 2040	Choose one courses; required for the major
Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
	Semester hours	17		
	Total AA degree hours	**63**		

Appalachian Course Work: 66

Semester 5: 16 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	CI 2300	Teaching & Learning in the Digital Age	2	
	FDN 2400	Critical Perspective on Teaching & Learning	2	
	PSY 3010	Psychology Applied to Teaching	3	
	ENG 3300	Applied Grammar	3	
	ENG 3580	Teaching Composition	3	
	Free Elective		3	
		Semester hours	16	

Semester 6: 15 hours BLOCK I	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	CI 3900	Middle Grades Internship	3	Writing in the Discipline
	CI 3910	Middle Level Education	3	
	CI 3920	Teaching Young Adolescents	3	
	GS 3300	Educational Applications for Science Concepts	3	
	RE 3070	Media for Young People	3	
		Semester hours	15	

Summer: 8 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	CI 3400	Policies & Practice in Edu Assessment	2	
	ENG 4560	Adolescent Literature	3	
	SPE 3300	Creative Inclusive Learning Communities	3	
		Semester hours	8	

Semester 7: 15 hours BLOCK II	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	CI 4990	MG Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment	4	
	CI 4300	Literacy, Language & Culture in MG	3	
	CI 4480	Middle Grades Classroom Management	2	
	RE 3150	Language Arts in MG	3	
	GS 4403	Teaching Science in Middle & High School	3	
		Semester hours	15	

Semester 8: 12 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	CI 4900	Student Teaching	12	
		Semester hours	12	
		Total Appalachian hours	**66**	

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.

Science Concentration: Students can complete up to 20 hours of required sciences at the community college, depending on availability:
- 8 hours of a natural science sequenceshould be completed.
- Two science courses from each of the remaining three sciences: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, or Geology.

To be admitted to the Reich College of Education for teacher education, a student must meet the following criteria:
- Complete CI 2300 and FDN 2400 with a C or better
- Complete 45 hours with a 2.7 GPA (2.7 GPA must be maintained)
- Complete the Praxis Core
- Be proficient in Reading and English