

North Carolina Community College Advisor
Resource Guide

SUPPORTING WCU TRANSFER STUDENTS



Thank you for being our Partner!

This guide is meant to serve as a resource for our NCCC partners throughout the great state of North Carolina

You or any of your students can contact us at transferadvising@wcu.edu with any questions!

WCU IS GRATEFUL FOR YOU





Western Carolina
University

Cullowhee, NC

[Admissions Website](#)

[UNC System Admission Website](#)

NCCC Transfer Admissions Pathways to WCU:

**ONE-SEMESTER OF
PREVIOUS COLLEGE
LEVEL WORK**

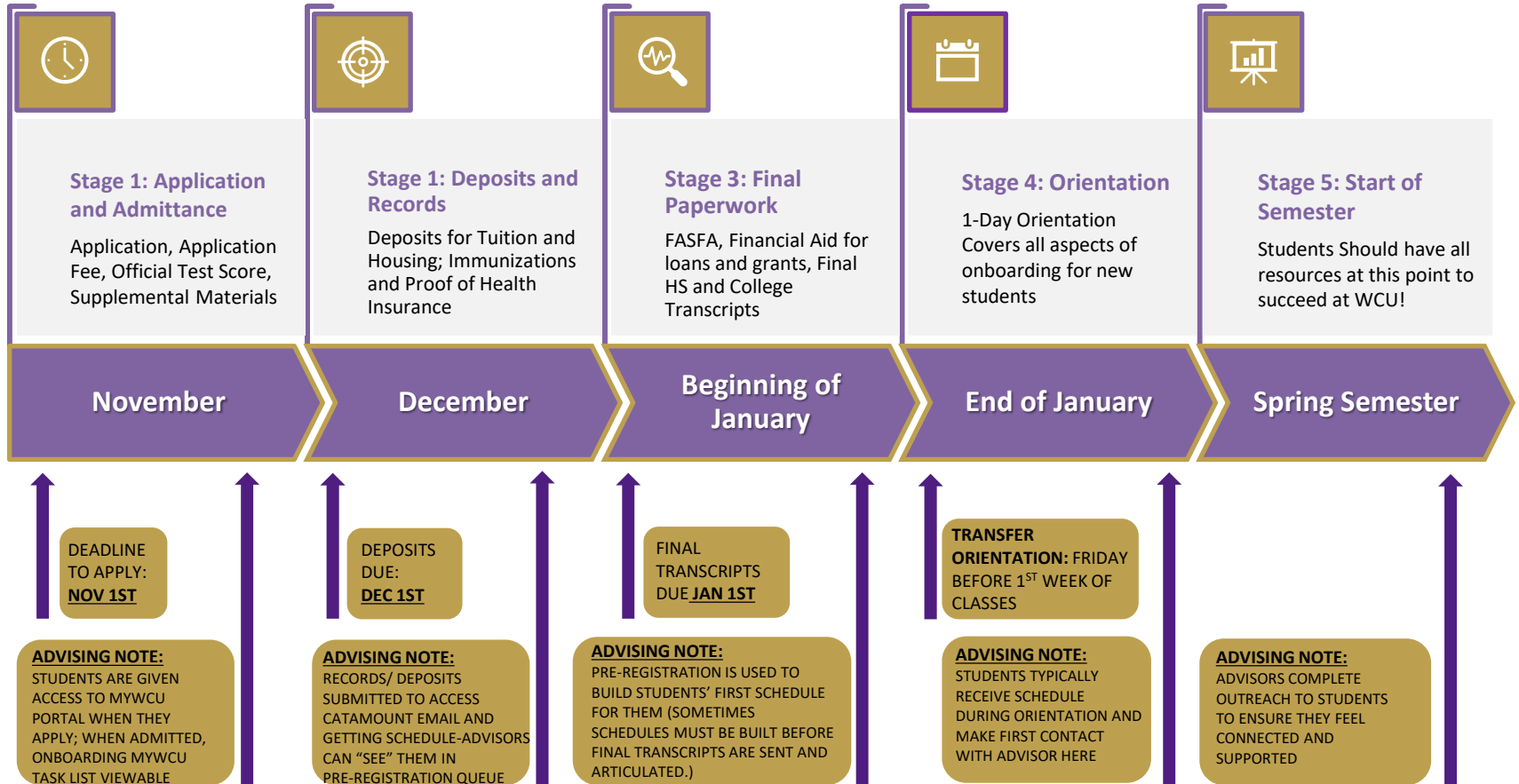
**TWO SEMESTERS OF
PREVIOUS COLLEGE
LEVEL WORK**

**THREE - FOUR
SEMESTERS OF
PREVIOUS COLLEGE
LEVEL WORK**

**PRIOR MILITARY
EXPERIENCE**

*Service members who have served at least 2 continuous years may transfer 7 general elective credits and have their C4 Wellness Liberal Studies requirement waived once the JST and DD-214 have been reviewed.

Onboarding Process: Example of Spring



Want More on Applying and Onboarding?

- [APPLYING AS A TRANSFER](#)
- [TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS](#)
- [APPLICATIONS AND DEADLINES](#)
- [CREDITS EARNED ELSEWHERE](#)
- [Course Equivalency LOOK UP TOOL](#)
- [ORIENTATION AND PRE-REGISTRATION](#)
- [Transfer FAQs](#)



Resources

for Students to Use Before Applying to WCU



- [CAA Pathway Plans](#)

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES	▼
COLLEGE OF BUSINESS	▼
COLLEGE OF EDUCATION AND ALLIED PROFESSIONS	▼
COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY	▼
COLLEGE OF FINE AND PERFORMING ARTS	▼
COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SCIENCES	▼

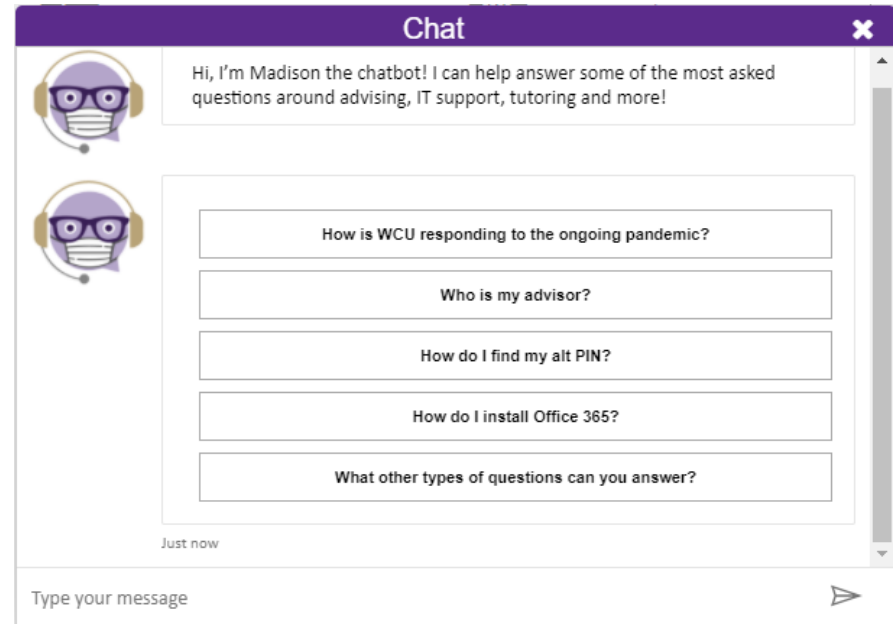
- [Liberal Studies at WCU with NCCC Course Equivalencies](#)

(WAIVED for students bringing in FULL Bachelors, Masters, AA, AE, or AS degree)

- The Undergraduate Admission Transfer Credit [Look Up Tool](#)
- WCU Registrar's Office [Transfer Students FAQ's Page](#)
- Advisors are here to help!
 - [Advising Center](#)
 - [School of Health Sciences](#)
 - [Suite 201 \(Education Majors\)](#)
 - [Brinson Honors College](#)

Resources for WCU Transfer Students

- Relevant Support Offices for new Transfer Students:
 - [Advising Center](#)
 - [Appreciative Advising Model \(NACADA\)](#)
 - [Dual Advising Model](#)
 - [Mentoring and Persistence to Success](#)
 - [Office of Accessibility Resources](#)
 - [Office of the Registrar](#)
- [WCU Academic Calendar](#)
- 8-semester plans-
 - Check out [individual program webpages](#)
 - [Tau Sigma National Honors Society](#)
- MyWCU Portal
 - Degree Audit (Full Degree Requirements)
 - Transfer Credits Earned Elsewhere
 - [AskMadison Chatbot](#)



Students who Don't follow their CAA Pathway



Many times, students come to WCU with a full AA, AS, AE, or AAS degree which did not follow the CAA pathway plan exactly.

- **BEFORE applying to WCU, it is recommended that students should:**
 - Compare their present CC degree with the 8-semester plan of their future program.
 - Cross off/highlight/notate all classes they believe they will be bringing in
 - Look up all remaining classes they expect to receive credit for in the Look up Tool
 - If there are classes on the 8-semester plan they will not be bringing in, it is always a good idea to think ahead and take additional credits/summer credits to remain on track for their future degree (these can also be found in the Look Up Tool)
- **AFTER admission to WCU, students will have access to:**
 - Degree Audit and can see all Transfer Credits Earned Elsewhere through the MyWCU Portal
 - The professional advisor, Faculty advisor (assigned after semester begins), and Department Head for assistance.



THANK
YOU

Additional questions? Please Contact:

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Advising Center Transfer Student Site