

# Education Area of Concentration, A.A. Social Sciences

## Frederick Community College Suggested Transfer Pathway

	FCC Course	Credits	Towson	Hood	Mount St. Mary's	McDaniel
<b>Semester 1</b>	<b>1</b> ENGL 101 English Composition	3	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *
	<b>2</b> Mathematics Gen Ed	3/4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>3</b> EDUC 110 Schools & Society	3	EDUC 110	EDUC 110	EDUC 110	EDUC 110
	<b>4</b> PSYC 101 General Psychology	3	PSYC 101	PSYC 101	PSYC 101	PSYC 101
	<b>5</b> General Education Elective	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
<b>Semester 2</b>	<b>6</b> Humanities Gen. Ed	3	PHIL 205, PHIL 207, or PHIL 208	Consult with an advisor	PHIL 101, or 205 or HUMN 204	Consult with an advisor
	<b>7</b> COMM 103 Speech Fundamentals	3	COMM 103	COMM 103	COMM 103	COMM 103
	<b>8</b> EDPS 210 Human Growth and Development or PSYC 204 Psychology of Adolescence	3	EDPS 210	EDPS 210	EDPS 210	EDPS 210
	<b>9</b> EDUC 230 Foundations of Special Education	3	EDUC 230	EDUC 230	EDUC 230	EDUC 230
	<b>10</b> Biological & Physical Sciences Gen. Ed	4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
<b>Semester 3</b>	<b>11</b> EDUC 220 Educational Psychology	3	EDUC 220	EDUC 220	EDUC 220	EDUC 220
	<b>12</b> Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen. Ed	3	GEOG 102	GEOG 102	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>13</b> Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>14</b> Arts Gen. Ed	3	ARTT 100 (if planning to teach Art – ARTT 101)	ARTT 100 (if planning to teach Art – ARTT 101)	ARTT 100 (if planning to teach Art – ARTT 101)	ARTT 100 (if planning to teach Art – ARTT 101)
	<b>15</b> Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
<b>Semester 4</b>	<b>16</b> Physical Education, Health, or Nutrition Requirement	1/3	HLTH 150 (if planning to teach PE – NUTR 200)	HLTH 150 (if planning to teach PE – NUTR 200)	HLTH 150 (if planning to teach PE – NUTR 200)	HLTH 150 (if planning to teach PE – NUTR 200)
	<b>17</b> Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>18</b> Social & Behavioral Science Gen. Ed in a different discipline from the first	3	PSYC 204	PSYC 204	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>19</b> Biological and Physical Science Gen Ed	3/4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	<b>20</b> Elective Related to planned teaching (credits may vary; to fulfill the 60 credits for degree)	3/4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor

**Important Notes:** The schools represented here are only a small sample of transfer options. Information is subject to change, and this suggested pathway is a guide, not a contract. Students should use this in consultation with an FCC advisor, the FCC catalog, [ARTSYS](#) (the state-wide online transfer system), and an advisor at the transfer institution. See the “Pathway Notes” section for more detailed information. **Full-time student:** Follow the green semester blocks in order. **Part-time student:** Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

### Pathway Notes

\* must earn a grade of “C” or higher in this course

### Transfer Institution Information

**Hood College** offers a [Secondary Education Certification](#).

**Mount St. Mary’s University** offers a [Secondary Education Certification](#).

**Towson University** offers a [Secondary Education Certification](#) in English. Three credits to fulfill the [CORE 14](#) Course requirement may be required. Mandatory Transfer Orientation is required before enrollment.

**McDaniel** offers a [Five-Year B.A./M.S. Program: Secondary Education](#). An additional 1-3 credits in Reading to meet their [Education Core](#) Requirements.

**Frostburg** offers a [Secondary Teacher Preparation Program](#).

### Advising

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests.

The Education Program Advisor is Heather Hinkle • 301-824-2461 • [hhinkle@frederick.edu](mailto:hhinkle@frederick.edu)

The Counseling & Advising Office offers general advice: [emailadvising@frederick.edu](mailto:emailadvising@frederick.edu) • 301.846.2471 • [frederick.edu/advising](http://frederick.edu/advising)

### Completing the Pathway

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. A minimum of nine credits must be taken at the 200 level. Refer to the college catalog ([frederick.edu/class-schedules](http://frederick.edu/class-schedules)) for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes.

### Reverse Transfer

FCC students who transfer to another school may transfer credits *back to FCC* from that school to fulfill FCC associate degree requirements. Visit [frederick.edu/credit-admissions/reverse-transfer](http://frederick.edu/credit-admissions/reverse-transfer) or contact an advisor for more information.