



Transfer student guide

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Arizona State University

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Transfer student checklist

○ Apply to Arizona State University

Include any former last names you've used previously on your application to guarantee the fastest processing time.

students.asu.edu/apply

○ Activate My ASU and your ASURITE user ID

You will receive your ASURITE user ID and activation code via email within one to three business days of submitting your application to ASU. Follow the included instructions to activate your ID. If you have previously applied to ASU, your ASURITE user ID will remain the same.

my.asu.edu

○ Send your transcripts to ASU

Submit your official transcripts from any previously attended institutions to ASU.

admissions.asu.edu/apply/transcripts

○ Complete the FAFSA application

Fill out the optional Free Application for Federal Student Aid to determine how much federal financial aid you're eligible to receive. Arizona State University's federal school code is 001081.

fafsa.gov

○ Pay your enrollment deposit

Confirm your place in ASU's incoming class by submitting your enrollment deposit via My ASU. Then, be sure to check My ASU often for any Priority Tasks you need to complete to enroll in courses.

my.asu.edu

○ Apply for scholarships

MLFTC Scholarship Portal

In addition to the FAFSA, another great resource for financial assistance is the MLFTC Scholarship Portal. Submit one online application to apply for all MLFTC scholarships for which you are eligible.

education.asu.edu/scholarship-portal

ASU Scholarship Portal

Use ASU's Scholarship Portal to filter scholarships to your specific circumstances. Each scholarship on the ASU Scholarship Portal will require its own application.

students.asu.edu/scholarships

Transfer Achievement Award (Arizona residents only)

To be automatically considered for the Transfer Achievement Award, you must submit an ASU admission application, application fee and transcripts from each school you've attended by Jan. 15 for fall and Oct. 1 for spring.

admission.asu.edu/transfer/transfer-achievement-award

○ Check out the ASU Transfer Guide

Take the guesswork out of transferring and find out how your credits apply to your ASU degree by building a course-by-course transfer map with MyPath2ASU®. Track your degree progress, request course evaluations, save course and exam search, and more.

tcg.asu.edu



Paying for college

Arizona State University's Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College can help financially support your college education while you attend one of the country's top-ranked colleges of education.

ASU scholarships and grants

More than 84% of ASU undergraduate students receive some form of financial aid, including Federal Pell Grants and scholarships.

Discover ASU aid options at admission.asu.edu/cost-aid

MLFTC scholarships and grants

In addition to the academic and need-based scholarships ASU offers, MLFTC also offers financial aid through its own scholarship portal which is available to all admitted students.

Explore financial aid options and access the MLFTC Scholarship portal at education.asu.edu/paying-for-college

Submit the 2025-26 FAFSA

Visit fafsa.gov and submit your 2025-26 Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

Regardless of your family income, all students are encouraged to apply for the FAFSA. You might be surprised at what you're eligible to receive.

ASU's Federal School Code: 001081

Earn while at ASU

Several options are available for paid student worker positions while you attend ASU.

- Federal Work-Study is a need-based program that encourages community service work related to your course of study.
- ASU hourly employment is available throughout the year and new jobs are posted daily.
- Education at Work is a nonprofit organization that partners with local employers to fill customer service positions with ASU students.

Learn more about ASU student employment opportunities at students.asu.edu/employment



Useful links for transfer students

Admission Services
admission.asu.edu/apply/transfer

My ASU tutorial
students.asu.edu/myasututorial

My ASU
my.asu.edu

Transfer Guide
tcg.asu.edu

Student Accessibility and Inclusive Learning Services
eoss.asu.edu/accessibility

Financial Aid and Scholarship Services
tuition.asu.edu

ASU Student Success Center
success.asu.edu

Global Education Office
goglobal.asu.edu

Pat Tillman Veterans Center
veterans.asu.edu

Housing
housing.asu.edu



Transfer timeline

Spring 2025 admission

Now

Submit your ASU application for spring 2025 admission

Submit the 2024-25 FAFSA application to be considered for aid for spring 2025

Fall 2024

Applications for MLFTC scholarships open for the 2025-26 academic year

The 2025-26 FAFSA application opens

Submit your final official transcripts to ASU

January 2025

Spring classes begin

Fall 2025 admission

Now

Submit your ASU application for fall 2025 admission

Fall 2024

Applications for MLFTC scholarships open for the 2025-26 academic year

The 2025-26 FAFSA application opens

Spring 2025

April 15 is the deadline for undergraduate students to apply for MLFTC scholarships for the 2025-26 academic year

Submit your final official transcripts to ASU

August 2025

Fall classes begin



Undergraduate bachelor's degrees, minors and certificates

Bachelor's degrees, non-certification

Degree information	Location
★ Applied Science (Early Childhood Studies), BAS	
★ Educational Studies, BAE	
★ Educational Studies (Early Childhood Studies), BAE	
Educational Studies (Instructional Design), BAE	

★ Offered as an accelerated 4+1 program. The accelerated 4+1 program offers highly committed undergraduate students the option to combine undergraduate degree requirements with graduate coursework, allowing them to earn both a bachelor's and master's degree in less time.

What advice would you give incoming students?

“Ask for help and support if you need it. The professors and support teams are all in your corner. They have helped me tremendously get through my time at ASU. Make friends with educators in a different category of education. You can learn a lot from your peers and they can become your best allies.”



Araceli G.
Special Education, BAE, '24

Undergraduate minors and certificates

Program	Credential	Location
Behavior Analysis	Minor	
Bilingual Education and English as a Second Language	Certificate	
Early Childhood Education	Certificate	
Early Childhood Education	Minor	
Early Childhood Special Education	Certificate	
Educational Studies	Minor	
Elementary Education	Certificate	
Environmental Education	Certificate	
Instructional Design	Minor	
Mild/Moderate Special Education	Certificate	
Secondary Education	Certificate	

Students should collaborate with their academic advisor to determine their eligibility for programs of interest.

Bachelor’s degrees leading to teacher certification

Degree with Arizona certification and endorsement information	Location
Early Childhood Education, BAE Early Childhood certification, birth–grade 3 or age 8 Structured English Immersion PK-12 endorsement	T S
Elementary Education, BAE Elementary Education certification, grades K–8	T W S
Elementary Multilingual Education, BAE Elementary Education certification, grades K–8 Either bilingual education or English as a second language endorsement	T
Middle Grades Education, BAE Middle Grades Education certification, grades 5–9 Structured English Immersion PK-12 endorsement	T
Physical Education, BAE Physical Education certification, grades PK-12 Structured English Immersion PK-12 endorsement	T
Secondary Education, BAE Secondary Education certification, grades 6–12	T W S
Secondary Education (Biological Sciences), BAE Secondary Education certification, grades 6–12	T W
Secondary Education (English), BAE Secondary Education certification, grades 6–12	T W
Secondary Education (History), BAE Secondary Education certification, grades 6–12	T W
Secondary Education (Mathematics), BAE Secondary Education certification, grades 6–12	T W
Special Education, BAE Mild/Moderate Disabilities Special Education certification, grades PK-12	T S

Teacher certification process

Students who graduate with a bachelor’s degree leading to teacher certification **receive an institutional recommendation from ASU for the listed teacher certification from the Arizona Department of Education.**

Endorsements are attachments to teaching certificates and indicate areas of specialization. Optional endorsements may be required by local governing boards.

Those desiring to teach in a public school must pass the appropriate educator exams (National Evaluation Series or Arizona Educator Proficiency Assessments) to be certified to teach in the state of Arizona. Visit azed.gov/educator-certification to learn more about educator certification in Arizona.



Broaden your knowledge and expand your opportunities.

Students in degree programs that lead to teacher certification can customize their degrees through two different types of specializations: certificate specializations and interest-area specializations.

Certificate specializations For students who would like to achieve an additional credential from an *external agency.	Interest-area specializations For students who would like to broaden their knowledge with additional classes outside of their major.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bilingual Education or English as a Second Language Bilingual Education or English as a Second Language endorsement, grades PK-12 • Early Childhood Early Childhood Education certificate, birth–grade 3 or age 8 • Early Childhood Special Education Early Childhood Special Education certificate, birth–grade 3 • Elementary Education Elementary Education certificate, grades K–8 • Environmental Education Environmental Education certificate from the North American Association for Environmental Education • Mild/Moderate Special Education Mild/Moderate Special Education certificate, grades K-12 • Secondary Education Secondary Education certificate, grades 6–12 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Additional Languages • Athletic Coaching • Behavior Analysis • Civic Engagement • Counseling • Family and Human Development • Global Studies • Indigenous Communities • Justice, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion • Leadership • Personal Health and Wellness • Spanish • STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) • Student Welfare and Advocacy • Sustainability • Workforce Development

* The credentials (teaching certificate or endorsement) are awarded by the Arizona Department of Education, unless otherwise noted.

T Tempe campus
ASU's Tempe campus is home to Sun Devil Athletics and offers a bustling, classic-campus atmosphere.

W West Valley campus
ASU's West Valley campus boasts a small, close-knit environment in a beautiful campus setting.

S ASU Sync
ASU Sync provides students with live-hosted real time remote classes and offers the benefits of face-to-face instruction in an interactive online group learning environment.

O ASU Online
ASU Online features asynchronous online courses and provides high-quality online education to students from across the country and around the world.

Transferring to ASU? **Plan your transfer with MyPath2ASU®**

MyPath2ASU® allows you to create a seamless transfer experience to ASU after earning college or university credits or an associate degree. Choose a pathway to an on-campus, ASU Sync, or ASU Online degree program and have access to personalized benefits to help navigate the transfer experience while staying on track towards earning a bachelor's degree.
admission.asu.edu/mypath2asu



Transfer with confidence

Transfer to a university that welcomes and values the diversity and life experiences of transfer students. Mary Lou Fulton Teachers College offers a comprehensive network of academic, financial and social opportunities designed for the success of all students.

Top 5 MLFTC degrees MyPath2ASU® students transfer to:

- 1 Elementary Education, BAE
- 2 Educational Studies, BAE
- 3 Secondary Education (History), BAE
- 4 Early Childhood Education, BAE
- 5 Educational Studies
(Early Childhood Studies), BAE

Top Arizona community colleges students transfer from:

- 1 Chandler Gilbert Community College
- 2 Glendale Community College
- 3 Mesa Community College
- 4 Estrella Mountain Community College
- 5 Phoenix College

“ The MLFTC advising teams do an amazing job at finding solutions when there was a conflict in course scheduling, as well as making sure you’re on track to graduate. ”

Joselin C.

Secondary Education (Mathematics), BAE, 23



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