

Education Area of Concentration, A.A. Social Sciences

Frederick Community College Suggested Transfer Pathway

Catalog Year 2023-2024

	FCC Course	Credits	Towson	Hood	Mount St. Mary's	McDaniel
Semester 1	1 ENGL 101 English Composition	3	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *	ENGL 101 *
	2 EDUC 110 Schools & Society	3	EDUC 110	EDUC 110	EDUC 110	EDUC 110
	3 Mathematics Gen Ed	3/4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Mathematics Gen Ed
	4 PSYC 101 General Psychology	3	PSYC 101	PSYC 101	PSYC 101	PSYC 101
	5 General Education Elective	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
Semester 2	6 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
	7 COMM 103 Speech Fundamentals	3	COMM 103	COMM 103	COMM 103	COMM 103
	8 EDPS 210 Human Growth and Development or PSYC 204 Psychology of Adolescence	3	EDPS 210	EDPS 210	EDPS 210	EDPS 210
	9 EDUC 230 Foundations of Special Education	3	EDUC 230	EDUC 230	EDUC 230	EDUC 230
	10 Biological & Physical Sciences Gen. Ed	4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
Semester 3	11 EDUC 220 Educational Psychology	3	EDUC 220	EDUC 220	EDUC 220	EDUC 220
	12 Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen. Ed	3	GEOG 102	GEOG 102	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	13 Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	PHIL 101, or 205 or HUMN 204	Consult with an advisor
	14 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)
	15 Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
Semester 4	16 Physical Education, Health, or Nutrition Requirement	1/3	HLTH 150	HLTH 150	HLTH 150	HLTH 150
	17 Elective Related to planned teaching area	3	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	18 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
	19 Biological and Physical Science Gen Ed	3/4	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor	Consult with an advisor
	20 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	PHIL 101, or 205 or HUMN 204	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 Dr. Julie Horton • 301-846-2461 • jhorton@frederick.edu

The Counseling & Advising Office offers general advice: emailadvising@frederick.edu • 301.846.2471 • 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) 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 or contact an advisor for more information.