



TRANSFER GUIDE

Gateway Technical College to B.S. – Social Science Education - School of Education

Admission Guidelines

Transfer admission is a holistic and selective process, and no single criterion guarantees admission. The following factors are taken into consideration when reviewing applications:

- Demonstrated satisfactory academic progress
- Successful completion of college-level Math and English courses
- Total credit hours completed
- Academic standing at your previous institution

If you have fewer than 12 transferable credits, we will also review your high school academic records.

Please keep in mind that some academic programs within the Peck School of the Arts, School of Architecture and Urban Planning, College of Engineering & Applied Science, and College of Nursing may have additional requirements for direct admission into their majors.

We encourage students to utilize this guide to plan their coursework for their first and second semesters at Gateway. We highly recommend that students who are interested in transferring contact a UWM Transfer Advisor for more information about additional requirements of specific academic programs.

School of Education Information

The Early Adolescence through Adolescence (EAA) Program in Social Studies Education is available for students who plan to teach Social Studies to children from age 10 to age 21, in 6th through 12th grade. Candidates who satisfactorily complete the program requirements meet the Wisconsin teacher certification requirements for grades 6 through 12 (EAA).

Students must complete 36 credits in one Social Studies content area, 12 credits in a second and 12 credits in a third Social Studies content areas. Areas of study include economics, geography, history, psychology, political science, and sociology.

See advisor for specific course and distribution requirements of chosen fields of study. Information on requirements can also be found at uwm.edu/education/academics/social-studies.

In addition to course requirements, all teacher preparation programs have GPA and testing requirements. For more information on these requirements, visit uwm.edu/education/academics/undergraduate.

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	Gateway coursework		UWM coursework
GER requirements			
Oral and Written Part A	801-150 (minimum C grade)	3	ENGLISH 102
Oral and Written Part B		3	ENGLISH 201
Quantitative Literacy Part A	804-135 or 197 (minimum C grade)	3	MATH 102 or 116/117
Quantitative Literacy Part B	804-189	3	MTHSTAT 215
Art (3 credits)		3	Various options*
Humanities (6 credits)	801-198	3	COMMUN 103
		3	Lit course—various options*
Social Science (6 credits)		3	HIST 151 or 152
		3	POL SCI 104 or 105
Natural Science (6 credits) *one course must have a lab*		3	CES 210 (other options @ UWM)
	Various options*	3+	Various options*
Cultural Diversity/ACT 31 (3 credits)		3	Act 31 Requirement*
Foreign Language	Demonstrated competency**	0-8	Demonstrated competency**
Prerequisite Courses			
Principles of Microeconomics or Principles of Macroeconomics	809-143 or 809-144	3	ECON 103 or ECON 104
Cultural Foundations of Education or Urban Education: Foundations		3	ED POL 375 or ED POL 530
Professional Education Coursework			
Introduction to Learning Development		3	ED PSY 330
Introduction to Teaching		3	CURRINS 300 (minimum C grade)
Teaching Economics in the SS Curriculum		2	CURRINS 313
Intro to the Teaching of Social Studies		1	CURRINS 321
Cooperative Strategies Pre & Early Adolescents		3	CURRINS 510
Field Work in Middle School		3	CURRINS 516
Inclusion for Secondary Educators		3	EXCEDUC 531
Teaching of Social Studies: Secondary		3	CURRINS 323
Preliminary Student Teaching		6	CURRINS 415
Reading in Content Area: Middle, Junior, Senior		3	CURRINS 545
Principals for Classroom Appraisal & Evaluation for Prospective Teachers		2	EDPSYCH 320
Student Teaching in Social Studies		10- 12	CURRINS 423
Social Science Content Areas			
Social Studies Major—at least 18 or 36 credits must be 300+ level coursework.	Contact UWM Transfer Advisor for assistance in choosing courses.	36	Contact UWM Transfer Advisor for assistance in choosing courses.
Social Studies Area of Concentration—at least 12 of 24 credits must be 300+ level coursework.	Contact UWM Transfer Advisor for assistance in choosing courses.	24	Contact UWM Transfer Advisor for assistance in choosing courses.
Total Credits (120 minimum)		120	

A maximum of 72 credits may transfer from Gateway to UWM.

*Discuss GER options with advisor to see which are transferable.

**Can be satisfied by satisfactory placement exam score or coursework. Foreign language may be met by 2 years of HS study.