

# Ohio University Geography Bachelor of Arts

Effective beginning Academic Year 2021-22 (Last revised March 21, 2022)

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science in Geography degree at Ohio University for students who completed an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Geography Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENG 1510	3
Introductory Statistics (TMM010) recommended	MATH 1500	4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Human Geography or Cultural Geography (OSS007) or World Regional Geography (OSS008) or any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Science course	GEOG 1200, GEOG 1310, or Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course (outside of geography if OSS007 or OSS008 was taken for Course 1)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Physical Science course with or without lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Science course with or without lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENG 2800	3
Up to 9 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses¹	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	9
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Physical Geography (OSS006)	GEOG1100	3
Human Geography or Cultural Geography (OSS007)	GEOG1200	3
World Regional Geography (OSS008)	GEOG1310	3
Map Communication and Analysis (OSS026)	GEOG2680	4
Introduction to Geographic Information Systems (OSS051)	GEOG 4730	3-4
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
World Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives <sup>1</sup>	Varies*	0-9
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:2		60-65

### **Advising Notes:**

- (\*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded.
- <sup>1</sup> OHIO recommends students complete an Ohio Transfer 36 approved TMOC Oral Communication course, which would be equivalent to COMS 1030. Additional general education coursework will be required if not completed as part of the associate degree program.
- <sup>2</sup> Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36, as included within the above pathway, prior to enrollment in a degree-seeking program at Ohio University will receive transfer credit equivalent to fulfilling Ohio University's BRICKS general education requirements in Foundations (excluding the Advanced Writing component, which requires completion of TME 002 Second Writing), Pillars, and Arches.



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REMAINING COURSEWO	PRK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
Major Requirements:	Introduction to Statistics in Geography	GEOG 2710	3
Major Requirements:	Foundations for Capstone Research in Geography	GEOG 4799	1
Major Requirements:	Capstone Experience in Geography	GEOG 4800	3
Major Requirements:	One Geography Regional Course	GEOG 3XXX or 4XXX	3
Major Requirements:	One Geography Technique/Method Course	GEOG 3XXX or 4XXX	3-4
Major Requirements:	Geography Electives (Complete a minimum of 15 hours in Geography, including at least 12 hours at the 3000/4000 levels)	GEOG 3XXX or 4XXX	15
General Education:	Intermediate Foreign Language Sequence (up to 2120 level) <sup>1</sup>	Varies	6-8
College Requirements:	A&S Humanities Courses	Varies	3-9
College Requirements:	A&S Social Sciences Courses	Varies	0-6
College Requirements:	A&S Natural Sciences Course	Varies	0-3
Electives:	Additional A&S Distribution Courses or General Electives as needed	Varies	12-26
REMAINING COURSEWO	PRK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:1		60-68

### **Advising Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> Assumes the student has completed the first two semesters of the foreign language sequence prior to entering Ohio University.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>To qualify for a bachelor's degree, a student must complete all Ohio University graduation requirements: BRICKS general education, college, major, and residency. Students must complete a minimum of 60 semester hours of A&S courses at the 2000-level or above, and must complete at least 33 hours of courses from the list of approved A&S distribution area courses including 9 semester hours each of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences. Courses transferred in as 2000-level or higher A&S courses will count toward the 60 semester hours. Ohio University requires a minimum of 120 credit hours to earn a bachelor's degree. The total number of hours to complete the bachelor's degree may vary depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	120

### **SPECIAL NOTES**

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## SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

## THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
A&S Elective	3	
A&S Humanities Course (2XXX)	3	
GEOG 2710 Introduction to Statistics in Geography	3	
Foreign Language 2110	3-4	
A&S Natural Sciences Course (2XXX)	3	
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours		

SEMESTER 6		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
GEOG 3XXX Geography Regional Course	3	
GEOG 3XXX or 4XXX Geography Techniques/ Method Elective	3-4	
GEOG Elective(3XXX or 4XXX)	3-4	
A&S Social Sciences Course (2XXX)	3	
Foreign Language 2120	3-4	
Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	15-18	

### **FOURTH YEAR**

SEMESTER 7		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
GEOG 4799 Foundations for Capstone Research in Geography	1	
GEOG Elective (3XXX or 4XXX)	3-4	
GEOG Elective (3XXX or 4XXX)	3-4	
A&S Social Sciences Course (2XXX)	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective (2XXX)	3	
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	13-15	

SEMESTER 8		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
GEOG Elective (3XXX or 4XXX)	3-4	
GEOG Elective (3XXX or 4XXX)	3-4	
GEOG 4800 Capstone Experience in Geography	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective (2XXX)	3	
Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	12-14	