

# SUNY TRANSFER PATHS

**May 11, 2026 | Managing Transfer Paths**

# Agenda

- Overview of Paths
- Tool Overview
- Data Sources and Campus Roles
- Reports
- Review Process Principles
- Submitting and Editing Information

# Curricular Alignment - Principles

- Associate and baccalaureate faculty collaboratively develop paths
- New and revised programs must align with transfer paths
  - SUNY general education requirements must be able to be completed **within the first 60 credits**
  - Foundational courses in the major in A.A. and A.S. programs **sufficient for junior status** as defined by the Transfer Paths
  - Must be able to complete baccalaureate degree **within two additional years of full-time study**

# Transfer Path Principles

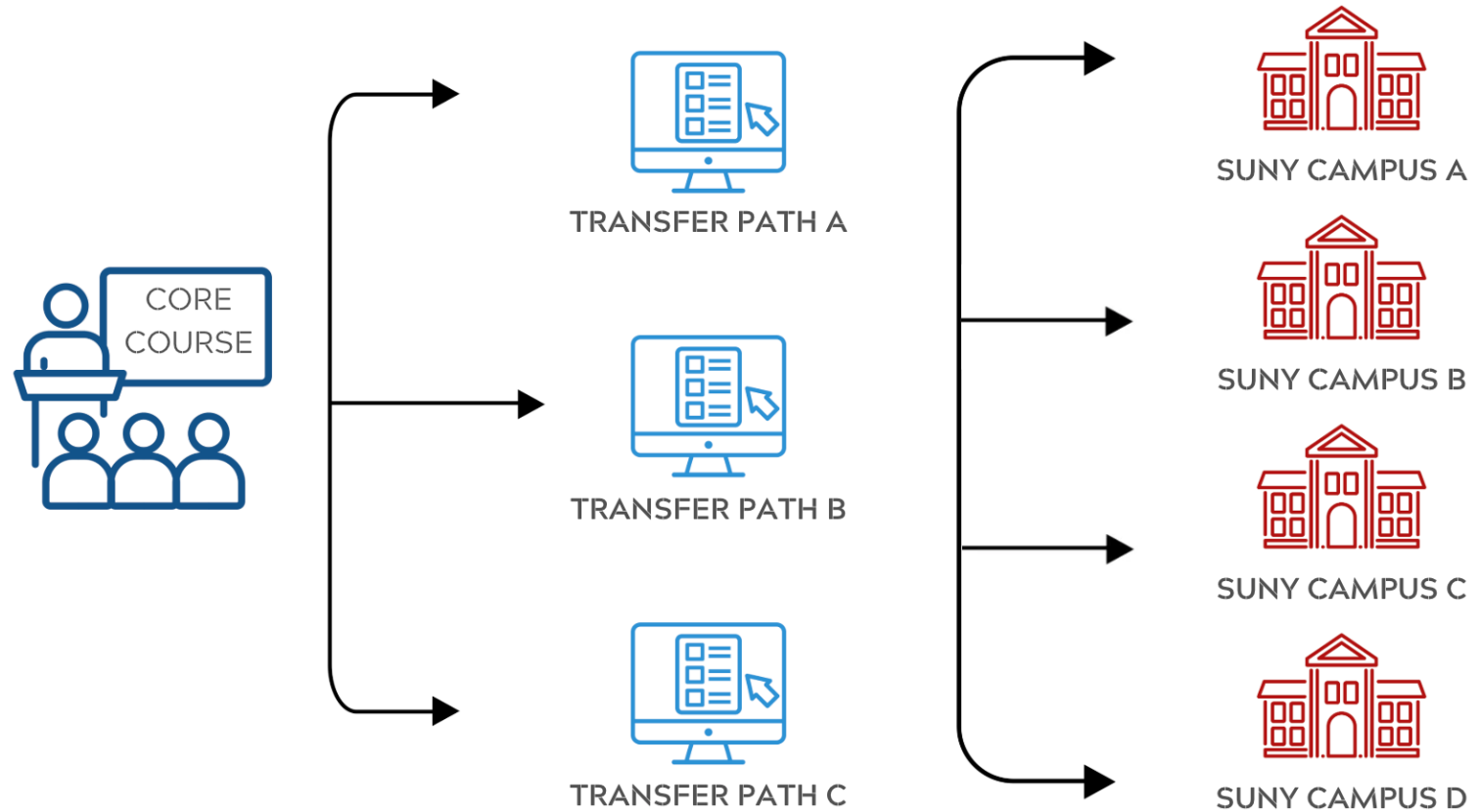
- Credit Transfer Assurance
- Time and Cost Efficiency
- Academic Preparation
- Advising and Support
- Equity and Improved Access

# VS Articulation Agreements

- The intent of an articulation agreement is to facilitate transfer between a specific major at a community college and a specific major at a four-year college
- An agreement is structured to allow a community college student to complete an associate's degree and then transfer to the four-year institution with full junior status
- More prescribed than a transfer path, often with cross-campus support and advising and specific courses and course sequences

# Core Courses

- Campuses are required to accept aligned Core Courses when students transfer
  - Comparable to gateway courses in principle
  - 126 defined core course descriptions



# How are Core Courses Obtained?

- Core Courses are [Campus Provided](#)
- 2022 Cleanup Process
- Former (Manual) Records Converted in 24-25
- Campuses can Directly Edit and Maintain
- SIRIS Indicator
  - Minority of Campuses
  - Only a Y/N Indicator
  - Not a Required Field
- Descriptions via Uwide Catalog

STEP Status	
Status:	Active
Review Records:	<a href="#">Campus Equivs</a>
File Upload:	<a href="#">Upload</a>
Statistical Region:	TBD
TPATH SIRIS Ind:	Y

# Campus Core Course Identification


- Campuses maintain their own processes for determining aligned courses based on the descriptions and outcomes
- Courses are updated online by campus-designated representatives and SUNY Transfer Liaisons
- Online comprehensive listing of Core Course descriptions and equivalents

# Campus Roles and Processes

- Campuses are responsible for maintaining core courses that plug into transfer paths
  - Annual Review of Core Courses
  - OTA to Send Reports in April Annually (New)
    - Inactive Courses
    - Renamed, Re-numbered Courses
    - New Courses and Topics Courses

# Transfer Path Public Pages

SUNY.EDU Home Course Search Transfer Paths Help



## SUNY Transfer Paths

SUNY has created SUNY Transfer Paths which summarize the common lower division requirements shared by SUNY campuses within most major disciplines. SUNY Transfer Paths help you identify the SUNY Core Courses that will give you a head start in a four-year program. Following a path when you start your college career ensures that you can start strong and make consistent progress. As part of SUNY's Seamless Transfer policies, SUNY guarantees that Transfer Path Core Courses will be accepted in transfer path major programs.

### Transfer Path Guides

Use transfer path guides to gain an in-depth understanding of transfer paths and the core courses that should be pursued when completing your first 60 credits or first two years. Guides include important additional information and guidance, including prerequisite information, optional or suggested additional courses, and the sequence of coursework.

[Access Transfer Path Guides >](#)

### Transfer Path Planner

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### Transfer Paths

Transfer paths are sets of common courses, that when taken prior to transferring to a four-year program, are guaranteed to transfer and apply to an aligned major.

### Transfer Path Guarantee

The SUNY Seamless Transfer policy guarantees that all courses identified as Core Courses will transfer in programs aligned with the SUNY Transfer Path when completed with a C or better.

### Widely Available

SUNY Transfer Paths cover over 80% of majors by applying to a broad range of disciplines. Each new or revised major in the SUNY System aligns with a SUNY Transfer path where one exists in the major discipline. Aligning with transfer paths means programs can be completed within 4 total years of study when a student transfers.

### Core Courses


When a student transfers, core courses can be completed within 4 total years of study when a student transfers.

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## Clinton: Criminal Justice/Criminology Transfer Path

The lower-division major courses for your selected discipline can be fulfilled at Clinton using the courses identified below. Please review the corresponding SUNY Transfer Path documentation to determine which combination of these courses is recommended. You are encouraged to learn more about transfer path options, policies and support available at Clinton by using the [Support Directory](#).



Core Course Category ①	Clinton Course ①	Notes
Criminology	<a href="#">SOC104</a>	
Introduction to Criminal Justice	<a href="#">CRI101</a>	
Introduction to Law	<a href="#">CRI201</a>	
Introduction to Psychology	<a href="#">PSY101</a>	
Introduction to Sociology	<a href="#">SOC101</a>	
Introduction to Statistics	<a href="#">MAT161</a>	
Policing	<a href="#">CRI210</a>	
The Corrections Process	<a href="#">CRI208</a>	
Research Methods	No Course Identified	

# Reports and Troubleshooting

FACULTY/STAFF ▾ ADMIN ▾ HELP

TRANSFER HUB

PUBLIC COMMENT AND FEEDBACK

TRANSFER EVENTS / CALENDAR

TRAINING, EVENTS & PRESENTATIONS

CAMPUS ADMIN

STEP Business Intelligence

View various reports, charts and access critical STEP data using the BI tools located here.

[View Resources](#)

## Transfer Path Report

The following report provides detailed information about SUNY Transfer Paths and associated core courses. If you are a campus curriculum manager or transfer path manager and require changes or updates to your campus courses, please [access our support guides and materials](#) to learn how.

[Courses by Campus](#) [Path Details](#) [Core Course List](#)

### Campus Courses

The following report provides a listing of core courses provided by each campus. Use the filter drop-down fields to filter by campus and/or course. Local course titles, if available, are derived from the University-wide catalog obtained via the SIRIS process.

Filter by Campus  ▾  
CTRL or CMD + Click for Multiple Selections

Filter by Core Course  ▾  
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ID	Core Course	Campus	Course 1	Local Title 1	Course 2	Local Title 2
1	2D Design (Design I)	Binghamton	ARTS210	Graphic Design I		
2	3D Design (Design II, Sculpture I)	Binghamton	ARTS230	Sculpture I		
4	Abnormal Psychology	Binghamton	PSYC223	Behavior Disorders		
7	Analytical Chemistry (with lab)	Binghamton	CHEM221	Analytical Chemistry		
8	Analytical Physics I (with lab)	Binghamton	PHYS131	Gen. Physics II(Calculus Based)		
9	Analytical Physics II (with lab)	Binghamton	PHYS132	Gen.Physics II(Calculus Based)		
10	Anatomy and Physiology I (with lab)	Binghamton	BIOL251	Human Anatomy and Physiol...		
11	Anatomy and Physiology II (with lab)	Binghamton	BIOL252			
12	Art of the Western World I (Ancient ...	Binghamton	ARTH110	Introduction to Art History I		
13	Art of the Western World II (Renaiss...	Binghamton	ARTH111	Introduction to Art History II		
15	Art of the Western World I (Ancient ...	Binghamton	ARTH110	Introduction to Art History I		
11	Anatomy and Physiology I (with lab)	Binghamton	BIOL251	Human Anatomy and Physiol...		



# Campus Editing

## Manage Transfer Paths

Access the campus profile page to edit the transfer path rules and to display rules for your campus.

Path Management

## Transfer Path Management

System Status

Home / Campus Administrators and Liaisons / Transfer Path Management

Office of Transfer and Articulation | You have editing privileges for **Monroe**.

Select a course below to review your campus mapping and to add, edit or remove courses.

2D Design

Submit

### View Recently Submitted Requests for Your Campus

Campus Course	Date	Path ID	Submitted By	Change Type
CSC 101	2026-01-09 11:42:15	282	Thomas Hanford (Proxy, Monroe)	
CSC 103	2026-01-09 11:42:41	283	Thomas Hanford (Proxy, Monroe)	

CSC 103 2026-01-09 11:42:41 283 Thomas Hanford (Proxy, Monroe)

# Questions or Support

- <https://step.transfer.suny.edu/help/>
- [sunytransfer@suny.edu](mailto:sunytransfer@suny.edu)