

Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to degree completion.

Full-time student: Follow the green semester blocks in order.

Part-time student: Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Students should meet with an advisor each semester to carefully select and sequence courses based on their specific academic goals and interests. Visit Jefferson Hall or call 301.846.2471 (301.846.2625 TDD) for advising.

Students who take fewer than 15 credits each semester or who require developmental English or Math coursework will need additional semesters to complete their degrees. Summer and January term classes may help students to make faster progress.

General Education CORE courses can often be taken in any semester. One course must be designated as a Cultural Competence course. Refer to the college catalog for course details and the list of General Education and Cultural Competence classes.
<http://www.frederick.edu/class-schedules.aspx#catalog>

Students are strongly recommended to consult an FCC advisor to select elective courses. Students planning to transfer may also reference ARTSYS, the Maryland Articulation System, www.artsys.usmd.edu.



Take this course within the first 24 credits.



Milestone course – take within recommend credit range to stay on track for completion.



This course is offered in the fall semester only.



This course is offered in the spring semester only.

1 Recommended First Semester

1	Gen Ed CORE	EN 101 English Composition		3 credits
2	Gen Ed CORE	Mathematics Gen Ed		3 credits
3	Departmental Requirements	BU 103 Introduction to Business		3 credits
4	Gen Ed CORE	CIS 101 Information Systems and Technology		3 credits
5	Departmental Requirements	EC 201 Principles of Macroeconomics		3 credits

2 Recommended Second Semester

6	Departmental Requirements	EC 202 Principles of Microeconomics		3 credits
7	Departmental Requirements	BU/MA 205 Business Statistics or MA 206 Elementary Statistics		3 credits
8	Gen Ed CORE	Biological & Physical Sciences with a lab		4 credits
9	Gen Ed CORE	Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed		3 credits
10	Gen Ed CORE	Communications Gen Ed		3 credits

3 Recommended Third Semester

11	Departmental Requirements	ACCT 101 Accounting I		3 credits
12	Gen Ed CORE	Humanities Gen Ed		3 credits
13	Gen Ed CORE	Biological & Physical Sciences Gen Ed		3/4 credits
14	Gen Ed CORE	Social & Behavioral Sciences Gen Ed		3 credits
15	Gen Ed CORE	Arts Gen Ed		3 credits
16	PE/Health	PE/Health Requirement		1/3 credits

4 Recommended Fourth Semester

17	Departmental Requirements	ACCT 102 Accounting II		3 credits
18	Departmental Requirements	Elective		3 credits
19	Departmental Requirements	Elective		3 credits
20	Departmental Requirements	Elective		3 credits
21	Departmental Requirements	Elective		1/3 credits

Students who complete the first 30 credits in the pathway are eligible to receive the Transfer Studies Certificate. (Students complete the necessary forms in the Welcome Center, J-101.)