



University of Wisconsin – Whitewater

Transfer Planning Guide for Northwood Technical College

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Transfer Options

- **Completed Associate of Art or Associate of Science degree:** Students who have completed an Associate of Art or Associate of Science degree from Northwood Technical College will meet the UW-Whitewater Common General Education Requirements (CGER).
- Associate of Applied Science **does not waive** CGER at UW-Whitewater

Application

- Complete the application online: <https://apply.wisconsin.edu>
- Submit the following materials:
 - An official copy of your final high school transcript/GED/HSED
 - Official transcripts from any colleges or universities ever attended

Priority Deadlines:

- Fall: July 1st
- Spring: December 1st

Students are encouraged to apply at least one semester prior to intended start term at UW-Whitewater.

Admission Requirements

- 2.00/4.00 GPA on a minimum of twelve transferable credits, using UWW Repeat Policy.
- Students who do not have twelve transferable credits will be reviewed based on new freshman criteria.
- The maximum number of semester hours applied to degree from a community college is 72.
- Business, Education and [other majors at UWW may have higher GPA requirements](#) for acceptance into the major.

Calculation of Admission GPA

Grades from all transferable coursework will be used. Developmental transferrable coursework in English and Math is included. A repeated course grade will be used but only if the original grade is C- or lower. Please see the [UWW Repeat Policy](#) for more information regarding repeated courses.

World Language Requirement

World language is only required for students pursuing a Bachelor of Arts within the College of Letters and Sciences. Students that have completed at least 1 year of the same world language from Northwood Technical College have met this requirement. Only college level world language is considered to fulfill this requirement.

Scholarships

Student's application for admission also serves as the scholarship application. Students must be admitted by April 1st to be considered for scholarships for the next fall semester start. Scholarship consideration is based on transfer GPA and credit amounts.

Special Notes

- Some UW-Whitewater colleges have a diversity course requirement as part of their degree requirements. See Guide below for details. Northwood Technical College courses that satisfy the U.S. Racial/Ethnic Diversity college requirement are identified as DV.
- Programs that are offered [100% online](#)
- **CLEP/AP Credit:** Subject exam scores and credit vary by score. Official test results must be sent directly to UWW for credit to be awarded for CLEP or AP.

General Education Information

Students transferring **with** the Associate of Arts or Associate of Sciences Degree:

- CGER are satisfied with completion of an Associate of Arts or Associate of Sciences degree from Northwood Technical College.

Students transferring **without** the Associate of Arts or Associate of Sciences Degree:

- **Applied Associate degrees do not waive students from general education requirements.**
- Students who do not earn the Associate of Arts or Associate of Sciences degree before transferring will have their coursework evaluated on a course-by-course basis and may need to complete courses at UW-Whitewater if missing categories below
- Some majors require courses that serve as both degree requirements and satisfy CGER, especially in Business and Education majors. Please reach out to UW-Whitewater Transfer Admissions for more information

CORE classes:

- UW-Whitewater CGER requires students to take four of five multi-disciplinary courses: CORE 110; CORE 130; CORE 120 or 140; and CORE 390. Students transferring 15+ credits from Northwood may satisfy some of the CORE requirements with substitute courses as follows:
 - CORE 130 can be satisfied with an SBS-S or SBS-E course, as appropriate.
 - CORE 110 can be satisfied with an HA-A course, as appropriate.

UW Whitewater Common General Education Requirements can be found [here](#).

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MQR: Mathematics & Quantitative Reasoning

Select one course for at least 3 credits

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
MATH 139 Quantitative Reasoning	4	804-118 Intermediate Algebra with Applications
MATH 140 Mathematical Ideas	3	804-107 College Mathematics
MATH 142 College Algebra	4	804-224 College Algebra with Applications
STAT 101 Elementary Statistics	3	804-189 Introductory Statistics

MATH 140 meets the university math proficiency requirement, but aside from a limited number of Bachelor of Arts programs, students may also need Math 139 or Math 142 to complete their program

CL: Communication & Literacy

Complete each course, minimum 9 credits total.

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
ENGLISH 102 Introduction to College Writing, Reading, and Research	3	Cannot be completed at Northwood. Waived with a conferred AA or AS
COMM 110 Introduction to Public Speaking	3	801-198 Speech
CORE 390 World of Ideas	3	Cannot be completed at Northwood. Waived with a conferred AA or AS

SBS: Social & Behavior Sciences

Select two courses for minimum 6 credits. If transferring less than 15 credits, students would need to take CORE 130 at UW-Whitewater

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
ECON 201 Principles of Microeconomics (SBS-S)	3	809-143 Microeconomics
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EDFOUND 230 Introduction to Human Development (SBS-S)	3	809-188 Developmental Psychology
POLISCI 141 American Government and Politics (SBS-S)	3	809-122 Introduction to American Government
PSYCH 211 Introductory Psychology (SBS-S)	3	809-198 Introduction to Psychology
SOCIOLGY 240 Principles of Sociology (SBS-S)	3	809-196 Introduction to Sociology
SOCWORK 102 Introduction to Social Welfare (SBS-S)	3	520-101 Introduction to Human Services

Courses that do not have direct equivalent but come with the Social & Behavior Sciences designation:

- 801-196 Oral/Interpersonal Communication (SBS-S)
- 809-159 Abnormal Psychology (SBS-S)
- 809-195 Economics (SBS-S)
- 809-172 Introduction to Diversity Studies (SBS-S)

HA: Humanities & Arts

Students would need to take CORE 110 at UW-Whitewater.

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
PHILSPHY 261 Introduction to Ethics (HA-H)	3	809-166 Introduction to Ethics: Theory and Application

Natural Science & Wellness

Minimum 8 credits.

NSWL: Natural Science & Wellness – Laboratory. Select 1 Course for minimum 4 credits

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
BIOLOGY 120 Biological Foundations	4	806-114 General Biology
CHEM 100 Everyday Chemistry	4	806-134 General Chemistry

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Courses that do not have direct equivalent but come with the Natural Science & Wellness – Laboratory designation:

- 806-197 Microbiology
- 806-198 Human Biology
- 806-105 Principles of Animal Biology
- 806-177 General Anatomy and Physiology
- 806-179 Advanced Anatomy and Physiology

NSW-N: Natural Science & Wellness - Natural Sciences and **NSW-Q: Natural Sciences and Wellness - Quantitative Reasoning**. 1 Course, minimum 3 credits designated NSW-N, NSWL, or NSW-Q. Must be from a different subject area than the NSWL course above

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
MATH 151 Trigonometry (NSW-Q)	3	804-196 Trigonometry with Applications

Courses that do not have direct equivalent but can count for the Natural Science & Wellness - Natural Sciences or Natural Sciences and Wellness - Quantitative Reasoning part of the category:

- 806-112 Principles of Sustainability (NSW-N)

PEGNRL 192 Personal Health and Fitness for Life. Minimum 1 credit.

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PEGNRL 192 Personal Health and Fitness for Life	1	Cannot be completed at Northwood. Waived with a conferred AA or AS

CP: Civics & Perspectives

Select one course for minimum 3 credits.

UW-Whitewater	Cr	Northwood Technical College
CORE 120 Historical Perspectives	3	Cannot be completed at Northwood. Waived with a conferred AA or AS
CORE 140 Global Perspectives	3	Cannot be completed at Northwood. Waived with a conferred AA or AS

Every effort is made to maintain accurate information; however, this information is subject to change as programs are updated. Students should contact UW-Whitewater to keep informed of changes, as final responsibility for verifying information rests with the student. UW-Whitewater Transfer Admissions can be reached at transferadmit@uww.edu or 262 472 1440.