Transfer Planning

This section provides information for students who plan to transfer to a college or university in Washington state to complete a baccalaureate degree. It highlights different transfer degree areas and includes contact information for faculty advisors at OC who can help map out education plans and transfer programs of study. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution where they plan to transfer before finalizing their education plans.

Reverse Transfer

Reverse transfer provides a way for students who transfer to a bachelor's degree program to earn an associate degree, even if they have not completed all associate degree requirements at the time of transfer. Students may transfer completed courses from their transfer college or university back to Olympic College (OC), to be applied to an OC associate degree. Participating institutions include all of Washington state's public four-year colleges and universities (including Western Governors', University of Washington), and Old Dominion University, among others. Students should request the OC Reverse Transfer package to initiate the process.

Advising Notes and Recommendations

- Consult a faculty counselor if you have not decided on a future major.
- Check with your intended transfer college or university advisor for specific admissions and major requirements. With careful planning, you may be able to fulfill both admissions and major requirements with your degree.
- Not all courses are offered every quarter. A faculty advisor can help you plan course sequence and schedule.

NOTE: The Associate in Arts/Direct Transfer Agreement (AA/DTA) is a general transfer degree. It is not usually associated with a specific major. Students who plan to transfer to a four-year college or university are responsible for contacting the appropriate advisors at the institution to determine which additional classes they may need to take while attending OC. The educational plan to complete the AA/DTA and any additional classes should be made in consultation with the appropriate OC Faculty Advisor.

Baccalaureate Institutions in Washington that Subscribe to the ICRC Guidelines

Most students who plan to transfer will complete the Associate in Arts/Direct Transfer Agreement (AA/DTA) or Associate of Science (AS). These degrees are designed to meet state-wide guidelines endorsed by the InterCollege Relations Commission (ICRC) to ease transfer. The following 22 public and private baccalaureate institutions subscribe to ICRC Guidelines:

- Bastyr University
- Central Washington University
- City University
- Cornish College of the Arts
- Eastern Washington University
- Gonzaga University
- Heritage College
- Northwest Indian College
- Northwest University
- Pacific Lutheran University
- Saint Martin's University
- Seattle University
- Seattle Pacific University
- The Evergreen State College
- University of Washington
- University of Washington Bothell
- University of Washington Tacoma
- Washington State University
- Washington State University Tri-Cities
- Washington State University Vancouver
- Western Washington University
- Whitworth College

Many of these colleges and universities guarantee acceptance to students with the Olympic College transfer associate degree. UW-Seattle does not. Specific programs at other schools may have more stringent requirements. Check with the admissions office at the baccalaureate institution for clarification and up-to-date information.

Common Course Numbering

All Washington state community and technical colleges are using a Common Course Numbering (CCN) system. The system identifies courses that are equivalent at community colleges throughout the state to make it easier for students to transfer between two-year colleges. Courses with an ampersand (&) after the prefix code are part of the Common Course Numbering system. Many courses without an “&” also transfer between two-year and four-year colleges.

Agreements by Other Colleges and Universities to Accept Credits from Olympic College

In addition to the colleges subscribing to ICRC guidelines, OC has entered into formal agreements with the following institutions for transfer:

Central Washington University

The Bachelor of Applied Science, Information Technology and Administrative Management (BAS-ITAM) degree is open to students with any applied or technical degree and at least 40 credits in an applied area. Concentrations include Administrative Management, Information Technology, and Cyber Security.

The Apparel, Textiles, and Merchandising Bachelor of Science Degree program accepts six Fashion Marketing courses in transfer toward this degree. See Fashion Marketing program information for qualifying courses.

The Evergreen State College Upside Down Transfer Option

The Upside Down Transfer Option is designed to provide students earning a technical associate degree (AAS, AAS-T, ATA) the opportunity to complete an Evergreen bachelor’s degree with just six additional quarters of full-time work at Evergreen. Students that qualify for the Upside Down Transfer Option will receive a total of 90 quarter hours of lower division transfer credits after successfully completing the process. All 90 transfer credits will count toward an Evergreen BA degree.

This transfer option is designed for students that have completed a technical associate degree who generate less than 90 transferable quarter credits in a course-by-course transfer credit evaluation. Students with technical associate degrees take more focused coursework at the community or technical college. To ensure these students complete broad, liberal arts coursework, they are required to take 32 quarter-hour credits at Evergreen in an interdisciplinary program outside the area of their technical degree. After the successful completion of 32 credits at Evergreen, the student will receive a block of 90 transferable quarter-hour lower division credits.

Contact the Advising Center, and see www.Evergreen.edu for more information.

University of Washington – Tacoma

Politics, Philosophy, & Economics Program

Olympic College is also part of a statewide agreement with Western Governors’ University – Washington.

University Partnerships

The following universities offer classes and services on Olympic College Campuses.

- Brandman University
- Old Dominion University
- Western Washington University
- Washington State University

Olympic College Bachelor of Applied Science Degrees

Olympic College offers bachelor’s degrees in the following subjects:

- Digital Filmmaking
- Information Systems
- Nursing-RN to BSN
- Organizational Leadership/Technical Management

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
Transfer Planning

Reciprocity among Washington Community and Technical Colleges

Washington community and technical colleges (CTCs) offer reciprocity to students transferring within the CTC system who are pursuing an AA or AS degree. Students who have fulfilled entire areas of their degree requirements at one college will be considered to have met those same requirements if they plan to complete the same degree when they transfer to another community or technical college in Washington. These degree requirements include Communication Skills, Quantitative Skills, or one or more Distribution Area requirements. Students must initiate the review process and must be prepared to provide necessary documentation. For complete information, students should contact an evaluator in Enrollment Services.

Washington 45

A student who completes courses selected from within the general education categories listed below at a public community, technical, four-year college or university in Washington State will be able to transfer and apply a maximum of 45 quarter credits toward general education requirement(s) at any other public and most private higher education institutions in the state.

For transfer purposes, a student must have a minimum grade of C or better (2.0 or above) in each course completed from this list.

Students who transfer Washington 45 courses must still meet a receiving institution’s admission requirements and eventually satisfy all their general education requirements and degree requirements in major, minor and professional programs.

“First Year Transfer List” of general education courses

- **Communications** (5 credits) – ENGL& 101, ENGL& 102
- **Quantitative and Symbolic Reasoning** (5 credits) – MATH&107, MATH&148 or MATH&151
- **Humanities** (10 credits in two different subject areas or disciplines) – PHIL& 101, MUSC& 105, DRMA& 101, ENGL& 111, or HUM& 101 (For colleges that use History as a Humanities: HIST& 116, HIST& 117, HIST& 118, HIST& 146, HIST& 147, HIST& 148)
- **Social Science** (10 credits in two different subject areas or disciplines) – PSYC& 100, SOC& 101, POLS& 101, POLS& 202 (For colleges that use History as a Social Science: HIST& 116, HIST& 117, HIST& 118, HIST& 146, HIST& 147, HIST& 148)
- **Natural Sciences** (10 credits in two different subject areas or disciplines) – BIOL& 100, BIOL& 160 with lab, ASTR& 100, ASTR& 101 with lab, CHEM& 105, CHEM& 110 with lab, CHEM& 121 with lab, CHEM& 161, CHEM& 162, ENVS& 100, ENVS& 101, PHYS& 114, GEOL& 101 with lab.
- Additional 5 credits can be taken in a different discipline from any category listed above.

NOTE: Although these courses are listed under categories, the actual course may satisfy a different general education category at a receiving institution.

1Many private non-profit colleges and universities have distinct general education requirements. Students should check with institution(s) they plan to attend regarding application of transfer credits that will meet general education requirements.

2Disciplines are sometimes called subject or subject matter areas and designated by a prefix (i.e. PHIL for Philosophy and POLS for Political Science).

Possible Transfer Areas:

- American Culture and Equity Studies
- Anthropology
- Art
- Astronomy
- Atmospheric Science/Meteorology
- Biology
- Biotecnology
- Business
- Chemistry
- Communication Studies
- Computer Information Systems
- Computer Science
- Digital Filmmaking
- Dramatic Arts
- Early Childhood Education
- Education
- Electronics
- Engineering
- English
- Environmental Studies
- Geography
- Geology
- History
- Human Services
- Leadership—see Organizational Leadership
- Marine Science & Oceanography
- Mathematics
- Music
- Nursing
- Organizational Leadership/Resource Management
- Physical Education
- Physics
- Political Science
- Pre-Professional Health Occupations
- Psychology
- Social Work
- Sociology
- Supportive Health Occupations
- Technical Design
- World Languages
- Other (See last page of this section.)

American Culture and Equity Studies

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Students who intend to major in American Culture and Equity Studies at a four-year institution should complete the requirements for an Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

**Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:**

- **ACES 101** Intro to Am Culture & Equity Studies
- **ACES 102** The LGBTQ Experience
- **ACES 160** Latina/os in the United States
- **ACES 170** Black Voices in America

Anthropology

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Anthropology is the study of humankind. It is a holistic discipline that is divided into four subfields: Archaeology, Cultural, Linguistics, and Biological. Four-year programs typically require Anthropology majors to take course work in each of the subfields.

Students who intend to major in Anthropology at a four-year institution should complete the requirements for an Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Good writing skills are essential and should be developed. Most undergraduate programs require at least one statistics course. Competence in one world language is also required for some undergraduate and most graduate programs.

**Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:**

- **ANTH& 100** Survey of Anthropology
- **ANTH& 204** Archaeology
- **ANTH& 205** Biological Anthropology
- **ANTH& 206** Cultural Anthropology
- **ANTH& 207** Linguistic Anthropology

In addition to taking the above recommended courses, students can design courses to supplement the subfields of anthropology they are interested in. Contact the anthropology advisor for further information.
Art

Associate in Arts (AA)

Fundamental to the development of fine art is the spirit and process of exploration. The Art curriculum encourages the process of discovery as it applies to perceptual and conceptual issues basic to the creative process. The purpose of the integrated transfer curriculum is to provide a catalyst for students to widen their artistic awareness and versatility.

Students who complete the Associate in Arts Degree requirements and include many of the courses listed below will have a firm foundation in the fundamentals of both two-dimensional and three-dimensional art, which will support the creation of a portfolio. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:
ART 102 Art History/Ancient—Byzantine
ART 103 Art History/Medieval—Renaissance
ART 104 Art/Baroque—Modern
ART 106 Drawing I
ART 107 Drawing II*
ART 110 Design I
ART 111 Design II*
ART 120 Public Art Mural Painting
ART 125 Ceramics I
ART 230 Watercolor I
ART 240 Painting I
ART 266 Sculpture I

Science and Math Advisor
Schedule an appointment with the Advising Center at 360.475.7530. semadvisor@olympic.edu

Astronomy

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 2)

Astronomers are sometimes called astrophysicists. They use the laws of physics and mathematics to learn about the nature of matter and energy throughout the universe, which includes the sun, moon, planets, stars, and galaxies. In addition, astronomers apply their knowledge to solve problems in navigation, space flight, and satellite communications. They also develop the instruments and techniques needed to observe and collect astronomical data. Many astronomers work in colleges and universities where they do research and teach astronomy. Some work in observatories, planetariums, and museums where they help to explain what is known about the universe to the public. Others are employed by government agencies, such as the U.S. Naval Observatory or the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). A few work for companies in the aerospace industry.

Students wanting to transfer should complete the Associate in Arts Degree or the Associate of Science (Track 2) requirements. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Science and Math Advisor
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Atmospheric Science/ Meteorology

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 2)

Meteorology is the science of the atmosphere. It offers the opportunity of investigating the forces that shape weather and climate and how human activities can affect climate through the introduction of pollutants into the atmosphere. An interest in the physical sciences and mathematics are the essential elements for a career in meteorology. Courses in earth sciences can also provide a valuable insight into the atmospheric environment. It is very important to become familiar with the use of computers and their application to problem-solving, writing and communication. In the simplest of terms, high school students should take every mathematics, physics and computer course that is available. They should also develop basic skills in written and spoken English to communicate scientific knowledge.

Students wanting to transfer should complete the Associate in Arts Degree or the Associate of Science (Track 2) requirements. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Biotechnology

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 1)

Biotechnology is a fascinating field which is at the cutting edge of science using living cells and materials produced by cells to create pharmaceutical, diagnostic, agricultural, environmental, and other products to benefit society. People working in this field make groundbreaking discoveries that fight disease, improve food production, clean up the environment and make manufacturing more efficient and profitable. Because of the various levels of occupations associated with biotechnology, students have several options. Associate degrees are available at a number of community colleges in Washington State that focus on the technical side of biotechnology. Bachelor’s and graduate degrees are also available that prepare students for careers in biotechnology associated with research and development and quality control.

Because of the different educational pathways open to students, students should complete the Associate in Arts or the Associate of Science (Track 1) requirements if they plan to transfer to a four-year institution or check with a faculty advisor concerning the professional/technical options available at other Washington State Community Colleges. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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As part of your degree, include these courses in your education plan:
BIOL& 211 Majors Cellular
BIOL& 212 Majors Animal*
BIOL& 213 Majors Plant*

At some institutions, to satisfy the prerequisite for upper division biology credits, a year of general chemistry must also be completed.

Biology

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 1)

Life scientists study living organisms, their structure, evolutionary development, behavior and life processes. Biologists are also interested in the relationship between animals, plants, microorganisms and their environments. The number and variety of plants and animals is vast, and life processes varied and complex; therefore, specialization is required early in upper division work.

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Transfer Planning

Business

Associate in Business
Direct Transfer Agreement/
Major Related Program (AB-DTA/MRP)

The mission of the Associate in Business (DTA/ MRP) program is to prepare students to transfer to four-year institutions for their final two years of undergraduate study in a business-related field. OC has an agreement with WWU for priority consideration for admission to their Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration, offered at OC’s Poulsbo Campus.

Early in the program, students should check with their intended transfer university/college advisor for specific admissions and business program requirements for course choices where options are listed for Humanities, Natural Science, Social Science, and electives.

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Chemistry

Associate in Arts (AA) or
Associate of Science (AS-Track 1)

Chemistry is the science that studies matter, its properties and composition, and the laws that govern the formation of matter from the basic elements. The breadth of the subject area is enormous and chemists can be found working on such diverse problems as the development of new plastics and fibers, drug preparation, pollution control, the isolation and identification of plant and insect hormones, medical research, nuclear chemistry, and the analysis of geological materials.

Students should complete the Associate in Arts or the Associate of Science (Track 1) Degree requirements if they plan to transfer to a four-year institution. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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As part of your degree, include these courses in your education plan:

- CHEM& 141/151 General Chemistry & Lab I*
- CHEM& 142/152 General Chemistry & Lab II*
- CHEM& 143/153 General Chemistry & Lab III*
- CHEM& 241/251 Organic Chem & Lab I*
- CHEM& 242/252 Organic Chem & Lab II*
- CHEM& 243/253 Organic Chem & Lab III*
- MATH& 151 Calculus I*
- MATH& 152 Calculus II*
- MATH& 163 Calculus 3*
- PHYS 254 Engineering Physics*
- PHYS 255 Engineering Physics*
- PHYS 256 Engineering Physics*

Communication Studies

Associate in Arts (AA)

The Communication Studies program at Olympic College is the study of various forms of human communication in culturally diverse contexts. The program focuses on the basic skills and critical thought needed to transfer to four-year programs. Studies in communication and culture help us focus on how people negotiate their identities and voices in relationships and society. Courses also expose students to cutting edge theory and technology in preparation for careers in the fast-growing communications fields. The program provides a firm foundation for students seeking a transfer degree to apply toward studies in communication or other social science and humanities fields. The department provides a foundation for understanding how rhetoric, persuasion, and messages shape the world around us. Ultimately, studies in communication help students succeed in an increasingly multicultural, mediated and ever-changing world.

There are six tracks available for study in the Communication Studies program at Olympic College. These tracks are designed to aid in the direct transfer of A.A. credit from Olympic College to three types of Communications programs in the Washington State four-year University system. Selected Communication Studies students also have the opportunity during their time at Olympic College to earn course and valuable professional experience through internships, both locally and nationally. These tracks are:

- Journalism
- Public Relations
- Rhetoric and Culture
- Popular Culture and Media Studies
- Relational and Organizational Communication
- Public Advocacy

Students wanting to transfer should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

- CMST& 101 Introduction to Comm
- CMST& 102 Intro to Mass Media
- CMST& 210 Interpersonal Communication*
- CMST& 220 Public Speaking
- CMST& 230 Small Group Communication*

Computer Information Systems

Information Technology (IT)

Associate in Applied Science-Transfer (AAS-T)

Information Systems Technologists work with businesses, governments, and other organizations that use computer hardware and software every day. They provide day-to-day support for users. They make sure all parts of a computer system work to meet the organization’s goals. They use their strong communications skills to help and work with a variety of people within an organization.

With one of OC’s five IT AAS-T degrees, students can transfer directly into the Olympic College Bachelor of Applied Science in Information Systems program. The IT-Security Degree transfers to Western Washington University’s Bachelor of Science in Computer and Information Systems Security offered at OC’s Poulsbo campus. The Evergreen State College also offers its “Upside Down” transfer option to students completing any of the five degrees. Students planning to transfer should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution before finalizing their education plan. The IT Security Degree is designed to transfer to WWU’s CISS degree offered at OC’s Poulsbo Campus.

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*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
Computer Science

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 2)

Students who obtain a four-year degree in computer science will obtain a foundation that permits them to adapt to new technologies and new ideas in software design, in the solution of computing problems, and in the use of computers to address emerging challenges.

Olympic College offers courses to prepare students to complete a Bachelor’s Degree in Computer Science at a four-year institution. Careful planning is essential. The courses required to major in computer science vary, depending on the institution and the program chosen. At some institutions, admission into the Computer Science major is highly selective. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

In preparation for transfer, most students will complete the AA degree. In rare cases or when considering the related fields of Computer or Electrical Engineering, students may choose to complete the AS-Track 2 degree.

Science and Math Advisor

Schedule an appointment with the Advising Center at 360.475.7530. semadvisor@olympic.edu

As part of your degree, include these courses in your education plan:

- CS & 141 Computer Science I Java*
- CS & 143 Computer Science II Java*
- CS 210 Introduction to Discrete Mathematics*
- MATH & 151 Calculus I*
- MATH & 152 Calculus II*
- MATH & 163 Calculus III*
- MATH 250 Linear Algebra*

Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

- ANTH & 206 Cultural Anthropology
- ASL & 121 Am Sign Language I
- BIOL & 160 General Biology w/Lab
- CMST & 210 Interpersonal Communication*
- CMST & 220 Public Speaking
- ECED & 105 Intro Early Child Ed
- EDUC & 115 Child Development
- EDUC & 202 Intro to Education
- EDUC & 204 Exceptional Child
- PSYC & 100 General Psychology
- PSYC & 200 Lifespan Psychology
- SOC 135 The Family

Recommended Early Childhood Education Electives (maximum 15 credits):

- ECED & 120 Practicum-Nurturing Rel
- ECED & 160 Curriculum Development
- ECD & 184 Mathematics for Early Childhood Ed*
- ECD & 173 Art and Creative Activities
- ECD & 174 Multicultural Education
- ECD & 176 Music and Movement for Young Children
- ECD & 177 Science for Young Children
- ECD & 180 Lang/Literacy Develop
- ECD & 188 Child Abuse and Neglect
- ECD & 190 Observation/Assessment
- EDUC & 130 Guiding Behavior

Early Childhood Education

Associate in Applied Science-Transfer (AAS-T)

See the Degrees and Certificates section of this catalog for course listings and other details.

Education

Associate in Arts (AA)

The courses listed below generally meet the pre-teaching requirements of the four-year colleges and universities in the State of Washington; however, it is imperative that the student become familiar with the specific requirements of the institution to which transfer is planned. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Courses to consider when completing an AA:

- EDUC 199 Practicum (minimum of 2 credits)
- EDUC & 202 Intro to Education

Courses to consider (restricted Electives)

- EDUC 120 Instructional Strategies
- EDUC 123 Classroom Management

Electronics

Associate in Technical Arts (ATA)

The ATA-Electronics is directly transferable to the Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (BSEE) programs in Washington State, including Central Washington University, Eastern Washington University and Old Dominion. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Engineering

Associate of Science (AS-Track 2) for transferring outside the State of Washington

The Engineering Transfer Program graduates students who are prepared to excel in any four-year Engineering Program in the country. The Associate of Science (Track 2) degree is intended for students with an interest in transferring to an engineering school outside the State of Washington; for transfer to an engineering school in the State of Washington students should use the appropriate Associate of Science (Track 2) Major Related Program Pre-Engineering Degree. Students pursuing an AS (Track 2) should work closely with an Olympic College engineering faculty advisor (see list below) to determine the specific courses that are required to transfer to the Engineering curriculum of their choice.

Engineering Advisor

Schedule an appointment with the Advising Center at 360.475.7530. semadvisor@olympic.edu

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*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.

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Environmental Studies

Associate in Arts (AA)

Environmental Studies is an interdisciplinary field which studies the earth's natural systems in the context of human social and economic constructs. It is a broad discipline that includes basic principles of ecology and environmental science, as well as associated subjects such as ethics, policy and planning, law, economics, philosophy, environmental justice, pollution control and natural resource management.

Students can choose to focus in one of two areas of environmental studies:

1. Environmental Science, which focuses on the use of the scientific method to investigate chemical, biological, and quantitative aspects of natural systems; or
2. Environmental Policy, which focuses on environmental policy development and the economic aspects of natural resource issues.

The two programs are specifically designed for students preparing to transfer to Western Washington University's (WWU's) Huxley College on the Peninsulas, where they may earn a BS in Environmental Science or a BA in Environmental Policy. The coursework may also be applied toward another major.

Recommended Courses for Environmental Policy (AA/DTA):

**Written Communication Skills**
ENGL& 101 English Composition I*
ENGL& 102 Composition II* or ENGL& 235 Technical Writing*

**Symbolic/Quantitative Skills**
MATH& 151 Precalculus II: Algebra*

**Natural Sciences**
BIOI 140 Environmental Issues
BIOI& 211 Majors Cellular
BIOI& 212 Majors Animal*
BIOI& 213 Majors Plant*
CHEM& 141/151 General Chemistry & Lab I*
CHEM& 142/152 General Chemistry & Lab II*
CHEM& 143/153 General Chemistry & Lab III*

One of the following three:
GEOL 150 Physical Geography with Lab or GEOL& 101 Intro to Physical Geology* or GEOL& 110 Environmental Geology

**Social Sciences**
POLS Any Political Science course
ECON& 201 Micro Economics*

Recommended Courses for Environmental Science (AA/DTA):

**Written Communication Skills**
ENGL& 101 English Composition I*
ENGL& 102 Composition II* or ENGL& 235 Technical Writing*

**Symbolic/Quantitative Skills**
MATH& 141 Precalculus I: Algebra*
MATH& 146 Intro to Statistics*

**Natural Sciences**
BIOI 140 Environmental Issues
BIOI& 160 General Biology w/Lab or BIOI& 211 Majors Cellular
CHEM& 121 Intro to Chemistry w/Lab or CHEM& 141/151 General Chemistry & Lab I*
CHEM& 142/152 General Chemistry & Lab II*
GEOL 150 Physical Geography with Lab

**Social Sciences**
POLS Any Political Science course
ECON& 201 Micro Economics*

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
**Fashion**

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Central Washington University (CWU) has agreed to accept most OC Fashion Marketing courses in transfer toward their Apparel, Textiles, and Merchandising Bachelor of Science Degree program. Students planning to transfer into this program should complete the Associate in Arts degree, and as many Fashion Marketing courses as possible. While only 15 credits of Fashion Marketing will apply to the AA degree, six of the courses will apply to CWU's bachelor's degree. Work with the program director at CWU to develop your educational plan.

**OC Advisor**

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**CWU Contact**

Andrea Eklund, Associate Professor & Program Director

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**Filmmaking**

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Olympic College’s Digital Filmmaking program offers the serious student a unique blend of film theory and practical hands-on training. Our students learn the craft and techniques of narrative storytelling while acquiring the technical skills and artistic sensibilities necessary to compete in the new emerging frontier of digital filmmaking. Our curriculum integrates concentrated classroom study of all the major filmmaking disciplines with intensive hands-on experience in student film projects, because our philosophy stipulates that the fruits of theory realize full maturity in the practical application of the art.

While the principle focus of our program is the narrative fiction film, the artistic and technical skills acquired by our students are transferable to television, commercials, documentaries, music videos, and the blossoming new arena of episodic web content. Our curriculum imparts the critical thinking and leadership skills necessary to excel in the new emerging frontier of digital filmmaking. This program is dedicated to serving the authentic needs of the modern dramatic artists of the 21st century.

Our educational philosophy clearly declares that the contemporary dramatic artist is a digital artist. This is of vital importance because knowledge and training in digital movie making means higher employment for our students upon graduation.

Students wanting to transfer to another college to complete a bachelor’s degree may want to complete the Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution where they plan to transfer. Olympic College has an agreement with The Evergreen State College to accept the AAS-T Degree. Students wanting to transfer to other colleges should complete the Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

**Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:**

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**Science and Math Advisor**

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**Geography**

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Geography is the study of place and space. Geographers ask where things are located on the surface of the earth, why they are located where they are, how places differ from one another, and how people interact with the environment. There are two main branches of geography: human geography and physical geography. Human geography is concerned with the spatial aspects of human existence, including population, culture and economic activities. Physical geographers study patterns of climates, land forms, vegetation, soils, and water. Geographers also study the linkages between humans and natural systems.

Students preparing for a career in Geography should plan to transfer to a four-year college. Students planning to major in physical geography should prepare themselves in a broad range of Natural Sciences. Students preparing to major in human geography should prepare themselves in a broad range of Social Science and Humanities. All students should consider courses in Geographic Information Systems.

**Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 1)**

Geologists study the structure, composition, and history of the Earth. Their concerns include locating water, fuels, and minerals resources; determining appropriate land usage; and diagnosing natural hazards such as floods, volcanoes, and earthquakes.

Students preparing for a professional career in Geology should plan to transfer to a four-year college, and then to attend graduate school for a Master’s Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

**As part of your degree, include these courses in your education plan:**

| CHEM& 141/151 | General Chemistry & Lab I* |
| CHEM& 142/152 | General Chemistry & Lab II* |
| CHEM& 143/153 | General Chemistry & Lab III* |
| GEOL& 101 | Intro Physical Geology |
| GEOL& 103 | Historical Geology |
| GEOL& 110 | Environmental Geology |
| MATH& 151 | Calculus I |
| MATH& 152 | Calculus II |
| MATH& 163 | Calculus III |
| PHYS 254 | Engineering Physics*
| PHYS 255 | Engineering Physics*
| PHYS 256 | Engineering Physics* |

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*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
Transfer Planning

History

Associate in Arts (AA)
History is the study of human development and change, current affairs with the perspective of past events, and the rich cultural, political, and institutional legacy of the past that provides the framework for a better understanding of our world.

Students who intend to major in history at a four-year institution should follow the distribution for an Associate in Arts Degree, preparing themselves to transfer by completing a broad range of Social Sciences and Humanities courses. Good writing skills are essential and should be developed. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:
HIST & 116  Western Civilization I
HIST & 117  Western Civilization II
HIST & 118  Western Civilization III
HIST & 136  US History 1*
HIST & 137  US History 2*

Human Services

Associate in Arts (AA)
The field of Human Services is broadly defined, uniquely approaching the objective of meeting human needs through an interdisciplinary knowledge base, focusing on prevention as well as remediation of problems, and maintaining a commitment to improving the overall quality of life of service populations. The Human Services profession is one which promotes improved service delivery systems by addressing not only the quality of direct services, but also by seeking to improve accessibility, accountability, and coordination among professionals and agencies in service delivery.

The Associate in Arts Degree with emphasis in Human Services is designed for students transferring to four-year colleges and universities. The curricula focus is on developing a strong foundation of theory and skills.

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Recommended Courses
- CMST & 220  Public Speaking
- CMST & 253  Intercultural Communication*
- HSSA & 101  Intro to Addictive Drugs*
- HS & 107  Intro to Human Services*
- PSYC & 100  General Psychology
- PSYC & 200  Lifespan Psychology
- PSYC & 220  Abnormal Psychology
- SOC & 101  Intro to Sociology

Required Prerequisite Courses, Old Dominion University:
MATH & 146  Intro to Statistics*
PSYC & 100  General Psychology
SOC & 101  Intro to Sociology

Required Prerequisite Courses, Western Washington University:
Note: Western Washington requires 105 credits, with the extra 15 credits completely transferable, to apply to the program. Students are advised to take the following courses:

Social Sciences
HS & 107  Intro to Human Services
PSYC & 100  General Psychology
SOC & 101  Intro to Sociology

Electives chosen from:
- ANTH & 206  Cultural Anthropology
- HSSA & 101  Intro to Addictive Drugs*
- PSYC & 200  Lifespan Psychology
- PSYC & 220  Abnormal Psychology
- SOC 125  Sociology of Aging
- SOC 135  The Family
- SOC 190  US Race & Ethnicity
- SOC 230  Sexuality and Gender

Choose 30 credits from the list above.

For information on the University of Washington's Bachelor's of Social Work program, see Social Work on page 39.

Leadership

See Organizational Leadership

Marine Science/Oceanography

Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate of Science (AS-Track 1)
Oceanography is an interdisciplinary field, and therefore requires training in many of the basic sciences.

Students wanting to transfer should complete the Associate in Arts or the Associate of Science (Track 1) Degree requirements if they plan to transfer to a four-year institution. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Science and Math Advisor
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Mathematics

Associate in Arts (AA)
In response to diverse student needs, the Mathematics Department provides a broad curriculum, varied instructional approaches, and supportive resources to help students learn mathematics. We foster success in learning and the value of achievement in mathematics, as well as the relevance, usefulness, appreciation and enjoyment of mathematics.

Students wanting to transfer should complete the Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Science and Math Advisor
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As part of your degree, include these courses in your education plan:
- CS & 141  Computer Science I Java*
- MATH & 146  Intro to Statistics*
- MATH & 151  Calculus I*
- MATH & 152  Calculus II*
- MATH & 163  Calculus III*
- MATH 210  Introduction to Discrete Mathematics*
- MATH 221  Differential Equations I*
- MATH 222  Differential Equations II*
- MATH 250  Linear Algebra*
- MATH & 264  Calculus IV*

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
Music

Associate in Arts (AA)
The core of the Music curriculum for students who want to transfer and major in Music is found in the two-year musicianship theory, music history, and music literature classes. All students are encouraged to gain first-hand knowledge of music literature and to enjoy the experience of being part of a performing group. Individual instruction in music is also an important part of the Music curriculum.

Students wanting to transfer should complete the Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

- MUSC & 141 Music Theory I
- MUSC & 142 Music Theory II
- MUSC & 143 Music Theory III
- MUSC & 241 Music Theory IV
- MUSC & 242 Music Theory V
- MUSC & 243 Music Theory VI

Music Ensembles

Individual Instruction

( MUSC133/134/135 Beginning Class Piano is required only of those who do not meet basic piano proficiency upon entrance.)

Organizational Leadership & Resource Management

Organizational Leadership and Resource Management addresses leadership, supervision, and management competencies which allow those in leadership positions to effectively influence strategic planning, organizational performance, and individual performance and behavior. Individuals holding this degree understand how to enter any organization and immediately bring value by impacting people processes and maximizing organizational operations.

Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

Leadership & Occupational Studies

Associate in Applied Science—Transfer (AAS-T)

See the Degrees and Certificates section of this catalog for course listings and other details.

Physical Education

Associate in Arts (AA)

Students planning to major in Physical Education should complete the Associate in Arts Degree and include the following courses in their education plan.

Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

Option 1

Designed for those students who must complete anatomy/physiology during the sophomore year. This is determined by the school to which one plans to transfer.

- BIOL & 241 Human A & P 1*
- BIOL & 242 Human A & P 2*
- EDUC & 202 Intro to Education
- MUSC & 105 Music Appreciation
- PE-ED & 104 Health Science
- PE-ED & 105 College First Aid and Community CPR

Choose one of the following two courses:

- PSYC & 100 General Psychology
- PSYC & 102 Psychology of Adjustment

Choose one of the following two courses:

- SOC & 101 Intro to Sociology
- SOC & 201 Social Problems

Physical Education

2-3 credits per quarter from PEFSP or PE-RD

Option 2

Designed for those students who plan to transfer to an institution where they are allowed to complete anatomy/physiology at the upper division level.

- CMST & 220 Public Speaking
- EDUC & 202 Intro to Education
- MUSC & 105 Music Appreciation
- PE-ED & 104 Health Science
- PE-ED & 105 College First Aid and Community CPR

Choose one of the following two courses:

- PSYC & 100 General Psychology
- PSYC & 102 Psychology of Adjustment

Choose one of the following two courses:

- SOC & 101 Intro to Sociology
- SOC & 201 Social Problems

Physical Education

2-3 credits per quarter from PEFSP or PE-RD

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.
Transfer Planning

**Physics**

*Associate of Science (AS-Track 2)*

Physicists observe and analyze various forms of energy, the structure of matter and the relationship between matter and energy. Their studies have continued to broaden our understanding of the physical world and have enabled us to make increasing use of natural resources. Physicists have contributed to scientific progress in recent years in areas such as nuclear energy, electronics, communications, and aerospace.

Students wanting to transfer to a baccalaureate institution should complete the Associate of Science (Track 2) requirements and should plan on taking one year of general chemistry, one year of engineering physics, one year of calculus and three quarters of 200 level mathematics. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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**Psychology**

*Associate in Arts (AA)*

Students who intend to major in Psychology at a four-year institution should follow the distribution requirements for an Associate in Arts Degree.

Basic writing and mathematics skills are essential to most four-year programs. Since Psychology entails a wide range of philosophies and specialties, the specific courses taken within the AA program should be selected with the help of an advisor. While the specific courses recommended depend on the individual goal of the student, the courses listed below will serve as a useful guideline. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

- **PSYC& 100** General Psychology
- **PSYC& 200** Lifespan Psychology
- **PSYC& 220** Abnormal Psychology

**Social Work**

*Associate in Arts (AA)*

Social Work is an interdisciplinary field that prepares graduates for work on behalf of individuals, groups and institutions in many cultures. The aim is to empower and improve the life circumstances of everyone touched by services ranging from individual psychotherapy all the way to international healthcare delivery systems planning. People of all ages and social circumstances receive the benefits of social work intervention.

Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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Cohen, Mirelle | 360.475.7553 | 4-344
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Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:

- **MATH& 146** Intro to Statistics*
- **PSYC& 100** General Psychology
- **SOC& 101** Intro to Sociology

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.*
**Sociology**

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

Students who wish to become Sociology majors at a four-year institution should follow the distribution requirements for an Associate in Arts Degree. They should emphasize English to develop good writing skills. Mathematics skills are necessary to prepare the student for higher-level statistics courses for BA, MA, or Ph.D. Degrees. Competence in one world language is also required in almost all graduate programs. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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**Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:**

- **BIOL& 175** Human Biology w/Lab
- **ECON& 201** Micro Economics*
- **ECON& 202** Macro Economics*
- **MATH& 146** Intro to Statistics*
- **PSYC& 100** General Psychology
- **SOC& 101** Intro to Sociology

**Technical Design**

Generally, Technical Design is a graphic communications program. Those students considering enrollment in advanced programs requiring graphic communication skills such as architecture, engineering, or design, can consider this program as a way to develop core skills, graphic communication skills, and portfolios necessary to be accepted into and be successful and competitive in university bachelor’s and master’s programs. Students should refer to the Certificates of Recognition for their particular area of interest as a guide to which classes are recommended for specific transfer programs. They should also meet with a Technical Design advisor to discuss their strengths and weaknesses and to tailor a program to their particular needs and goals.

The Associate in Technical Design Degree is not transferrable to most bachelor programs. Students who intend to major in Technical Design at a four-year institution should follow the distribution requirements for an Associate in Arts Degree. Students considering transferring to other colleges or universities should verify their transfer requirements before finalizing their education plan.

**World Languages**

**Associate in Arts (AA)**

The World Language discipline is designed to satisfy the requirements for:

- Students transferring to a four-year institution, and
- Students planning to acquire a basic practical knowledge of American Sign Language, French, German, Japanese, Korean, or Spanish.

The courses center around the acquisition of a basic vocabulary to express familiar and daily situations, a functional use of grammatical patterns, and a knowledge of cultural aspects of the countries whose language is being taught.

The objective of the curriculum is to develop the four basic skills of language training: Listening comprehension, speaking, reading, and writing, through audio-visual and audio-lingual methods.

Students wanting to transfer to a baccalaureate institution should complete the Associate in Arts Degree. Students should work closely with an advisor at the baccalaureate institution they plan to transfer to before finalizing their education plan.

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**Courses to consider when completing distribution requirements for an AA:**

- **Languages**
  - Three consecutive quarters of any world language
  - **ANTH& 207** Linguistic Anthropology
  - **HIST& 117** Western Civilization II
  - **MUSC 101** Fundamentals of Music

**Other Transfer Opportunities**

**Transferring with a Professional-Technical Degree**

In addition to the subjects listed above, there are many other possible educational directions you may pursue after achieving your educational goals at Olympic college. For example, all Associate in Applied Science – Transfer (AAS-T) degrees are designed to transfer to at least one specific institution. Also, some colleges will accept professional-technical degrees in transfer, although usually with some limitations such as a higher GPA or minimum number of fully transferable credits.

Central Washington University’s Bachelor of Applied Science, Information Technology and Administrative Management (BAS-ITAM) degree is open to students with any applied or technical degree and at least 40 credits in an applied area. Concentrations include Administrative Management, Information Technology, and Cyber Security.

Central’s Apparel, Textiles, and Merchandising Bachelor of Science Degree program accepts six Fashion Marketing courses in transfer toward this degree. See Fashion Marketing program information for qualifying courses.

The Evergreen State College offers the “upside down transfer option” for Professional-Technical Degrees. Students must meet additional requirements. Check with the Evergreen State College for more information.

Be sure to check with an advisor at your future college before finalizing your educational plan to make sure you do not end up retaking courses. If you plan to continue your education after completing a professional-technical degree (Associate in Technical Arts or Associate in Applied Science), it is usually better to select courses which are generally accepted in transfer whenever possible. For example, choose ENGL& 101, English Composition I, rather than BSTEC 150, Business English; and MATH&107, Math in Society, rather than BMGMT 140, Business and Personal Math. See the Associate in Arts degree for more information on which courses are fully transferable. If a given degree is not designed for transfer, the receiving college will evaluate each course transferred. Even though the DTA generally meets lower division GUR, it is possible that not all 90 credits will be accepted due to grade, subject, or other reasons.

*See course description for prerequisite. Unless otherwise specified, a minimum of 2.0 is required in the prerequisite.*

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