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Welcome to ASHFORD UNIVERSITY

Ashford University's articulation agreements offer transferring students the opportunity to carry with them the credit they have already earned to pursue academic and professional goals through any one of the Bachelor's degrees offered at Ashford University. This Articulation Agreement, in the spirit of cooperation, offers students a structure through which transfer articulation on all levels can be supported and includes the following benefits for the transferring student:

- **UP TO 90 APPROVED CREDITS**
Past efforts and life experiences are valuable; students may be able to transfer both traditional and non-traditional credits into their chosen academic major. They can transfer up to 90 approved credits, including a maximum of 75 non-traditional credits (subject to state law), toward a Bachelor's degree.
- **ASSOCIATE'S DEGREES/General Education Block**
Credits earned as part of an Associate degree where a student meets the general education requirements for Bachelor of Arts degrees offered through state universities are accepted as fulfilling all General Education and competency requirements of a Bachelor's program, with the exception of the General Education Capstone. If a student's Associate degree does not meet the above requirement, the Registrar's Office will still evaluate the degree and deem it acceptable to meet all General Education and competency requirements.
- **AWARD OF UPPER DIVISION CREDIT**
If students transfer lower-division credits beyond what is required for an Associate's degree, or if the lower division credits are equivalent to designated upper division course content, these courses may be evaluated by Ashford University and, where appropriate, they may be applied toward major courses.
- **REVERSE TRANSFER**
Ashford University will participate, when applicable, in the reverse transfer process for those students who transferred prior to completing an associate degree. The student will be offered the opportunity to earn said degree via the reverse transfer process.
- **DEGREE MAPS**
In addition to the benefits outlined above, view the Degree Maps below for select programs transferring into Ashford University. These degree maps will show potential Ashford students how their completed general education and program coursework can transfer into Ashford University's four year programs. These programs are not the only options. [See the entire list of Ashford programs.](#)

Experience a new way of learning through the innovative online experience at Ashford University and earn the degree you've always wanted. The Ashford University experience provides:

- **ONLINE CLASSROOM**
Students earn their degree online. With 24/7 access to the Student Portal, students can access the online classroom, connect with instructors and other students in online discussions, and check their degree progress.



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- **SCHEDULED FROM START TO GRADUATION**
Course scheduling is handled by our advising staff, ensuring students graduate on time without taking any unnecessary classes.
- **ASHFORD MOBILE**
Ashford students learn on-the-go by participating in discussions and viewing upcoming assignments through their smartphone or tablet.

Admission Requirement information can be found at www.ashford.edu/catalog-online-undergraduate-programs.htm.

Ashford University is accredited by WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC), 985 Atlantic Avenue, Suite 100, Alameda, CA 94501, 510.748.9001, www.wascsenior.org

DEGREE MAP

2015-2016

Academic Year

Course Number	Ashford Introductory Course Requirement	Credits Transferred	Credits Required
+EXP 105	Personal Dimensions of Education	Cannot be Transferred	3

Houston Community College District
Associate of Arts Business (AA-B) - 60 Credits

Ashford University
Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration (BA-BA) - 120 Credits

General Education Course Equivalencies

Houston Community College District Recommended Course Numbers	Credits		Suggested Course No.	Required Competency / Subject Area	Credits	
		General Education Course Equivalencies	PSY 202	(P) Social and Personal Awareness	3	
			SOC 120	(A) Applied Ethics Competency	3	
ENGL 1301 - Composition I	3		ENG 121	(E1) Communication Competency I	3	
ENGL 1302 - Composition II	3		ENG 122	(E2) Communication Competency II	3	
			COM 200	(E3) Communication Competency III	3	
BCIS 1405 Business Computer Applications	4		INF 103	(T) Information Technology Competency	3	
			PHI 103	(I) Critical Thinking Competency	3	
Waived	N/A		MAT 221	(M1) Mathematics Competency Prerequisite	3	
MATH 1324 Finite Mathematics with Applications	3		MAT 222	(M2) Mathematics Competency	3	
			ENG 225	(C) Cultural and Aesthetic Awareness	3	
			ENG 125	(L) Literature	3	
Natural Science Elective (See HCC Core Approved List to select GE, choose 6 credits) : ANTH 2301, ASTR 1303, ASTR 1304, ASTR 1403, ASTR 1404, BIOL 1308, BIOL 1309, BIOL 1322, BIOL 1406, BIOL 1407, CHEM 1105, CHEM 1305, CHEM 1405, CHEM 1411, CHEM 1412, CHEM 1413, ENVR 1301, ENVR 1401, GEOG 1301, GEOL 1345, GEOL 1347, GEOL 1403, GEOL 1404, GEOL 1405, PHYS 1305, PHYS 1401, PHYS 1402, PHYS 2325, PHYS 2326	6		General Education Course Equivalencies	SCI 207	(S) Science	4
American History I (See HCC Core Approved List to select GE: HIST 1301, HIST 1302, HIST 2301, HIST 2328, HIST 2381)	3			HIS 206	(H) History	3
				ANT 101	(D) Diversity Awareness	3
GOVT 2305 - Federal Government	3	POL 201		(PS) Political Science	3	
		PHI 208		(HU) Humanities	3	
Cannot be transferred	N/A	GEN 499		(GE) General Education Capstone	3	
Total	25			**Total General Education Credits Required	52	

DEGREE MAP

2015-2016

Academic Year

Course Number	Ashford Introductory Course Requirement	Credits Transferred	Credits Required
+EXP 105	Personal Dimensions of Education	Cannot be Transferred	3

Houston Community College District
Associate of Applied Science in Accounting
(AAS-A) - 60-61 Credits

Ashford University
Bachelor of Arts in Accounting
(BA-ACC)- 120 CREDITS

General Education Course Equivalencies

Houston Community College District Recommended Course Numbers	Credits		Suggested Course No.	Required Competency / Subject Area	Credits
		General Education Course Equivalencies	PSY 202	(P) Social and Personal Awareness	3
			SOC 120	(A) Applied Ethics Competency	3
ENGL 1301 - Composition I	3		ENG 121	(E1) Communication Competency I	3
			ENG 122	(E2) Communication Competency II	3
			COM 200	(E3) Communication Competency III	3
Computer Applications Elective: Choose from the following courses: ITSC 1309, POFI 1301 or BCIS 1405	3		INF 103	(T) Information Technology Competency	3
			PHI 103	(I) Critical Thinking Competency	3
Waived	N/A		MAT 221	(M1) Mathematics Competency Prerequisite	3
			MAT 222	(M2) Mathematics Competency	3
			ENG 225	(C) Cultural and Aesthetic Awareness	3
			ENG 125	(L) Literature	3
			SCI 207	(S) Science	4
			HIS 206	(H) History	3
			ANT 101	(D) Diversity Awareness	3
		POL 201	(PS) Political Science	3	
		PHI 208	(HU) Humanities	3	
Cannot be transferred	N/A	GEN 499	(GE) General Education Capstone	3	
Total	6			**Total General Education Credits Required	52

Houston Community College District
AAS-A Major Core Transfer Options

Ashford University
BA-ACC Major Core Course Requirements

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Major Core Course Equivalencies	Course No.	Course Title	Credits
				*CGD 218	CGD 218 Visual Literacy in Business	3
ACCT 2301	Principles of Accounting I	3	Transfers For	ACC 205	Principles of Accounting I	3
ACCT 2302	Principles of Accounting II	3	Transfers For	ACC 206	Principles of Accounting II <i>Prerequisite: ACC 205</i>	3
				ACC 305	Intermediate Accounting I <i>Prerequisite: ACC 206</i>	3
				ACC 306	Intermediate Accounting II <i>Prerequisite: ACC 305</i>	3
				BUS 308	Statistics for Managers <i>Pre-requisite: Math Competency</i>	3
				ECO 204	Principles of Microeconomics	3
				BUS 401	Principles of Finance <i>Prerequisite: Math Competency, ACC 205 or ACC 208</i>	3
ACNT 2309	Cost Accounting	3	Transfers For	ACC 310	Cost Accounting I <i>Prerequisite: ACC 206</i>	3
				ACC 380	Accounting for Not-For-Profit Organizations <i>Prerequisite: ACC 206</i>	3
				BUS 311	Business Law I	3
				ACC 401	Federal Income Taxes I <i>Prerequisite: ACC 205</i>	3
				ACC 407	Advanced Accounting <i>Prerequisite: ACC 306 & ACC 310</i>	3
ACNT 2331	Internal Control and Auditing	3	Transfers For	ACC 410	Auditing <i>Prerequisite: ACC 306 & ACC 310 & GEN 499</i>	3
Major Core Credits Transferred				Major Credits Required for BA-Accounting at AU		
12				42		

Houston Community College District AAS-A courses to be applied as Electives at Ashford University

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
LEAD 1200	Workforce Development	2
PSYC 2301	Introduction to Psychology	3
ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
Student's Choice	Choose one course: ITSW 2334 Advanced Spreadsheets or POFI 1349 Spreadsheets	3
Student's Choice	Choose 6 credits from the Humanities/Fine Arts General Education Elective Core (these credits could transfer in as GE)	6
BUSG 2305	Business Law/Contracts	3
ACNT 2303	Intermediate Accounting I	3
ACNT 2304	Intermediate Accounting II	3
ACNT 1331	Federal Income Tax: Individual	3
ACNT 1382	Cooperative Education - Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping	3
BMGT 1327	Principles of Management	3
ACNT 1347	Federal Income Tax for Partnerships and Corporations	3
ACNT 2382	Cooperative Education - Accounting Technology/Technician and Bookkeeping	3
Student's Choice	Choose 3 credits from the Math/Natural Science/General Education Elective Core from HCCD (these credits could transfer in as GE)	3
Total to be transferred as Electives		44

AU Degree Requirements	AU Required Credits	Possible Transfer Credit Amount
General Education	† 52	6
Major Core Courses	† 42	12
Electives	29	44
Total	120	62

Ashford University Guidelines

+ EXP 105 Fulfills 3 credits toward total elective credit requirements and is required for online students.
 * Satisfies General Education Requirements.
 † In this program, 3 credits from the major may also satisfy General Education requirements.
 **If a student is transferring with an applicable AA/AS degree earned from Houston Community College District, student is accepted as fulfilling all General Education and Competency requirements of the Bachelors of Arts in Accounting, with the exception of Introductory courses (EXP 105 & PSY 202) and the General Education Capstone (GEN 499). See Ashford University Academic Catalog for all transfer credit policy.
 - General Education courses must be at least 2 credits in order to be considered transferable
 - 30 Credits AU Residency Required

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DEGREE MAP

2015-2016

Academic Year

Course Number	Ashford Introductory Course Requirement	Credits Transferred	Credits Required
+EXP 105	Personal Dimensions of Education	Cannot be Transferred	3

Houston Community College District
Associate of Applied Science in Child Development
(AAS-CD) - 62 Credits

Ashford University
Bachelor of Arts in Child Development
(BA-CD) - 120 Credits

General Education Course Equivalencies

Houston Community College District Recommended Course Numbers	Credits		Suggested Course No.	Required Competency / Subject Area	Credits
		General Education Course Equivalencies	PSY 202	(P) Social and Personal Awareness	3
			SOC 120	(A) Applied Ethics Competency	3
ENGL 1301 - Composition I	3		ENG 121	(E1) Communication Competency I	3
			ENG 122	(E2) Communication Competency II	3
			COM 200	(E3) Communication Competency III	3
			GEN 103	(T) Information Technology Competency	3
			PHI 103	(I) Critical Thinking Competency	3
Waived	N/A		MAT 221	(M1) Mathematics Competency Prerequisite	3
			MAT 222	(M2) Mathematics Competency	3
			ENG 225	(C) Cultural and Aesthetic Awareness	3
		General Education Course Equivalencies	ENG 125	(L) Literature	3
			SCI 207	(S) Science	4
			HIS 206	(H) History	3
			ANT 101	(D) Diversity Awareness	3
GOVT 2301 - Government I	3		POL 201	(PS) Political Science	3
			PHI 208	(HU) Humanities	3
Cannot be transferred	N/A		GEN 499	(GE) General Education Capstone	3
Total	6				**Total General Education Credits Required

Houston Community College District
AAS -CD Major Core Transfer Options

Ashford University
BA-CD Major Core Course Requirements

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Major Core Course Equivalencies	Course No.	Course Title	Credits
				EDU 100	Issues in Education <i>Prerequisites: GEN 103 and ENG 122</i>	3
TECA 1354	Child Growth and Development	3	Transfers For	PSY 104	Child & Adolescent Development	3
				ECE 205	Introduction to Child Development	3
TECA 1303	Family, School and Community	3	Transfers For	SOC 312	Child, Family & Society	3
CDEC 1356	Emergent Literacy for Early Childhood	3	Transfers For	ECE 315	Language Development in Young Children	3
CDEC 1359	Children with Special Needs	3	Transfers For	ESE 315	Survey of Exceptional Students	3
				ECE 332	Child Development	3
				ECE 353	Cognitive Development of Infants & Young Children	3
				ECE 354	Assessment & Intervention During Early Childhood	3
				ECE 355	Understanding Behavior & Family Dynamics	3
				ECE 311	Early Childhood Curriculum & Methods	3
				ECE 351	Play & Learning for the Young Child	3
				ECE 497	Child Development Capstone <i>Prerequisite: GEN 499</i>	3
Major Core Credits Transferred				Major Credits Required for BA-Child Development at AU		
				12		
				39		

Houston Community College District AAS-CD courses to be applied as Electives at Ashford University

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
EDUC 1300	Learning Framework	3
PSYC 2301	Introduction to Psychology	3
Student's Choice	Choose 3 credits from the Math/Natural Science General Education Elective Core from HCCD (these credits could transfer in as GE)	3
Student's Choice	Choose 3 credits from the Humanities/Fine Arts General Education Elective Core from HCC (these credits could transfer in as GE)	3
Student's Choice	Directed Elective may be chosen from the list: CDEC 1317, 1321, 1339, 1391, 1393, 2322, 2324, 2328, 2341; BUSG 1370 and BMGT 1301; POFI 1301, ITSC 1309, or BCIS 1405, all EDUC courses. Alternative electives may be chosen with prior departmental approval.	6
CDEC 1313	Curriculum Resources for Early Childhood Programs	3
TECA 1311	Educating Young Children	3
CDEC 1323	Observation and Assessment	3
ECDEC 2326	Administration of Programs for Children I	3
CDEC 1319	Child Guidance	3
CDEC 2307	Math and Science for Early Childhood	3
TECA 1318	Wellness of the Young Child	3
CDEC 1358	Creative Arts for Early Childhood	3
CDEC 2380	Cooperative Education - Child Care Provider/Assistant	3
Total to be transferred as Electives		45

AU Degree Requirements	AU Required Credits	Possible Transfer Credit Amount
General Education	+ 52	6
Major Core Courses	+ 36	12
Electives	32	45
Total	120	62

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+ EXP 105 Fulfills 3 credits toward total elective credit requirements and is required for online students. * Satisfies General Education Requirements.

† In this program, 0 credits from the major may also satisfy General Education requirements.

**If a student is transferring with an applicable AA/AS degree earned from Houston Community College District, student is accepted as fulfilling all General Education and Competency requirements of the Bachelors of Arts in Child Development, with the exception of Introductory courses (EXP 105 & PSY 202) and the General Education Capstone (GEN 499). See Ashford University Academic Catalog for all transfer credit policy.

- General Education courses must be at least 2 credits in order to be considered transferable

- 30 Credits AU Residency Required

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Course Number	Ashford Introductory Course Requirement	Credits Transferred	Credits Required
+EXP 105	Personal Dimensions of Education	Cannot be Transferred	3

Houston Community College District
Associate of Applied Science in Juvenile Justice
(AAS - JJ) 64 Credits

Ashford University
Bachelor of Arts in Social and Criminal Justice
(BA-SCJ)- 120 Credits

General Education Course Equivalencies

Houston Community College Recommended Course Numbers	Credits	General Education Course Equivalencies	Suggested Course No.	Required Competency / Subject Area	Credits
				PSY 202	(P) Social and Personal Awareness
PHIL 2306 - Introduction to Ethics	3	General Education Course Equivalencies	SOC 120	(A) Applied Ethics Competency	3
ENGL 1301 - Composition I	3		ENG 121	(E1) Communication Competency I	3
			ENG 122	(E2) Communication Competency II	3
SPCH 1311- Fundamentals of Speech	3		COM 200	(E3) Communication Competency III	3
Choose a tleast 3 credist from Computer Applications Electives: ITSC 1309 (3), POFI 1301 (3), BCIS 1405 (4)	3-4		INF 103	(T) Information Technology Competency	3
Waived	N/A		PHI 103	(I) Critical Thinking Competency	3
MATH 1314 - College Algebra	3		MAT 221	(M1) Mathematics Competency Prerequisite	3
			MAT 222	(M2) Mathematics Competency	3
			ENG 225	(C) Cultural and Aesthetic Awareness	3
			ENG 125	(L) Literature	3
		SCI 207	(S) Science	4	
		HIS 206	(H) History	3	
SNGL 1401 - American Sign Language (ASL) Beginning I	4	General Education Course Equivalencies	ANT 101	(D) Diversity Awareness	3
GOVT 2301 - American Government	3		POL 201	(PS) Political Science	3
			PHI 208	(HU) Humanities	3
Cannot be transferred	N/A		GEN 499	(GE) General Education Capstone	3
Total	22-23		**Total General Education Credits Required		52

Houston Community College District
AAS -JJ Major Core Transfer Options

Course No.	Course Title	Credits	Major Core Course Equivalencies
CRJU 1301	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3	Transfers For
CRJU 1313	Juvenile Justice Systems	3	Transfers For
Major Core Credits Transferred		6	

Ashford University
BA - SCJ Major Core Course Requirements

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
*SOC 120	Introduction to Ethics and Social Responsibility	3
*POL 303	The American Constitution	3
CRJ 201	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
SOC 305	Crime & Society	3
*SOC 331	Social Justice and Ethics	3
CRJ 308	Psychology of Criminal Behavior	3
CRJ 305	Crime Prevention	3
CRJ 301	Juvenile Justice	3
CRJ 306	Criminal Law & Procedure	3
CRJ 311	Forensics	3
*CRJ 303	Corrections	3
CRJ 422	Criminal Justice Capstone <i>Pre-requisite: GEN 499</i>	3
Major Credits Required for BA-Social and Criminal Justice at AU		36

Houston Community College District AAS-JJ courses to be applied as Electives at Ashford University

Course No.	Course Title	Credits
PSYC 2301	Introduction to Psychology	3
SOCI 1301	Introduction to Sociology	3
ENGL 2311	Technical & Industrial Correspondence & Report Writing I	3
CRJU 1310	Fundamentals of Criminal Law	3
CRJU 1306	The Courts and Criminal Procedure	3
CRJU 2301	Community Resources in Corrections	3
CJSA 1393	Special Topics in Criminal Justice Studies	3
CJSA 2364	Practicum -Criminal Justice Studies	3
GOVT 2302	American Government II	3
Student's Choice	Choose 4 credits from Foreign Language Elective Core from HCCD (these credits could transfer in as GE)	4
Student's Choice	Choose 3 credits from the Humanities/Fine Arts General Education Elective Core from HCCD (these credits could transfer in as GE)	3
Total to be transferred as Electives		34

AU Degree Requirements	AU Required Credits	Possible Transfer Credit Amount
General Education	+ 52	22-23
Major Core Courses	+ 36	6
Electives	41	34
Total	120	62-63

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 * Satisfies General Education Requirements.
 † In this program, 9 credits from the major may also satisfy General Education requirements.
 **If a student is transferring with an applicable AA/AS degree earned from Houston Community College District, student is accepted as fulfilling all General Education and Competency requirements of the Bachelors of Arts in Social and Criminal Justice, with the exception of Introductory courses (EXP 105 & PSY 202) and the General Education Capstone (GEN 499). See Ashford University Academic Catalog for all transfer credit policy.
 - General Education courses must be at least 2 credits in order to be considered transferable
 - 30 Credits AU Residency Required

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