

Zane State College – Ohio University Plan

Ohio University Associate of Technical Study (AT5520)

Zane State College Water Technician I Certificate (WT1C) to OHIO ATS Professional Pathway (Type A)

If you wish to pursue a two-year program of study in a field other than those available through one of the other Ohio University associate degrees, you may design your own program of study to meet particular goals through the Associate of Technical Study (A.T.S.) Type A degree program. This program can be used to design an individualized associate degree for a specialized career objective and may recognize work previously completed in certificates. The A.T.S. is available to students registered through the Chillicothe, Lancaster, and Southern campuses.

The A.T.S. (Type A) coursework is collaboratively selected by the student and ATS advisor and may involve faculty from selected content areas as subject matter experts. A planned course of study that is approved by the faculty consists of a coherent combination of 30 credits from at least two content areas and must be aligned to meet a clearly identifiable career objective which would not be adequately addressed by an existing program. Use of transfer credit would depend on appropriateness to the career objective and as approved by the Technical Study Review Committee.

Students completing the A.T.S. may choose to continue their education with credits being selected so as to be applicable to the Bachelor of Technical and Applied Studies (B.T.A.S.) that builds their credentials to support leadership roles related to their A.T.S. field of study.

(Students using this program design generally have not earned [Ohio Career-Technical Credit Transfer \(CT\)](#)² credit that would be used in an A.T.S. (Type B) program. See Catalog for A.T.S. Type B program requirements and work with a program advisor on details.)

Admission Requirements

- No additional requirements beyond University admission requirement for freshman or transfer admission.
- Transfer applicants must have a cumulative grade-point average of a 2.0 or higher from all institutions previously attended to be considered for admission.
- Official transcripts and certificates of completion must be sent directly to Ohio University from all colleges, universities, and career centers you have attended.

Application Information

Apply online ohio.edu/admissions/apply

Students can earn a Technical Study major through the Chillicothe, Lancaster, or Southern campuses. The Organizational Studies major is available at one of OHIO's regional campuses or OHIO Online.

Submit all college-level transcripts to:

Undergraduate Admissions
Ohio University
Chubb Hall 120
1 Ohio University Drive
Athens, OH 45701

Ohio University Contact Information

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740.593.4100

E-mail general questions to

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For more information visit www.ohio.edu/Zane State College



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Zane State College Water Technician I Certificate (WT1C) Courses

Pre-Admission Zane State College	Semester Hours	OHIO Course Number
ENVS 1710 Wastewater Treatment	3.0	EVT 1400
ENVS 2850 OSHA 30-Hour General Industry Safety & Health	2.0	ENGT 2870
ENVS 2710 Drinking Water Treatment	3.0	CE 2XXL
ENVS 1200 DOT	1.0	
Total	9.0	

Ohio University ATS Requirements

To qualify for the Associate of Technical Studies degree, a student must complete all Ohio University graduation requirements including freshmen-level written composition, quantitative reasoning skills, general education, and major requirements. Students must complete an approved area of concentration, consisting of a minimum of 30 semester hours and complete a minimum of 60 total semester hours for graduation (elective hours may be required) with an area of concentration and overall GPA of 2.0 or higher. Work with an Academic Advisor for appropriate course selection

OHIO Course Name	OHIO Semester Hours
BRICKS: Foundations: ENG 1510 English Writing and Rhetoric	3.0
BRICKS: Foundations: Advanced Writing option or BRICKS: Bridges: COMS 1030 Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3.0
BRICKS: Foundations: Quantitative Reasoning	3.0-4.0
BRICKS Pillars: Humanities: Texts and Contexts	3.0
BRICKS: Pillars: Social and Behavioral Sciences	3.0
BRICKS: Pillars: Humanities: Arts	3.0
BRICKS: Pillars: Natural Sciences	3.0-4.0
BRICKS: Arches: Constructed World	3.0
BRICKS: Arches: Connected World	3.0
Elective (Suggested course: CTCH 1250 Intro to Computers or BMT 2000 Intro to Business Computing or MIS 2011 Intro to Information Analysis and Design)	3.0
Technical Electives (work with an Academic Advisor for appropriate course selection)	21.0-23.0
Total	51.0-55.0



Organizational Studies Online Program Pathway

The Organizational Studies program pathway is designed to complement a student's previous coursework in a particular field of study or the attainment of an associate degree by studying the theory and practices that lead to organizational effectiveness. An overview of leadership principles, the use and function of work groups and teams, and why diversity benefits the organization are applied in the classroom and in a capstone experience. Students can customize their degree with a certificate, minor, or selected electives to complement their background, or employer/career interests without taking additional credits. The Organizational Studies Online Program builds upon the technical skills developed within associate degree programs and/or the first two years of collegiate work and/or experiences gained during employment by providing the knowledge and ability to apply the professional skills that employers seek and are necessary for career advancement.

The Organizational Studies Online Program is a completion degree designed to follow an associate degree or the attainment of 60 credits. If needed, a student can either complete an associate degree at Ohio University or complete 60 credits. The student may formally enter the Organizational Studies Online Program after completing 60 credits with a minimum grade point average of 2.0 or above.

Degree Requirements

To qualify for the Bachelor of Technical and Applied Studies, Organizational Studies major, a student must have completed all Ohio University graduation requirements: general education, College, major, and residency. Students must earn a minimum of 30 semester hours of Ohio University credit, complete a minimum of 50% of the major course requirements at Ohio University, and complete a minimum of 120 total semester hours for graduation (elective hours may be required) with a major and overall GPA of 2.0 or higher.

Professional Skills Core

Complete all of the following courses (requires grade of "C" (2.0) or better) through Zane State College or OHIO Online
General education courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets [].

Pre-Admission Zane State College	OHIO Course Number	Zane State College Course Number
Approaches to Workforce Effectiveness	[ORG 3010]	
Diversity, Ethics, and Collaboration	[ORG 3110]	
Leadership and Workplace Effectiveness	ORG 4110	
Collaboration in the Workplace	ORG 4440	
Capstone Experience in Evidence-Based Practice	[ORG 4510]	
Electives (complete at least 15 upper division credits from the following with 6 credits of ORG electives): COMS 3250, COMS 4100, CONS 3250, EDCE 3001, EDCE 3003, EDCE 4001, EDCE 4980, ORG 3210, ORG 4020, [ORG 4040], ORG 4140, ORG 4240, ORG 4340, ORG 4900; 9 credits max of approved technical courses at the 3000/4000 level; 12-15 credits from any undergraduate certificate or minor, if 12 credits, an additional course (3 credits) must be selected from the courses above or if any minor credits are not upper division then electives must be chosen from above. Courses in a certificate or minor may be double counted in program and certificate/minor requirements. 3000-4000 level ORG elective.	Work with an Academic Advisor for appropriate course selection	



Ohio University BRICKS General Education Requirements

BRICKS is Ohio University's general education program, and requirements must be fulfilled by all baccalaureate degree students. BRICKS includes a minimum of 38 credit hours across five categories: Foundations, Pillars, Arches, Bridges, and Capstone. Courses used to satisfy BRICKS requirements may be completed through Zane State College or OHIO Online. This [table](#) lists Zane State College courses that have direct course equivalencies at Ohio University which meet BRICKS requirements. General education courses that may also satisfy program requirements are inside brackets. HIST courses marked with an asterisk (*) will automatically equate to HIST 1320 and/or HIST 1330, but may instead equate to HIST 1210 and/or HIST 1220. Work with your academic advisor to make adjustments as necessary.

BRICKS and the Ohio Transfer 36 or Prior Degree Completion

Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36 (OT36, formerly the Ohio Transfer Module), an Associate of Arts (AA), Associate of Science (AS), or bachelor's degree from an accredited institution* 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 an equivalent course), Pillars, and Arches. Students who have not completed the OT36 or an approved degree will have their courses evaluated individually to determine appropriate general education requirement fulfillment. *Institutions must be accredited by regional accrediting commissions recognized by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) to qualify.

Disclaimer:

The information on this guide is based on the catalog requirements posted in the 2025-2026 Ohio University catalog and related Zane State College equivalents as of the Last Updated date. All information is subject to change without notice. Students must complete a minimum of 120 total semester hours, are responsible for tracking their degree completion on their DARS, and are encouraged to work with an Ohio University academic advisor in their degree planning. Courses are subject to availability at each institution. It is suggested that students meet with an advisor to discuss course selection based on offered options.

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