

Anthropology Bachelor of Arts

Effective beginning Academic Year 2022-23 (Last revised November 23, 2022)

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology degree at the University of Akron for students who completed an Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Anthropology Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENGL 111	3
Introductory Statistics (TMM010) recommended	STAT 260	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Cultural Anthropology (OSS001) or any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	ANTH 101 or Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course (except anthropology if OSS001 is taken for Course 1)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Biological Sciences course with lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENGL 112	3
Up to 9 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses¹	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	9
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Cultural Anthropology (OSS001) ²	ANTH 101	0
Physical/Biological Anthropology (OSS002)	ANTH 105	4
Archaeology/World Prehistory (OSS003)	ANTH 110	3
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		,
World Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives ³	Varies*	6-9
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:		60-65

Advising Notes:

(*) Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded.

¹The University of Akron recommends an Ohio Transfer 36 approved course in public speaking. If not taken as part of the associate degree, students will need to complete this requirement at the University of Akron.

² Fulfills University of Akron's Global Diversity requirement

³ Taking Classics Ohio Transfer 36 approved Humanities courses is recommended if possible as these classes will provide students with a strong foundation for one of the minors offered in Anthropology.



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The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology degree at the University of Akron after a student has completed their Associate of Arts Ohio Guaranteed Anthropology Transfer Pathway degree. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSEW	ORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
Major Core:	Introduction to Anthropological Data (offered every fall)	ANTH 400	3
Major Core:	Anthropological Theory or Archaeological Theory (offered in alternative springs; either will fulfill the Critical Thinking requirement)	ANTH 405 or ANTH 407	3
Major Electives:	21 additional credit hours from 300/400 level Anthropology divisions: Cultural, Biological, Archaeological or Classical Studies. Must take one course from three of the four categories (See lists on next page)	Varies	21
College Requirement:	Intermediate World Language Sequence ¹	201 and 202	6-8
General Education:	Complex Systems Requirement ²	ANTH 370 or ANTH 320 or ANTH 457 or ANTH 460	3-4
General Education:	Domestic Diversity Requirement ²	ANTH 358	3
Electives:	Open upper-level electives to reach 120 credits	Varies	18
REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:3			60-65

Advising Notes:

³The University of Akron requires a total of 120 credit hours for degree completion with 40 of the credit hours at the 300/400 level. The total number of hours to complete a bachelor's degree represents a range of hours that may be needed depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	120

SPECIAL NOTES

For more information, please contact: Transfer and Adult Student Enrollment Center transfer@uakron.edu (330) 972-7676 https://www.uakron.edu/transfer/index.dot

¹ Assumes that the student has completed the first two semesters of selected world language prior to entering the University of Akron. The world language should be one that is offered at University of Akron.

²This course may be satisified by certain major selections listed above or other options. The anthropology department strongly recommends that those courses be in Anthropology, Archaeology, or Classical Studies to facilitate time for degree completion. Please work closely with your academic advisor.



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The following courses are concentrations in the Anthropology major at The University of Akron. Students should work with their academic advisor in selecting courses for their program of study.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONCENTRATION	Course Number	Credit Hours
Archeology of Greece	ANTH 313	3
Archeology of Rome	ANTH 314	3
Historical Archeology	ANTH 300	3
Egyptology	ANTH 345	3
Ancient Near Eastern Archeology	ANTH 360	3
Archaeological Theory	ANTH 407	3
Archaeogeophysical Survey	ANTH 410	3
Archaeology of Ohio	ANTH 340	3
Archaeological Laboratory Methods	ANTH 440	3
Archaeological Field School	ANTH 450	1-6
Special Topics in Archaeology	ANTH 472	1-6
Senior Honors Topics in Archaeology	ANTH 499	1-6
Archaeological Geology	GEOL 405	3
Geographic Information Systems	GEOG 405	3
Basic Surveying	SURV 101	3

CLASSICS CONCENTRATION	Course Number	Credit Hours
Literature of Greece	CLAS 361	3
Literature of Rome	CLAS 362	3
Women in Ancient Greece and Rome	CLAS 363	3

BIOLOGICAL CONCENTRATION	Course Number	Credit Hours
Primates: Behavior, Morphology, and Evolution	ANTH 404	3
Human Paleontology: Australopithecines	ANTH 310	3
Human Paleontology: Genus Homo	ANTH 311	3
Human Osteology	ANTH 425	3
Seminar: Human Origins	ANTH 430	3
History of Physical Anthropology	ANTH 381	3
Evolution and Human Behavior	ANTH 382	3
Special Topics in Biological Anthropology	ANTH 474	3
General Ecology	BIOL 217	3

CULTURAL CONCENTRATION	Course Number	Credit Hours
Human Diversity	ANTH 251	3
Magic, Myth and Religion	ANTH 357	3
Indians of North America	ANTH 358	3
Anthropological Theory	ANTH 405	3
Globalization and Culture	ANTH 370	3
Anthropological Research	ANTH 490	3
Anthropology of Sex and Gender	ANTH 416	3
The Anthropology of Food	ANTH 320	3
Medical Anthropology	ANTH 457	3
Field Methods of Cultural Anthropology	ANTH 460	3
Special Topics: Anthropology	ANTH 472	3
Senior Honors Project in Anthropology	ANTH 497	3
Introduction to Linguistics	ENGL 371	3
Race and Ethnic Relations	SOCIO 421	3



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SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ANTH 400 Introduction to Anthropological Data	3	
ANTH 3/4xx Anthropology or Archaeology Electives	6	
World Language III	3-4	
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	12-13	

SEMESTER 6		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ANTH 3/4xx Anthropology or Archaeology Electives	6	
Upper-level Elective	3	
Domestic Diversity Requirement ANTH 358 Indians of North America	3	
World Language IV	3-4	
Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	15-16	

FOURTH YEAR

SEMESTER 7		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ANTH 3/4xx Anthropology or Archaeology Electives	6	
Upper-level Electives	6	
Complex Systems Requirement ANTH 370 Globalization and Culture or ANTH 320 Anthropology of Food or ANTH 457 Medical Anthropology or ANTH 460 Field Methods in Cultural Anthropology	3-4	
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	15-16	

SEMESTER 8		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ANTH 405 Anthropological Theory or ANTH 407 Archaeological Theory	3	
ANTH 3/4xx Anthropology or Archaeology Electives	3	
Upper-level Electives	9	
Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	15	