

Geography, B.A.

North Carolina Community College classes are listed below in left column. The UNC Charlotte equivalent course is listed in the column next to the NCCCS courses.

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte strongly recommends students complete their Associate degree prior to transferring to UNC Charlotte. Pathways are structured for students who have completed all requirements for their Associate degree and qualify for the CAA.

Please Note: BDP's are developed based on the approved curriculum for each catalog year. Based on admitted term of entry and the curriculum posted for the catalog year, programs of study are subject to change.

[UNC Charlotte Baccalaureate Degree Plans
geearth.charlotte.edu](https://geearth.charlotte.edu)

Additional Requirements / Special Note for Admission to the upper division in major:	If not transferring with a completed associate degree, foreign language courses and two math courses will be required for Liberal Arts and Sciences based majors at UNC Charlotte.
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		NC Community College Course	UNC Charlotte Equivalent Course	Notes
Semester 1 14 Credit Hrs	4	MAT 152: Statistical Methods ** UGETC: Math	STAT 1220: Elements of Statistics I **	
	3	ENG 111: Writing and Inquiry UGETC: Composition	WRDS 1103 Wrtn & Inqry Acdmc Ctx I & II	
	3	Student Choice UGETC: Humanities/ Fine Arts	General Education Course	
	3	GEO 111: World Regional Geography *	GEOG 1101: World Regional Geography *	
	1	ACA 122: College Transfer Success	TRNF 1ELE: Transfer Elective	
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Semester 2 15 Credit Hrs	3	ENG 112: Writing and Research in the Disciplines UGETC: Composition	CTCM 2530: Critical Thinking and Communications	
	3	Student Choice UGETC: Social/Behavioral	General Education Course	
	3	COM 120: Interpersonal Communications or COM 231: Public Speaking UGETC Arts/Humanities	COMM 2107: Interpersonal Communications or COMM 1101: Public Speaking	
	3	Student Choice UGETC: Social/Behavioral	General Education Course	
	3	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	
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Semester 3 16 Credit Hrs	3	Student Choice UGETC: Social/Behavioral	General Education Course	
	4	UGETC Natural Science w/ Lab	Natural Science w/ Lab	
	3	GEO 131: Physical Geography I **	ESCI 1101/L: Earth Sciences-Geography **	
	3	Foreign Language I or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	Foreign Language I or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	
	3	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	

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Semester 4 15 Credit Hrs	3	Student Choice UGETC: Humanities/ Fine Arts	General Education Course	
	3	MAT 143 or MAT 171 or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	MATH 1ELE or MATH 1100 or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	
	3	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective	
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	3	Foreign Language II or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	Foreign Language II or GEN ED or Pre-Major/ Transfer Elective	

Critical Course Indicator	
2 Star (**) Critical Course	Critical Success Course that is a required introductory or prerequisite course within the Major and/or prerequisite course for UNC Charlotte Upper Division coursework for intended major
1 Star (*) Critical Course	Critical Success Course necessary for seamless transition and required for UNC Charlotte Upper Division coursework for intended major
0 Star (Lt Green color only) Critical Course	Key Success Marker Course that is important for seamless transition but can be secured after transfer

Color Key	Category
Light Green	Success Marker Course (Critical Course)
Light Blue	UGETC: General Education Course
Light Orange	Additional GEN ED or Pre-Major/Transfer Elective

		UNC Charlotte Equivalent Course	Notes
Semester 5 16 Credit Hrs	3	ESCI 1501: Environment, Society, and Sustainability	
	3	GEOG 1501: Global Geography	
	3	GEOG 2110: Intro to Geographic Research	
	3	GEOG 1103: Spatial Thinking	
	4	ESCI 1101 and Lab: Physical Geography	

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Semester 6 16 Credit Hrs	3	GEOG 1105: Introduction to Human Geography	
	3	GEOG 2200: Intro to Urban Studies	
	4	GEOG 3120: Fundamentals of GIS	
	3	Restricted Extradepartmental Elective	
	3	General Elective or Minor course work	

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Semester 7 15 Credit Hrs	3	Major Elective (Geography)	
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	3	Major Elective (Urban Studies and Planning)	
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	3	GEOG 4600: Professional Development Seminar	

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Semester 8 15 Credit Hrs	3	Major Elective (Urban Studies and Planning)	
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	3	General Elective or Minor course work	
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60	Total NCCCS Credit Hours
62	Total UNC Charlotte Hours
122	Total Credit Hours