

Complete NPC NAVIT Behavioral Health Coursework, transfer to NPC's [Associate of Applied Science in Behavioral Health Studies](#), transfer to NAU's [Bachelor of Social Work](#) The NAU academic catalog is the official source for all academic requirements and policies. Any discrepancies from other sources will default to the catalog.

Transfer Plan – 2025-2026

NAU Transfer Plans are a unique tool designed to help guide your academic journey from community college to NAU.

To be completed during High School:

- ☐ Regular HS graduation requirements and NAVIT/NPC coursework:

Freshman Year: English, Algebra Basic, Earth Science, World History, P.E.

Sophomore Year: English, Algebra 1, Biology, US/AZ History

Junior Year: English, Geometry, Chemistry

Senior Year: English, Advanced Algebra, Economics, US/AZ Government

NAVIT/NPC BHS courses:

BHS 150 Behavioral Health Professions

BHS 155 Professional Resiliency and Well Being

BHS 160 Ethical Awareness

BHS 165 Therapeutic Communication Skills

BHS 166 Treatment Planning & Assessment

BHS 168 Introduction to Social Work

BHS 170 Case Management and Clinical Documentation

BHS 190 Mental Health Technician Certification

BHS 191 Division of Developmental Disability Trainings

BHS 195 Internship I

* Work with your High School Counselor and NPC's Early College Specialists to confirm your plan.

Stackable Credentials to be completed at Northland Pioneer College:

- ☐ [Certificate of Proficiency](#): Completion of the following course in addition High School coursework identified above, will lead to a Certificate or Proficiency from NPC.

PSY 101 Introduction to Psychology

- ☐ [Certificate of Applied Science](#): Completion of the following courses in addition to the Certificate of Proficiency will lead to a Certificate of Applied Science:

ENL 101 College Composition

MAT 142 College Mathematics with Contemporary Applications

BHS 175 Trauma & Crisis Management

BHS 185 Multicultural Competence

BHS 205 Theories in Individual Therapy

BHS 210	De-escalation and Conflict Resolution
BHS 215	Theories in Group Therapy
ECD 135	Survey of Child Development

☐ [Associate of Applied Science in Behavioral Health Studies](#): Completion of the following courses in addition to the Certificate of Applied Science will lead to an Associate of Applied Science degree:

ENL 102	College Composition II (NAU recommends ENL 102 in place of ENG 109.)
BIO 160	Introduction to Human Anatomy and Physiology
BHS 295	Internship
PSY 240	Developmental Psychology, OR
PSY 270	Abnormal Psychology

Nine additional unduplicated credits from list provided in degree information link above.

☐ [AGEC](#) Requirements: The Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) serves as a key component of many community college programs in Arizona. While not mandatory, completion of an AGEC satisfies all General Education requirements at NAU. In some cases, the AGEC is embedded within Associate degree programs, and many degree-specific courses simultaneously satisfy AGEC criteria.

☐ NAU Professional requirements that *can* be met at NPC.

<u>NAU course:</u>	<u>NPC equivalent:</u>
SW 220	BHS 168(B grade or better)
Statistics	PSY 230 or MAT 160
PSY 240	PSY 240
ISM 120	CIS 105
SW 295	BHS 185

☐ Social Work Cognates. 15-16 units in the following areas *can* be completed at your community college, or at NAU.

Ethnicity (3 units) – SOC 215

Gender (3 units) – SOC 212, or HIS 201

Human Biology (3-4 units) – BIO 160, BIO 201, or BIO 202

Indigenous Populations of the Southwest (3 units) ANT 205, ANT 210, HIS 110, HIS 114, or HIS 115

Social and Economic Justice (3 units) – SOC 121, or ECN 285

☐ Up to 75 credits of Associate degree coursework, AGEC, and Cognates may transfer to NAU, requiring only 45 credits be completed at NAU. Work with your Community College advisor and your [NAU Transfer Representative](#) to identify which courses transfer to NAU.

To be completed at Northern Arizona University (45 credits):

☐ [Bachelor Social Work Professional Requirements](#) (100 and 200 level courses may be completed at the community college. 45 units must be completed at NAU.):

SW 355 Social Work Research

SW 420 Social Welfare Policy Practice

SW 320W Social Policy and Legislation *

SW 427 Social Work Assessment

SW 321 Generalist Practice I (B grade or better)

SW 422 Generalist Practice II

SW 423 Generalist Practice III

SW 401 Crisis Intervention Methods *

Contemporary Topics in Social Work: (6 units) SW 450 (must be repeated, with different content, for at least 6 units). SW 452, SW 454, SW455, SW 456 may be used to fulfill the required Topics courses.

SW 408 Field Education (12 units – must be successfully complete first time taken.)

SW 498C Senior Seminar

☐ General electives, if needed to meet 45 units at NAU and 120 units total.

Additional Considerations:

- This program is available in person in Flagstaff and Yuma or Online.
- NAU's BSW requires a secondary application. Admission requirements include a "B" or better in SW 220 – Introduction to Social Work or equivalent course, as well as a minimum gpa of 2.25 and 24 credits or more completed or in progress.
- Overall gpa of 2.25 required for retention in the major.
- Students are encouraged to contact a Social Work Academic Advisor as early in their college career as possible.
- This program is accredited by the [Council on Social Work Education \(CSWE\)](#).
- NAU offers two MSW/Master of Social Work graduate degree programs: 2-year MSW (for those who have NOT completed a BSW program) and 1-year MSW - Advanced Standing (for those who have completed a BSW program). Completion of NAU's BSW with a GPA of 3.3 or better prepares students for the accelerated-based, 1-year, MSW - Advanced Standing program. Admission to NAU's MSW must be within 5 years of completion of the BSW.

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