

IMPORTANT TRANSFER INFORMATION

While you have started off at one of Colorado's public colleges or universities, there is a strong possibility you may end up transferring to another institution along the way. To help eliminate the guesswork of transferring general education course credits, Colorado has developed a statewide guaranteed transfer (gt) program. Both the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science degree programs are designed to meet the statewide guaranteed transfer requirements.

gt Pathways applies to all Colorado public institutions of higher education. After starting your path of higher education at any public college or university in Colorado, and upon acceptance to another, you can transfer up to 35-37 credits of previously and successfully (C- or better) completed gt education coursework. These courses will automatically transfer with you and continue to count toward your general education core for an applicable liberal arts or science associate or bachelor's degree program (a list of applicable majors can be found under the transfer link at the CCHE website at www.state.co.us/cche). In addition, degree electives may transfer as well depending on the institution of transfer and your intended major. It is important that you consult your advisor and the transfer institution when choosing degree electives. Certain majors require that certain electives be taken as part of your associate degree program. Remember, however, that while gt courses are guaranteed to transfer, admission to a four-year college or university is not.

Please note that statewide articulation agreements exist for the following professional degree programs and prescribe specific general education course and degree requirements: business; early childhood education; elementary education; engineering; and nursing.

Students who began courses at one of the 15 Colorado community colleges prior to the fall semester of 2003 will have the option of completing the Community College Transfer Core that has existed since 1989, or completing the new Guaranteed Transfer Courses. Students who opt to complete the Community College Transfer Core must have all core coursework completed before the end of summer semester 2005. Upon completion of the Transfer Core, all core classes will be guaranteed to transfer. If the Transfer Core is not completed, courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis.

Adams State College (Alamosa)

Adams State is Colorado's ideal small college and offers more recognized academic programs of excellence than any other school its size in Colorado. Students learn in state-of-the-art facilities including "smart" classrooms, high-tech science labs, 21st century visual arts facilities, and cutting-edge computer labs. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. *Important: There is a special agreement for elementary education program students, it is vital that you contact Adams State within your first semester at CCA to meet program requirements.* For more information about Adams State, contact the Admissions Office at 1-800-824-6494 or visit their web site at www.adams.edu.

Colorado School of Mines (Golden)

Colorado School of Mines offers intense engineering programs and is internationally recognized for its geosciences and resource engineering. Engineering programs include civil, electrical, environmental, mechanical, chemical, and metallurgy and materials. CSM also offers programs in math and computer science, economics and business, chemistry and physics and geology, geophysics, mining and petroleum. Students may want to transfer early and keep contact with a CSM advisor during their studies at CCA. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major and refer to the Engineering Articulation program sheet for information about transfer classes. Visit their website at www.mines.edu or call 303 273-3220 or 1 800 446-9488 for more information.

Colorado State University (Fort Collins)

Students intending to transfer should contact a Community College of Aurora advisor to assist them in selecting recommended electives for your intended major. If you are planning to transfer to CSU prior to receiving a degree from CCA, ENG 122 and MAT 121 (or MAT 106 with a grade of 'B' or better) must be completed for transfer admission. For admissions and other information about CSU, contact the Admissions Office at 970-491-6909 or visit their website at www.colostate.edu. Special transfer campus visit programs are offered throughout the year to provide you with the opportunity to visit the campus.

Colorado State University at Pueblo (Pueblo)

The small size of most CSU-Pueblo classes contributes significantly to CSU-Pueblo's emphasis on interactive learning. Students can choose from twenty-six undergraduate programs in the College of Science and Mathematics, the Hasan School of Business, the College of Humanities and Social Sciences, and the College of Education, Engineering and Professional Studies. For admissions and other information about CSU-Pueblo, visit their website at www.colostate-pueblo.edu or call (719) 549-2461. Transfer Visit Days are designed to give transfer students information about transferring credits and educational programs of their interest. Call 719-549-2391 to reserve your spot.

Fort Lewis College (Durango)

Fort Lewis offers bachelor degree programs in the arts and sciences and in the professional areas of education and business and is located in southwest Colorado surrounded by Rocky Mountains. Fort Lewis honors its historic commitment the Southwest area and to Native Americans by offering tuition scholarships to all qualified American Indians who meet admission requirements. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. For more information, visit their website at www.fortlewis.edu.

Mesa State College (Grand Junction)

Mesa offers bachelor degrees in the arts and sciences, business administration, computer science, education, environmental science, and nursing. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. For more information, visit their website at www.mesastate.edu or call 1-800-982-MESA.

Metropolitan State College of Denver (Auraria Campus)

Please see an advisor to assist you in selecting recommended electives for your intended major. You can also make an appointment to see a Transfer Counselor from Metro at CCA's Advising Center, 303-360-4797. Important: *There are specific courses required for elementary education program students. It is vital that you contact a Metro State Transfer Counselor within your first semester at CCA to meet program requirements.* For admissions and other information about Metro State, contact the Admissions Office at 303-556-3058 or visit their website at www.mscd.edu. Transfer information is also available at this website or by calling the Office of Transfer Services at 303-556-3774. Academic programs range from the traditional, such as English, art, history, biology and psychology, to business-related degrees in computer information systems, accounting and marketing, to professionally directed programs in nursing, health care management, criminal justice, pre-medicine, pre-law and pre-veterinary science, or design your own degree with Metro's acclaimed Individualized Degree Program.

University of Colorado at Boulder (Boulder)

CU-Boulder offers a wide range of programs in architecture, arts and sciences, business, education, engineering, journalism, and music. Students who plan to major in engineering, architecture, or music must complete the second level of a foreign language in high school or college. All other students are required to complete the third level of foreign language. Students intending to transfer should contact a Community College of Aurora advisor and a University of Colorado representative to assist in developing a transfer program and in selecting recommended electives for their major. Students intending to major in engineering or architecture should plan on transferring early, as many of the required courses for these majors are specific to CU-Boulder. For admissions and other information about CU-Boulder, contact the Admissions Office at 303-492-6301 or visit their website at www.colorado.edu/prospective/transfer.

University of Colorado at Colorado Springs (Colorado Springs)

CU-Colorado Springs offers programs in the arts and sciences, pre-professional programs, business and administration, engineering and applied science, education, health care services and nursing. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. For more information, call 1-800-990-UCCS or visit their website at www.uccs.edu.

University of Colorado at Denver (Auraria Campus)

Students intending to transfer should also contact an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and in selecting recommended electives for your intended major. You can also see a Transfer Services Coordinator from CU-Denver at CCA. Call the Advising Center, 303-360-4797, for day and time info. For admissions and other information about CU-Denver, contact them at 303-556-2704 or visit their website noted above. With day, evening and weekend courses available, CU-Denver offers a full range of bachelor's degree programs in Arts and Media, Business, Engineering, Education and Liberal Arts and Sciences.

University of Northern Colorado (Greeley)

UNC has been designated the state's primary teacher education institution, offers a business program that is in the top 20% in the U.S. and Canada, and offers Colorado higher education programs of excellence in Music, Theatre, and Business. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. *Important: There is a special agreement for elementary education program students, it is vital that you contact UNC within your first semester at CCA to meet program requirements.* To ensure a smooth transfer process, be sure to apply for UNC's transfer program, **UNC Bound**, offered to community college students. For more information about UNC, contact the Admissions Office at 970-351-2881 or visit their web site at <http://www.unco.edu>. In addition, representatives from UNC often visit the campus. Call the CCA Advising Center to find out their schedule at 303-360-4797.

Western State College – (Gunnison)

Western offers a broad range of study including business, computer science, communications, the social and behavioral sciences, professional recreation, the arts and sciences, and education in a mountain setting. Many of the degree programs take advantage of this environment. Please consult an advisor to assist you in developing a transfer program and choosing recommended electives for your intended major. For more information, visit their website at www.western.edu or call 1-800-876-5309.