

TRANSFER GUIDE

BS, Veterinary Education, 923A
Appalachian State University
2023-2024

[Department of Rural Resilience & Innovation](#)
[College of Arts & Sciences](#)
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HOW-TO Use the Transfer Guide/BDP

The Transfer Guides/BDPs have three sections:

1. The NC Community College courses are listed in the 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 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 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: 61 Transfer hours		Associate in Science			
Semester 1: 15 hours	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	MAT 171		4	MAT 1020	Required for the major
	BIO 111		4	BIO 1801	Required for the major
	UGETC Social Science		3		
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
		Semester hours	15		
Semester 2: 17 hours	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	BIO 112		4	BIO 1802	Required for the major
	UGETC Math		4		
	UGETC Fine Arts		3		
	UGETC Social Science		3		
		Semester hours	17		
Semester 3: 16 hours	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
	CHM 151 or CHM 131/131A		4	CHE 1101 & 1110 or CHE 1051/1053	Required for the major
	Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
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		Semester hours	16		
Semester 4: 13 hours	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
	CHM 152 or CHM 132		4	CHE 1102/1120 or CHE 1052/1054	Required for the major
	Pre-Major/Elective/GEC		3		
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		Semester hours	13		
		Total AS degree hours	61		

Appalachian Course Work: 71 hours				
Summer: 6 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 1030	Intro to Veterinary Nursing	3	
	VTN 1040	Animal Behavior and Handling	3	
	Semester hours		6	
Semester 5: 12 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 2010	Animal Anatomy	3	
	VTN 2020	Animal Physiology	3	
	VTN 2030	Small Companion Animal Nursing	3	
	VTN 2060	Veterinary Clinical Pathology I	3	
Semester hours		12		
Semester 6: 13 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 2050	Veterinary Surgical Nursing	3	
	VTN 2090	Large, Laboratory & Exotic Animal Nursing	3	
	VTN 3040	Veterinary Clinical Pathology II	3	
	VTN 3060	Veterinary Diagnostic Imaging	2	
	VTN 3080	Professional Communication Skills	2	Writing in the Discipline
Semester hours		13		
Summer: 3 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 2998	Externship	3	Students must complete a minimum of six semester hours of VTN 2998. Externship registration is to be planned and approved in consultation with the Externship Coordinator.
Semester hours		3		
Semester 7: 12 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 3010	Introduction to Veterinary Practice Management	2	
	VTN 3020	Introduction to Veterinary Dentistry	2	
	VTN 3030	Principals of Veterinary Pharmacology	2	
	PH 2000	Introduction to Public Health	3	
	Focus Area Course		3	
Semester hours		12		
Semester 8: 12 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 3070	Veterinary Anesthesia and Analgesia	3	
	VTN 3100	Intro to Veterinary Emergency Med	3	
	Focus Area Course		3	
	Focus Area Course		3	
Semester hours		12		
Summer: 3 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 2998	Externship	3	Students must complete a minimum of six semester hours of VTN 2998. Externship registration is to be planned and approved in consultation with the Externship Coordinator.
Semester hours		3		
Semester 9: 10 hours	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours	Notes
	VTN 4300	Compassionate End of Life Care	1	
	VTN 4800	CAPSTONE	3	Capstone
	Focus Area Course		3	
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Semester hours		10		
Total Appalachian hours			71	

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.
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Notes:

- **Successful completion of VTN 1030 (with a minimum grade of "C" [2.0]) and VTN 1040 required for declaration to the major.**
- 2.5 **major** GPA is required for graduation. Major GPA calculation will include all courses taken in the major discipline plus any other courses under Major Requirements.
- 2.0 **cumulative** GPA is required for graduation.
- Minimum 18 semester hours of courses taken to fulfill major requirements must be courses offered by App State.

Transfer Resources:

Transfer Admissions & Engagement

Office of Admissions

Office of Financial Aid

Scholarships

Career Development

University Housing

Off-Campus Housing

Campus Activities

transfer.appstate.edu

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financialaid.appstate.edu

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