

Binghamton University
College of Community and Public Affairs

Department of Human Development

Broome Community College
Transfer Planning Guide

The Human Development Major

For the BS or the BA degree in Human Development, students must complete a major program of 52 credits. Of the 52 credits earned in Human Development (HDEV) courses, 40 must be completed through the Department of Human Development at Binghamton University. The BS degree requires a total of 124 credits with at least 60 credits of coursework in the liberal arts and sciences (including the 52 required for the major). The BA degree requires a total of 124 credits with minimum 90 credits in the liberal arts and sciences (including the 52 required for the major).

Because the Human Development major consists mostly of upper-level coursework, it is generally recommended that transfer students from two year colleges concentrate on fulfilling the SUNY General Education requirements prior to enrolling at Binghamton (see below). These will usually count towards fulfilling the minimum requirements for liberal arts and sciences coursework.

Course Requirements and Broome Community College Course Equivalencies

Note: All courses in HDEV and 4 credit-hours each.

1. **Three lower-level social sciences courses (numbered 100 or 200)**, including an introductory courses in psychology, an introductory course in sociology, and at least one other lower-level social science course outside psychology or sociology. *The BCC courses PSY 110 “General Psychology” or PSY 210 “Human Development” will fulfill the second. Many courses at Broome will fulfill the other social science requirement. e.g., Anthropology (ANT), Economics (ECO), Geography (GEO), History (HIS), Political Science (POS), or Social Science (SOS).*
2. **HDEV 200. Introductions to Interdisciplinary Study in Social Sciences**
3. **HDEV 300. Social Science Research Methods**
4. **HDEV 400. Social Justice**

5. **Two upper-level courses in each of three curriculum areas:**

Theories of Human Development:

HDEV courses numbers 301-339

These courses are designed to provide students with knowledge of multidisciplinary theories of human development. Theories may reflect individual and social group processes of development, socio-historical constructions of development, and/or cultural distinctions in the concept of development.

Social Action Policy:

HDEV courses numbered 340-379

Courses in this area examine various social, political and economic frameworks within which individuals and social groups are situated. These may include particular institution or contexts, such as schools, neighborhood or the workplace, as well as communities of color and class.

Working with Individuals and Groups:

HDEV courses numbered 401-479, excluding 475. Courses explore program models and agencies that address human problems, barriers to service delivery and the outcomes of interventions. Other courses examine the development of social policy to address complex human problems. Courses are designed to prepare students to work effectively with people. They include program delivery models, counseling, group dynamic, organizational behavior, leadership and social change, and program evaluation.

6. **HDEV 475. Practicum in Human Development**

For additional information please refer to the CCPA Human Development website at <http://ccpa.binghamton.edu/programs/hd/hddegrees.htm>.

General Education

In order to graduate, all students must meet the General Education requirements set by the State University of New York. As a public research institution in the SUNY system, we accept all general Education credits already awarded at other SUNY colleges.

While completing the Human Development major you will automatically fulfill the Social Science (N) requirement.

For more information, please see <http://ccpa.binghamton.edu/programs/hd/hdgened.htm> or <http://gened.binghamton.edu>

Binghamton University General Education	Broome Community College Recommended Courses	Comments (Courses must be 3-4 credits)
C – Composition	ENG 110, LIT	One course required – “Joint” (J) courses may fulfill both the (C) and (O) requirement
O – Oral Communication	ENG 220, SPK 110	One course required – “Joint” (J) Courses may fulfill both the (C) and (O) requirement
Foreign Language	ASL, FRE, SPAN, GER, ITAL, ARA (<i>BCC GenEd 9</i>)	One course required unless Student has 3 years high school language with 85 or better on NYS Regents exam
P – Pluralism in the United States	POS 201; HIS 130; HIS 131; HIS 189	One course required
G – Global Interdependencies	HIS 116; HIS 117; HIS 164; GEO 120; ANT 111; SOC 110; SOC 111	One Course required
L – Lab Science	ANT 112 or 113, BIO (excluding 120, 121, 140, 155) CHM, PHS, PHY (<i>BCC GenEd 2</i>)	One course required
N – Social Science	ANT, ECO, HIS, GEO, POS, PSY, SOC, SOS (<i>BCC GenEd 3</i>)	One course required
M – Math	MAT 115 & 116; MAT 119 & 120; BUS 125 MAT 124, MAT 136, MAT 145, MAT 146 and higher; PHIL 202 (<i>BCC GenEd 1</i>)	Both MAT 115&116 or both MAT119&120 or one of other courses listed MAT 124 highly recommended (Elementary Statistics) especially if considering graduate school
A – Aesthetics	ART or MUS or THR (<i>BCC GenEd 8</i>)	One course required
H – Humanities	LIT or PHI or ENG courses preferred (<i>BCC GenEd 7</i>)	One course required
Y or S (Physical Activity/Wellness)	PED (Y); BIO 120 or 121 (S); PSY 214 (S)	Total two credits required – one credit of Y and one credit of S OR
Y – Physical Activity S – Wellness B – Physical Activity & Wellness	PED (Y); PSY 210 (S); PSY 214 (S); BIO 120 or 121 (S) Courses that cover both areas	Total two credits required One credit of Y and one credit of S or 2 credit of B (both); no more than 6 credits combined

Important Information Regarding Transfer Credits

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| 1. Transfer Credit Maximum: Up to 80 credits may transfer from a community college provided that the student meets all pre-requisite and General Education core requirements. |
| 2. General Electives: Most students will need some credits in general electives to attain the 124 credits required for graduation. The number of elective credits required can vary widely. In most cases, students need 10-20 credits of electives. |
| 3. Pre-requisites for graduate schools: Students planning on pursuing graduate programs in areas such as childhood education, school counseling (guidance), or speech and language pathology should speak with the CCPA Undergraduate Academic Advisor regarding pre-requisites and courses necessary for admission to their intended graduate programs. |
| 4. Admission Disclaimer: This transfer equivalency guide outlines a plan of study that allows for efficient completion of the bachelor's degree. Admission to Binghamton University is competitive and satisfactory completion of equivalent courses or an associate's degree is not a guarantee of admission. |

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Note: check with Department for current and continued updates.

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