

PROGRAM
TRANSFER GUIDE



This transfer guide is intended for students pursuing an Arts and Sciences Transfer - Social Work at Harford Community College who are interested in pursuing a Bachelor's Degree in Family Science at Towson University. This transfer guide outlines the courses and program requirements a student should follow to satisfy degree requirements at HCC in order to complete both the HCC and TU degrees within a total of 4 years and 120 credits.

Arts and Sciences Transfer - Social Work

Bachelor's Degree in Family Science

Effective Term:
Spring 2026

YEAR 1 - Harford Community College							
Fall		TU Equivalent	Credits	Spring		TU Equivalent	Credits
SOC 101 Introduction to Sociology (GB) © (Core 13)		SOCI 101	3	SOC 102 Social Problems (GB)		SOCI 249	3
ENG 101 English Composition (GE) © (Core 2)		ENGL 102	3	ENG 109 English Composition: Research Writing		ENGL TLL	3
PSY 101 General Psychology (GB)* © (Core 6)		PSYC 101	3	SOC 200 Introduction to Social Work		USEL TLL	3
BIO 100 Fundamentals of Biology (GL) ♦ © (Core 7)		BIOL 120/120L	4	MATH 216 Introduction to Statistics (GM)* © (Core 3)		MATH 231	3
				ANTH 102 Intro to Cultural Anthropology (GB) ♦ © (Core 12)		ANTH 207	3
TOTAL CREDITS:			13	TOTAL CREDITS:			15

YEAR 2 - Harford Community College					
Fall	TU Equivalent	Credits	Spring	TU Equivalent	Credits
SOC 201 Marriage and the Family (GB)*	FMST 101	3	PSY 212 The Helping Relationship*	PSYC 205	3
CMST 101 Speech Fundamentals (GI) OR © (Core 4)	COMM 131	3	PS 101 American National Government (GB)	POSC 103	3
CMST 105 Interpersonal Communication (GI) © (Core 4)	COMM 215		CMST 210 Group Communication and Leadership (GAH)	COMM 216	3
SOC 214 Juvenile Delinquency	CRMJ T55 (355)	3	HIST 103 History of the U.S. I (GB) (GAH) ♦ © (Core 11)	HIST 145	3
PHIL 101 Intro to Philosophy (GAH) ♦ © (Core 5)	PHIL 101	3	BIO 210 Nutrition (GS) ♦ © (Core 8)	HLTH T31 (331)	3
EDUC 103 The Young Child*	ECED 201	3	Physical Education Elective	PHEA TLL	1
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TOTAL CREDITS:		16	TOTAL CREDITS:		16

YEAR 3 - Towson University			
Fall		Spring	
	Credits		Credits
FMST 201 Family Resources (Core 10)*	3	FMST 301 Family Relationships*	3
FMST 325 Ethics in Human Services (Core 14)*	3	FMST 303 Contemporary Trends in Family Policy*	3
FMST 305 Parent-Child Relationships Across the Lifespan*	3	FMST 485 Research Methods in Family Science (Core 9)*	3
FMST 302 Family Theories*	3	General Elective	6
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TOTAL CREDITS:		TOTAL CREDITS: 15	

YEAR 4 - Towson University			
Fall		Spring	
	Credits		Credits
FMST 250 Introduction to The Nonprofit Sector OR	3	FMST 397 Internship in Family and Human Services OR*	3
FMST 297 Preparing Human Service Workers: Pre-internship (see notes)		FMST 387 Community Services for Families* (see notes)	
Pre-Intervention Major Course (see TU catalog)*	3	Diversity Major Course (see TU catalog)*	3
Upper-Level FMST course*	3	Upper-Level FMST course*	3
General Electives	6	General Electives	6
TOTAL CREDITS: 15		TOTAL CREDITS: 15	

* Denotes course that must be completed with a grade of C or better ** Must consult with a TU Academic Advisor © Core Curriculum

Notes & Recommendations from Towson University:

*Core 1 at TU is automatically waived for all transfer students.

* Students must follow the course selections outlined in this agreement. Failing to complete the specified courses will require them to fulfill remaining requirements at TU and could jeopardize their ability to earn a bachelor's degree within two years.

*Courses with the ♦ symbol are recommendations only; consult with advising for alternate options to complete all coursework within four years.

*Course equivalents ending in TLL are general lower-level elective coursework at TU.

*HCC's SOC 201 Marriage and the Family course is permitted to equate to TU's FMST 101 course for this agreement only.

*Students may select from a Family and Human Services or Intro to Child Life track within the Family Science major. Review the TU catalog for internship and other courses specific to each track.

Bachelor's degree requirements for all students:

- A cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 is required.
- A C grade (2.0 GPA) or higher is required for all major courses and prerequisites.
- 32 credits of the bachelor's degree must be completed at the upper level (courses numbered 300 or above) at TU

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