

**COURSE REQUIREMENTS**

Complete at Community College				Complete at Bridgewater College		
BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		SATISFIED BY		BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		
Course	Credits	CC Course	Notes	Course	Credits	Notes
Elective credit	1-2	SDV 100 or 101		CL 150	1	
Writing Intensive	3	ENG 111		CL 400	1-3	
CL 200	3	ENG 112 OR 113		MUS 203	1	
Creative/Artistic Practices	3	CST 130		MUS 110 or MUS 225	6	
Study of Human Narrative	3	Any UCGS Literature		THEA 360W or THEA 362W	3	
Study of the Past	3	Any UCGS History		Theatre Practice and Design elective	3	
Scientific Study of People/Society	3	Any UCGS Soc/Beh Sci		THEA 255	3	
Scientific Study of Nature	4	Any UCGS Nat Science		THEA 330	3	
Math Req	3-5	Any UCGS Math		THEA 370	3	
COMM 100	3	CST 100	Recommend: CST 100 or 110	THEA 450	3	
Elective	3	Any USGS transfer course	Consider a language			
THEA 325	3	CST 131		SPED 220	3	
THEA Elective	3	CST 132		EDUC 225	1	
THEA 225	3	CST 145		EDUC 334	3	
THEA 250	3	CST 210		EDUC 372	4	
THEA 310	1	CST 136		EDUC 380	3	
THEA Elective	3	CST 160		EDUC 412	4	
THEA 320	3	CST 161		EDUC 452	1	
THEA 200	3	CST 147		EDUC 470	13	
THEA 210	3	CST 245				
Elective	3	EDU 200	20 hour field placement required			

EDUC 230	3	EDU 204	20 hour field placement required			
Pre-Transfer Credits	62			Post-Transfer Credits	62	(Minimum 120 total hours)

## TRANSFER GUIDANCE

### Guaranteed Admission Agreement:

- Applicable Associate Degrees: AA and AS
  - Minimum GPA requirement: 2.5/4.0
  - Course requirements: Students must earn a grade of 'C' or higher in VCCS courses for credit to be transferred into Bridgewater.
  - Maximum credits applicable for transfer: 68
- Testing requirements: Bridgewater College is test optional. Students using the GAA are not required to submit standardized test scores for admittance

### IMPORTANT LINKS & DATES:

- Transfer Info, Application, & Financial Aid Information: [www.bridgewater.edu/transfer](http://www.bridgewater.edu/transfer)
- Deposit: On or before June 1
- FAFSA-Free Applications for Federal Student Aid: For highest aid, submit by March 1. Visit [www.Studentaid.gov](http://www.Studentaid.gov) for more info
- Admissions Applications: No Deadline- Rolling Admissions

### WHAT SHOULD I CONSIDER WHEN SELECTING COURSES?

- Connect with the transfer counselor at Bridgewater within your first year for help choosing the correct courses for your program.

### IS THIS DEGREE RIGHT FOR ME?

- Gain the knowledge and skills to become a successful and ethical educator.
- Learn from [faculty](#) with teaching experience within Virginia, nationwide, and internationally.
- Become licensed to teach elementary, middle, and high school (PK-12) in Virginia and many other states through reciprocal certification.
- Develop skills in Collaboration, Leadership, Professionalism, Critical Thinking, and writing.

### WHAT IS THE IMPACT ON MY DEGREE OF WORK I HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED?

- **Associate Transfer Degree Completion:** The completion of an Associate Degree results in all lower-division general education requirements being met, except for CL 150 (a transfer orientation class that introduces students to the BC Academic community) and CL400 (a senior portfolio class).
- **Credit for Prior Learning:** AP, IB, and CLEP are evaluated for credits. See this link for AP Equivalencies: <https://bridgewater.app.box.com/s/yp8uq0l32pexh5tfywiufc7g9azwkl2d>
- **Catalog Year:** Catalog year determined by first semester of attendance at the community college post high-school graduation.

- **Dual Enrollment – Completion of Associate Degree in HS:** The completion of an Associate Degree concurrent with high school results in course work towards your degree and most general education courses satisfied. Students will be enrolled as a freshman for orientation and engagement purposes.

### IS THIS COLLEGE RIGHT FOR ME?

- Small class sizes with academic advisors in each department. All in-person.
- 23 NCAA DIII Sports
- Commuting or on-campus housing.
- Robust career services, academic support services, and clubs and activities.
- Study Abroad in Europe, Latin America, Africa and Asia

### DID YOU KNOW THAT...

- BC awards merit scholarships to transfer students based on the cumulative GPA from community college course work. [www.bridgewater.edu/admissions-aid](http://www.bridgewater.edu/admissions-aid)
- 100% of students receive financial assistance.
- There are 55 different majors and minors.
- The Student:Faculty ratio is 13:1, with the average class size being 19.

### WHAT CAN I DO WITH THIS DEGREE?

- Teach Theatre in Grades PK-12
- Career as an actor
- Designer (Scenic, Costume, Sound, Lighting)
- Arts Administration
- Writer (Playwright, Dramaturge, Editor)

### PROGRAM SUCCESSES & HIGHLIGHTS

- Bridgewater College's Teacher Education Program (TEP) was fully-accredited with no areas of improvement or stipulations on April 26, 2021, by the [Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation](#) (CAEP). This action resulted in the maximum 7-year accreditation. Additionally, CAEP awarded the TEP the [Frank Murray Leadership Award for Continuous Improvement](#) at the Fall 2021 CAEP Conference.
- Join Educators Rising Collegiate! Throughout the year, club members participate in a variety of activities designed to engage you in deeper discussions around hot-button topics in education, spur them to think about actions they can take at the local level, and prepare you for a classroom of your own.

### WHAT ARE MY CHANCES FOR GETTING ACCEPTED?

- Students that maintain at least a 2.5 GPA, show proficiency in college level Mathematics and English, and are in good academic standing have a high possibility of being admitted to BC.

### DO MORE WITH YOUR DEGREE!

- Internships on and off campus
- Present at academic conferences and other venues.
- Check out [www.bridgewater.edu/life-at-bridgewater/career-development/career-exploration](http://www.bridgewater.edu/life-at-bridgewater/career-development/career-exploration)
- Find outcomes of students from the Theatre major here:  
<https://www.bridgewater.edu/academics/divisions/communication-studies-theatre/theatre-major/>
- Did you know you can add a teaching area to your license through either coursework or testing? [Add-on endorsements](#) allow educators to teach certain grade-levels or specific subject areas.