

Sample Transfer Plan

Area of Focus: Sport & Fitness Management

Associate in Arts (AA) transfer degree

This Sample Transfer Plan is for students intending to major in Sport and Fitness Management after transfer but who have not selected a transfer institution. Students who have a specific transfer school in mind should work with BHC and transfer school advisors to ensure the transfer school's requirements are met.

The Sport and Fitness Management area of focus provides a broad overview for careers in professional sports, college athletics, campus recreation, and parks departments. Students who complete a related bachelor's degree may find job opportunities in athletic direction, coaching, marketing, public relations and sales, event and facility management, and parks and recreation programming. Business competencies are essential. FYI - Athletic <u>Training</u> is considered a healthcare profession which requires different undergraduate preparation and a master's degree to meet state licensure requirements.

General Education Reco	mmendations: minimum 37 credits			
This section includes the complete <u>Illinois Articulation Initiative General Education Core Curriculum (IAI GECC)</u> , which is a package of courses meeting general education requirements at more than 100 participating Illinois colleges and universities.				
Communication (9 credits) – all courses required ENG 101 Composition I (3) – grade 'C' or better required ENG 102 Composition II (3) – grade 'C' or better required SPEC 101 Principles of Speech Communication (3)	Social & Behavioral Sciences (9 credits) Must include courses from two different disciplines ECON 221 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) or ECON 222 Principles of Microeconomics (3) PSYC 101 Intro to Psychology or SOC 101 Principles of Sociology (3) Choose one IAI: S course			
Humanities & Fine Arts (9 credits) Humanities – choose one IAI: H or HF course (3) suggested: PHIL 100 Logic or PHIL 103 Ethics Fine Arts - choose one IAI: F or HF course (3) Humanities or Fine Arts – choose another IAI: F, H or HF course (3)	Mathematics (3 credits) Choose one IAI: M course (3 min.)			
` '	NSCI 101 Environmental Science I (3) <u>and</u> NSCI 102 Environmental Science II (4)			

Elective Recommendations:	up to 23 credits
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This section includes courses appropriate for this area of focus. Because transfer institutions vary in their acceptance of coursework, see Course Transfer Tables and Transferology, or an advisor. IAI courses are identified with an asterisk *. Seek advising about other elective courses that may support your reasons for choosing this area of focus.

Sport & Fitness Management Electives PE 210 Intro to Sports Management (3) PE 217 Current Issues in Sports (3)

PE 241 Theory of Coaching (3) This course includes the option of completing the Human Kinetics American Sport Education Program exam to become certified to coach at secondary level educational institutions in Illinois through the IHSA.

HEAL 102 Foundations of Wellness (3)

BL 201 Business Law I (3) <u>or</u> BL 202 Business Law II (3) **Other Electives** Discuss specific course options and transferability with an advisor. Courses with pre-fixes of ACCT, BUSN, CS, or ECON. For example:

ACCT 101 Financial Accounting (3) <u>and</u> ACCT 103 Financial Accounting Lab (1) -or-

ACCT 170 Accounting Basics – Career I (3), ACCT 171 Accounting Basics I – Lab (1), ACCT 180 Accounting Basics – Career II (3), and ACCT 181 Accounting Basics II – Lab (1) (taking all four of these courses may transfer as Financial Accounting to some institutions; verify with an advisor)

BUSN 110 Introduction to Business (3) BUSN 230 Principles of Marketing (3)

BUSN 242 Principles of Supervision (3)

CS 100 Intro to Computers (3) or CS 105 Computer Science Principles (3)

Second Language: Consider potential second language admission and/or graduation requirements of transfer schools, which may be satisfied with high school and/or college courses. Consult an advisor.

Minor: Transfer majors may require a minor area of study. Begin at BHC with 1-3 courses. Consult Advisor.

60 total credits required for AA degree (General Education + Electives)

Non-Western studies graduation requirement: To graduate with the AA degree, include at least one non-Western studies course. The course can simultaneously fulfill a general education requirement in Humanities, Fine Arts, or Social & Behavioral Science, or be taken as an elective. Choose from ANTH 100 or 102; ART 285 or 286; ENG 217, 218 or 219; HIST 222, 141, 142 or 151; HUM 102; IS 200; or MUSC 158.

Learn More About This Area of Focus:

- Get to know Black Hawk College Career Services Phone: 309-796-5626
- Visit <u>Career Coach</u> to Browse Careers. Includes job data and open positions for the greater Quad City region and beyond.
- Browse careers at Collegegrad.com/careers O*Net OnLine Occupational Outlook Handbook Occupational Profiles
- For additional information visit <u>Learn.org</u> <u>Work In Sports</u> <u>Sports Management Job Profiles</u>

Course Transferability:

- Course and transfer requirements can vary among institutions and may differ from the recommendations on this guide. Grades of 'C' or better may be required for a course to transfer, especially courses intended for the major.
- Students are advised to select a transfer school as soon as possible, typically before completing 30 college-level credits.

Where to transfer? Explore transfer colleges and universities and their majors:			
Explore Colleges & Universities https://www.bhc.edu/academics/tran sfer-planning/explore-colleges- universities/	Illinois Institutional Profiles https://illinoispostsecondaryprofiles.com/Home/lndex ndex	College Navigator https://nces.ed.gov/collegenaviga tor/	

Degree Timeframe:

- Students who complete an average of 15 college-level credits in four consecutive fall and spring semesters could complete the degree in two years. Students determine their own pace and progress and should consider their work and personal commitments, course difficulty, course pre-requisites, and possible need for additional courses determined by placement assessments. Advisors are available to discuss credit load and schedules appropriate for student goals and circumstances.
- Students transferring before completing the associate degree should discuss <u>Reverse Transfer</u> with their BHC advisor. Black Hawk College will evaluate your college or university work to determine if those credits will fulfill the remaining requirements of the associate's degree.

Advising Notes:

- See the current BHC Catalog for all IAI course codes, course descriptions, pre-requisite information, and complete graduation requirements to earn the degree. The area of focus is not stated on student transcripts.
- This guide is not a substitute for advising. All students are encouraged to connect with their assigned BHC advisor each semester.

Semester	Meet with BHC advisor	Registration begins
Summer and Fall	February or March	1 st Tuesday in April
Spring & minimester	September or October	1 st Tuesday in November

BHC Contacts			
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