

How 2+2 Works

- The 2+2 is a four-year plan that leads to a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree in Agriculture at WIU. Students will fill out applications for both schools, consult the advisors and catalogs from both schools for specifics. This completion guide is designed to ensure graduation in four years by taking courses at both BHC and WIU. This guide assumes students have met all course prerequisites required by BHC and admission requirements for WIU.
- Upon completion of the first two years' requirements at BHC, students will receive an Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree. Students will be required to complete the Agricultural core requirements at WIU, and upon completion of the final two years' curriculum requirements students will receive the B.S. degree with a major in Agricultural Business at WIU. In general, a minimum of 60 semester hours (s.h.) will be taken at BHC at BHC rates and 60 s.h. from WIU at WIU rates.
- A minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.00 should be achieved by the junior year. These grade point averages must be maintained for graduation as an Agricultural Business major.

Black Hawk College Course & Credit Hours

Western Illinois University Equivalents

Semester 1

AG 100	1	AGRI 120
AG 281	4	AGRI 220
IAI FINE ARTS	3	IAI FINE ARTS
ENG 101	3	ENG 180
MATH 108	3	STAT 171
Total	14	

Semester 2

AG ELECTIVE	4	AG ELECTIVE
ENG 102	3	ENG 280
BIOL 190 or 211	4	ZOOL 200 or BOT 200
MATH 112	4	MATH 128
Total	15	

Semester 3

AG ELECTIVE	5	AG ELECTIVE
ECON 221	3	ECON 231
PHIL 100 or 101 or 103	3	PHIL 140 or 100 or 120
CHEM 101 or 110	4	CHEM 201 or 101
Total	15	

Semester 4

AG ELECTIVE	4	AG ELECTIVE
ECON 222	3	ECON 232
IAI HUMANITIES or FINE ARTS	3	IAI HUMANITIES or FINE ARTS
IAI SOCIAL and BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE	3	IAI SOCIAL SCIENCE
SPEC 101	3	COMM 241
Total	16	

Notes:

Notes for BHC:

1. Minimum of 60 hours required to complete the Associate of Arts degree.
2. To meet both BHC and WIU requirements, 3 of the following 4 AG Electives must be completed: 1) AG 282(4 hrs.); 2) AG 283(4 hrs.) or HORT 284(3 hrs.); 3) AG 285 (4 hrs.); and 4) AG 287(4 hrs).
3. BHC requires completion of a Non-Western studies course. Course options are available as an IAI Humanities, Fine Arts, or Social and Behavioral Science course. Consult BHC Advisor for course options.
4. BHC Advising: email ADVQC@bhc.edu, or phone 309-854-1709 East Campus or 309-796-5100 Quad Cities Campus.

Once you transfer to WIU, here are the remaining requirements to finish your degree:

Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4
ACCT 201 (3)	ACCT 202 (3)	Directed Social Science (3)	AGEC 443, FIN 301, FIN 311, or FIN 331 (3)
Directed Humanities (3)	AGEC 349 (4)	AGEC 342 (3)	AGRI 420 (1)
AGEC 333 (3)	AGRI 340 (2)	300 or 400 level Ag Elective (3)	300 or 400 level Ag Elective (3)
AGRI 320 (2)	300 or 400 level Ag Elective (4)	300 or 400 level Ag Elective (3)	300 or 400 level Elective (4)
300 or 400 level Ag Elective (4)	Foreign Language/Global Issues course or Elective (3)	300 or 400 level Elective (3)	Elective (3)

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Notes for WIU:

5. Forty-two upper-division hours are required from a 4-year institution
6. A minimum 60 hours is required from a 4-year institution
7. A minimum GPA of 2.0 will be required overall, in the major and in the minor(s) (if applicable)
8. Must have 50 hours of Ag Coursework with at least 24 hours taken at WIU
9. WIU Directed Humanities can be selected from (if not already completed): COMM 130; CHIN 121, 122, 223, 224; FR 121, 122, 223, 224; GER 121, 122, 223, 224; JPN 121, 122, 223, 224; SPAN 121, 122, 223, 224; PHIL 100, 120, 140, or 205
10. WIU Directed Social Science can be selected from (if not already completed): COMM 235; GEOG 100; POLS 101, 122, 200, 228, 267; PSY 100; or SOC 100

Get Started

You can apply at WIU in two ways:

1. Be a part of our Transfer Admission Guarantee program (TAG) by filling out our admissions application at wiu.edu/apply and selecting TAG. You can be a part of TAG at any point *prior* to earning 30 credits at your community college. Go to wiu.edu/tag to find out more about this program.
2. Fill out the admissions application at any time and select the date you would like to transfer into WIU.

The 2+2 degree map is a four year plan that leads to a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture - Agricultural Business at Western Illinois University and the Associate in Arts at Black Hawk College. Students intending to complete the degree from WIU should follow the list of courses outlined in this brochure.

This 2+2 degree map has been reviewed and accepted by both schools as an illustration, which is subject to change.