



Associate in Science (AS) to BS Fashion Merchandising & Consumer Studies

The sequence below is contingent on the student completing the AS degree from a college in the North Carolina Community College System.

	ECU Course	ECU S.H.	NCCC S.H.	NCCCS Course Equivalent
Freshman Year				
Fall Semester	COAD 1xxx	1	1	ACA 122
	ENGL 1100 (WI) ¹	3	3	ENG 111
	Natural Sciences	4	4	UGETC Course
	Social Science <i>PSYC 1000 Rec.</i>	3	3	UGETC Course <i>PSY 150</i>
	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>HLTH 1000/KINE 1000 Rec.</i> ²	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective <i>HEA 110</i> ²
	Total:	14	14	
Spring Semester	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	3	UGETC Course
	Social Science <i>ECON 2113 Rec.</i>	3	3	UGETC Course <i>ECO 251</i>
	Math <i>MATH 1065 Rec.</i>	4	4	UGETC Course <i>MAT 171</i>
	CAA GEN ED	5	5	CAA GEN ED
	Total:	15	15	
Sophomore Year				
Fall Semester	ENGL 2201 (WI) ¹	3	3	ENG 112
	Natural Sciences	4	4	UGETC Course
	Humanities/Fine Arts	3	3	UGETC Course
	CAA GEN ED	3	3	CAA GEN ED
	CAA Premajor/Elective	3	3	CAA Premajor/Elective
	Total:	16	16	
Spring Semester	Math	4	4	UGETC Course
	CAA GEN ED	3	3	CAA GEN ED
	CAA Premajor/Elective	8	8	CAA Premajor/Elective
	Total:	15	15	
Junior Year				
Fall Semester	MRCH 1135	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 2034/2035	4	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 2239 (DD) ³	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 3300	3	-	No Equivalent
	Minor or Certificate Courses	3	-	ECU or CC Transferrable Courses*
	Total:	16	0	
Spring Semester	MRCH 2350	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 2500	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 2883	1	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 3050	3	-	No Equivalent
	Minor or Certificate Courses	6	-	ECU or CC Transferrable Courses*
	Total:	16	0	
Senior Year				

Fall Semester	MRCH 3200	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 3350	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 3400	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 3883	2	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 4300 (WI) ¹ (GD) ³	3	-	No Equivalent
	Minor or Certificate Courses	3	-	ECU or CC Transferrable Courses*
	Total:	17	0	
Spring Semester	MRCH 3003 OR 4209	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 4350	3	-	No Equivalent
	Minor or Certificate Courses	12	-	ECU or CC Transferrable Courses*
	Total:	18	0	
Supplemental Term				
Summer, Fall or Spring	MRCH 4883 (WI) ¹	3	-	No Equivalent
	MRCH 4999	3	-	No Equivalent
	Total:	6	0	

Minimum S.H. Required for Degree 120

*Transferrable courses taken at the two year institution may count towards electives/minor/certificate.

The Bachelor of Science in Fashion Merchandising and Consumer Studies requires a minimum of 120 semester hours. ECU requires a minimum 2.0 overall GPA and a minimum 2.0 major GPA for graduation. Throughout the program, students must make a C (2.0) or better in all MRCH major courses. In order to register for all 4000-level courses, student must have a minimum overall 2.5 GPA.

¹Students enrolling at ECU must fulfill the writing across the curriculum requirement prior to graduation. To do so, each student must complete a minimum of 12 semester hours of writing intensive (WI) courses, including ENGL 1100 and ENGL 2201; at least 3 semester hours of WI courses in the major; and any other 3 semester hours WI course of the student's choice.

²Students who have successfully completed HEA 110 since the Fall 2016 term will earn ECU credit for both HLTH 1000 (2 hours) and KINE 1000 (1 hour). Students who completed HEA 110 prior to the Fall 2016 term and who have not also taken PED 110 will be responsible for meeting the Health-Related Physical Activity Competency component of the ECU General Education Program to meet degree requirements.

³Students enrolling at ECU are required to complete two three-hour diversity courses: one course with a domestic diversity (DD) focus and one with a global diversity (GD) focus. Courses that transfer to ECU as equivalent to an ECU course that is approved for diversity credit receive diversity credit. Transfer courses that are not equivalent to existing ECU diversity courses may be approved for diversity credit by the General Education and Instructional Effectiveness Committee. For a list of ECU courses that carry the DD and GD designation, visit the ECU catalog: <https://catalog.ecu.edu>

This plan reflects the degree program's requirements published in the 2018-2019 university catalog. All guides are meant as an example of how a degree can be completed. Course availability, prior credit, course prerequisites, major requirements, and student needs must be considered in developing an individual academic pathway.

Key:
UGETC - Universal General Education Transfer Component courses
CAA GEN ED - Additional General Education Hours (AA requires 13-14 hours; AS requires 11 hours)
Pre-Major/Elective - Courses classified as pre-major, electives, or general education courses within the CAA, of which ACA 122 is required