

BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE to Bloomsburg University

Transfer Facts

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Is on-campus housing available for transfer students? Yes. Students just have to indicate “on-campus” as their housing preference on the application.
2. Full-time tuition: **\$7,492/year for PA residents** Part-time tuition: **\$312/credit for PA-residents**
3. Scholarship availability for transfer students: **Limited merit scholarships. See www.bloomu.edu/scholarships or check with the Admissions Office, once you have been admitted, at buadmiss@bloomu.edu**
4. Can the transfer student with an associate degree normally expect to receive the baccalaureate degree in two years? **This varies depending on requirements met with transfer credits and how the major is designed (if classes are sequential).**

TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

1. Best time(s) to apply: **Sept-Apr for Fall admission; Sept- Nov for Spring admission. Deadline(s): Rolling.**
2. What grade point average (4.0 scale) do you consider? **Above a 2.0** Prefer: **above a 2.5**
3. If different averages are required for different curricula, please specify: **Prefer at least a 3.0 for any Health Sciences, 2.5 for Mass Communications, Sociology, Pre-Social Work, Exercise Science and Criminal Justice. Minimum 3.0 (required) for all education programs.**

Do you accept GPA accepted as calculated by previous college or do you re-calculate? **If an applicant attended more than one college, we may recalculate. If only attended one college, then we will accept the GPA as designated by that school.**
4. Maximum number of credits accepted in transfer: **No minimum or maximum**
5. When does the applicant learn which credits will be accepted in transfer? **If they are accepted, a tentative evaluation is completed and mailed to the student at the time of admission. Final approval is then posted from the Registrar’s office. Prior to a decision, students can use www.bloomu.edu/transfer to request an unofficial evaluation or www.pacollege-transfer.com or <http://adminapps.bloomu.edu/CourseEquivalency/ce> to view course equivalencies.**
6. Must SAT or ACT scores be submitted by transfer students? **No.**
7. Must the H.S. transcript or GED be submitted by the student with an associate’s degree? Only if the applicant has less than 12 completed, credits (including developmental or enrichment courses). Without the degree but with 30 credits or more? **No.**
With less than 30 credits? See above.
a. These must be official documents directly from the high school or GED testing center.
8. Is the transfer student required to have had the same high school courses (e.g. foreign language, math) as entering freshman? **Only if the student has less than 12 completed college credits.**
If yes, can these be satisfied by college courses? Will these courses be credited toward the baccalaureate degree?
9. Are D’s transferable? **Only with an associate’s degree (AA or AS), which must be shown prior to enrolling at BU. With an AA degree? Yes. Without a degree? No. Explain. Per the Academic Passport Agreement.**
10. Do you accept Prior Learning Assessment (AP, CLEP, credit by certifications or portfolio, etc) which may appear on the Bucks transcript? **We require that any earned credits such as AP, CLEP or dual enrollment course transcripts be sent directly to us from the issuing source.**

PROGRAMS

1. Which programs, if any, are closed to transfer students?
 - a. **Medical Imaging is closed to all transfers, unless the applicant is a certified technologist, and has a rad-tech associate's degree.**
 - b. **All Health Science courses (including nursing) are extremely limited to transfers.**
 - a. **American Sign Language is not open directly to transfers. These students can apply to BU (possibly undeclared if they have less than 45 credits), and contact the ASL Department to get on a wait-list.**
 - b. **Speech Pathology is limited to transfers.**
2. Popular majors: **Business, Education, Criminal Justice, Mass Communications, Exercise Science, Speech Pathology, any of the health sciences.**
3. New or distinctive majors: **American Sign Language, Speech Pathology, Deaf/Hard of Hearing Education (dual certification with early childhood), Digital Forensics and Electronics Engineering Technology.**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Apply at www.bloomu.edu/transfer and click on the fee waiver button to save the \$35 application fee. We require all official college transcripts to be on file to review. Those can be sent via mail or through services like e-script or Parchment/Naviance. Check with BCCC to see how they prefer to send transcripts.

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