

**TRANSFER GUIDE/BDP**

**BS, Middle Grades Education, Science & Social Studies, 470R**  
**Appalachian State University**  
**2023-2024**

[Department of Curriculum & Instruction](#)  
[Reich College of Education](#)  
[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 \(CAA\) 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 section. Students will work with an academic 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.

Community College Coursework: 62 Transfer hours		Associate in Arts in Teacher Prep			
<b>Semester 1</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Natural Science Elective Sequence Course 1	4		Must take an 8 hour sequence of Gen Ed Sci. See line #1 in the <b>Notes for Concentration Courses</b> box.
	EDU 187	Teaching & Learning for All	4	EDU 2000	
	<a href="#">MAT 143 OR 152 OR 171</a>	Math course	4		
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
		Semester hours	16		
<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	
	EDU 216	Foundations of Education	3	EDU 2100	
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	Natural Science Elective Sequence Course 2	4		Must take an 8 hour sequence of Gen Ed Sci. See line #1 in the <b>Notes for Concentration Courses</b> box.
	COM 120 or COM 231	Communication course	3	COM 2121 or COM 2105	
	POL 120	<a href="#">Social/Behavioral Elective</a>	3	PS 1100	American Government required for major
		Semester hours	16		
<b>Semester 3</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	SOC 225	Social Diversity	3	SOC Elective	
	EDU 279	Literary Development & Instruction	4	EDU ELEC	
	<a href="#">UGETC</a>	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	Science Concentration Course 1	4		Must take science concentration courses. See line #2 in the <b>Notes for Concentration Courses</b> box.
	HIS 131 or 132	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	3	HIS 1200	American History required for major
		Semester hours	17		
<b>Semester 4</b>	<b>NCCC Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Appalachian Equivalent</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	GEO 111	<a href="#">Social/Behavioral Elective</a>	3	GHY 1020	World Regional Geography required for major
	EDU 250	Teacher Licensure 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="#">UGETC</a>	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
	<a href="#">Pre-Major/Elective/GEC</a>	Science Concentration Course 2	4		Must take science concentration courses. See line #2 in the <b>Notes for Concentration Courses</b> box.
			Semester hours	13	
		<b>Total AATP degree hours</b>	<b>62</b>		

Appalachian Coursework: 59 hours				
<b>Semester 5</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	EDU 3000	Diverse Learners: Teaching & Learning	3	
	African, Asian, or Latin American History		3	
	European or World History		3	
	HIS 3728	History of NC	3	
	SCI Concentration Course	Science Concentration Course 3	3	Must take science concentration courses. See line #2 in the <b>Notes for Concentration Courses</b> box.
		Semester hours	15	
<b>Semester 6</b> BLOCK I	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	CI 3900	Middle Grades Internship	3	Writing in the Discipline
	CI 3910	Middle Level Education	3	
	CI 3920	Teaching Young Adolescents	3	
	African, Asian, or Latin American History		3	
	GS 3300	Educational Applications of Science Concepts	3	
		Semester hours	15	
<b>Summer</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	EDU 3100	Assessment for Learning	3	
		Semester hours	3	
<b>Semester 7</b> BLOCK II	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	CI 4490	MG Curriculum, Instruction & Assessment	3	
	CI 4480	Middle Grades Content Management	2	
	CI 4300	Content Area Literacy	3	
	CI 3060	Social in the Middle Grades	3	
	GS 4403	Teaching Science in Middle & High Schools	3	Writing in the Discipline
		Semester hours	14	
<b>Semester 8</b>	<b>Appalachian Course</b>	<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Notes</b>
	EDU 4900	Student Teaching/Clinical Internship	12	
			Semester hours	12
		<b>Total Appalachian hours</b>	<b>59</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.

**Notes for Concentration Courses**  
 SCIENCE CONCENTRATION INFORMATION: Student must complete the following:

1. Two-semester science sequence to take at the community college: Choose one 8-hour sequence:  
 BIO 111 + 112 OR CHM 151 + 152 OR PHY 131 + 132 OR PHY 151 + 152 OR PHY 251 + 252 OR GEL 111 + GEL 113 or GEL 230
2. Choose two 4-hour courses and one 3-hour course from a total of three areas listed below (DO NOT TAKE COURSES FROM THE SAME AREA AS YOU DID FOR #1 ABOVE)  
 BIOLOGY CHEMISTRY ASTRONOMY  
 PHYSICS GEOLOGY GS4404

**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.

**Transfer Resources:**

<b>Transfer Admissions &amp; Engagement</b>	<a href="https://transfer.appstate.edu">transfer.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Office of Admissions</b>	<a href="https://admissions.appstate.edu">admissions.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Office of Financial Aid</b>	<a href="https://financialaid.appstate.edu">financialaid.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Scholarships</b>	<a href="https://scholarships.appstate.edu">scholarships.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Career Development</b>	<a href="https://careers.appstate.edu">careers.appstate.edu</a>
<b>University Housing</b>	<a href="https://housing.appstate.edu">housing.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Off-Campus Housing</b>	<a href="https://offcampushousing.appstate.edu">offcampushousing.appstate.edu</a>
<b>Campus Activities</b>	<a href="https://campusactivities.appstate.edu">campusactivities.appstate.edu</a>

**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.**

