

NC Community College Four-Year Pathway Plan

Schedule for Full-Time Students
Pursuing AA Degree & transfer into Recreation Therapy (BA) at UNCW.
(Placed Out of All Developmental Courses)

North Carolina Community College classes are listed below in bold with (AA Requirement Sections). The UNCW degree requirements fulfilled listed next to the classes.

The University of North Carolina at Wilmington **strongly recommends** students complete their Associate's degree prior to transferring to UNCW. Pathways are structured for students who have completed all requirements for their Associate's degree and qualify for the CAA. UNCW recommends that transfer students complete the Foreign Language Requirements prior to enrolling at UNCW.

NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE- FIRST YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
ENG 111 (English Composition) – ENG 101		3	ENG 112 (English Composition) – ENG 201		3
Foreign Language 111 (Additional General Education Courses) – FL 101		3	Foreign Language 112 (Additional General Education Courses) – FL 102		3
HUM 220 or HUM 230 (Required Courses) - Elective		3	MAT 171 (Mathematics) – MAT 111		4
PSY 150 (Social/Behavioral Science II) – PSY 105		3	(UGETC Humanities/Fine Arts)²		3
ACA 122 (Academic Transition) – Elective		1	BIO 111 (Natural Sciences) - BIO 201		4
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		13	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		17

Students may also elect to take courses during the summer, pending availability.

NC COMMUNITY COLLEGE- SECOND YEAR					
Fall Semester		Credit	Spring Semester		Credit
PSY 281 (Additional General Education Courses) – PSY 247		3	BIO 169 (Elective) – BIO 241		4
Foreign Language 211 (Additional General Education Courses)⁵ – FL 201		3	PED 110 (Elective) – PED 101		2
BIO 168 (Elective) – BIO 240		4	Communications (Required Courses)⁶		3
(UGETC Social/Behavioral Science)¹		3	(UGETC Social/Behavioral Science)¹		3
(UGETC Humanities/Fine Arts)²		3	PSY 241 (Elective) – PSY 223		3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS		15

¹(UGETC Social/Behavioral Science); student can take ECO 251, ECO 252, HIS 111, HIS 112, HIS 131, HIS 132, POL 120, PSY 150 or SOC 210

²(UGETC Humanities/Fine Arts); student can take ART 114, ART 115, MUS 110, MUS 112, DRA 111, ENG 231, ENG 232, ENG 241, ENG 242, PHI 215 or PHI 240

³(Communications); student can take COM 120 or COM 231

⁴If student graduated high school more than 7 years ago **or** is taking a different language than studied in high school, they can take another course in the "Additional General Electives" category at the community college. If student graduated high school within last 7 years and is taking same language as high school or did not have at least two foreign language courses in high school, then they must take the same FL through 201 level at the CC or at UNCW. UNCW recommends that transfer students complete the Foreign Language Requirements prior to enrolling at UNCW. A student who chooses to wait on the FL requirement should consult with their advisor about satisfying the FL requirement at UNCW.

THIS SHEET IS FOR ADVISING PURPOSES ONLY. Students should work with their Advisor to determine course selections that will result in the greatest transferrable credit, for the intended program, upon transfer to the four-year school. Please remember that C-'s do not transfer to UNCW.



Schedule of Courses for the Recreation Therapy (BA) at UNCW

Minimum Credit Hours Required for Graduation	120
Hours Remaining in UNCW Degree	59

UNCW- JUNIOR YEAR				
Fall Semester	Credit		Spring Semester	Credit
PED 350	3		RTH 370 or 372	3
RTH 265	3		RTH 380	3
RTH 368	3		RTH 381	3
RTH 370 or 372	3		RTH 385, 386, 387, 389 ⁱ	2
RTH 375	3		RTH 390	1
			ATR 470 or CLR 350	3
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15		TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15

UNCW-Summer Semester
RTH 348 – 3 credits

UNCW- SENIOR YEAR				
Fall Semester	Credit		Spring Semester	Credit
RTH 391	3		RTH 497	12
RTH 459	3			
RTH 475	3			
RTH 480	3			
RTH 385, 386, 387, or 389	2			
RTH 385, 386, 387, or 389	2			
TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16		TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	12

- Students should seek academic advising to determine the best courses and sequence to meet their educational goals and degree requirements.
- Following the Pathway to Degree does not guarantee admission to UNCW or guarantee an AA degree or BA degree will be conferred.
- Please refer to University of North Carolina Wilmington Admissions for more information on admission to UNCW and the transfer of credits to UNCW: <https://uncw.edu/admissions/trreqs.html>
- A conferred AA or AS degree will waive either the Living in a Diverse Nation OR Living in a Global Society requirement at UNCW. When meeting with their advisor, students should request that the Living in a Global Society requirement is waived for their Associate's degree, since the Living in a Diverse Nation requirement will be met via RTH 372 which is required for the Recreation Therapy major.
- Students will need to apply to UNCW as a transfer student (and be accepted) AND apply to the Recreation Therapy program (and be accepted) for their desired semester in order to follow the plan above.
- Priority Recreation Therapy application deadlines are 2/15 to start the following fall semester, and 9/15 to start the following spring semester. Students must be accepted into UNCW for the same semester that they are accepted to start the Recreation Therapy program.
- Recreation Therapy application requirements include: submitting an online RT application by the respective priority deadline, attaching a 2-3 page essay (information on the RT admissions page), and completing at least 50 direct contact hours of volunteer or work experience with individuals with disabilities, disabling conditions, or illnesses. Once the RT application is submitted, eligible applicants will then be invited for an interview with an RT faculty member.
- Detailed Recreation Therapy application requirements can be found on the Recreation Therapy homepage here: <https://uncw.edu/chhs/shahs/academic/undergraduate/rectherapy/index.html>
- RTH 497 is a full-time internship in the final semester, and students are not allowed to take additional courses when they complete their internship. The RTH 497 internship will likely be outside of Wilmington due to a very limited number of local internship sites.