TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE
2024-2025

Associate in Arts to Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology

Overview
Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for an Associate in Arts (AA) at the Gateway Community and Technical College (GCTC) and leads to the Bachelor of Arts (BA) in Anthropology at Northern Kentucky University (NKU).

Applying to the Gateway2NKU Program
Students can apply to participate in the pathway program by completing the online application on the NKU transfer webpage. Students must be enrolled in at least six credit hours at Gateway CTC, enrolled in an associate degree program, plan to transfer to NKU, and maintain a minimum 2.0 cumulative GPA at Gateway CTC.

Degree Requirements for GCTC
1) completion of minimum 60 credit hours, 2) minimum cumulative GPA 2.0, 3) minimum of 15 credit hours earned at the institution awarding the degree, 4) cultural competence course, 5) demonstration of digital literacy, 6) college success requirement.

Admission Requirements to NKU
Students completing an associate degree with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or higher will be accepted into NKU.

Degree Requirements for NKU
To earn a bachelor's degree at NKU, students must complete a minimum of 120 credit hours with at least 45 credit hours numbered 300 and above. In addition, at least 25% of the credit hours required for the degree and the last 30 credit hours must be completed at NKU. Students must have minimum 2.0 GPA for courses counted toward the major and an overall GPA of 2.0. At least one 300 level course must be taken from each of the categories of archaeological anthropology, biological anthropology and cultural anthropology. Students must complete a focus or minor as indicated on the pathway.

General Transfer Information

Students must complete the online application to NKU. There is no application fee for students who are transferring from GCTC.

KCTCS Scholars Award: Students who are KY residents transferring directly from a KCTCS institution with at least 36 hours from that institution and minimum GPA of 3.0, were never enrolled as a degree-seeking student at NKU, and will be enrolled in at least 12 credit hours both fall and spring semester are eligible for a limited number of $2,500 annual scholarships ($1,250 per fall and spring). Students must gain admission to NKU by June 15 for fall and November 1 for spring to be eligible for a possible scholarship. Online accelerated programs are not eligible for the KCTCS Scholars Award.

GCTC AA TO NKU BA IN ANTHROPOLOGY CHECKLIST

Gateway Community and Technical College

Category 1: GCTC General Education Core Requirements

GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
ENG 101	Writing I (WC)	3	ENG 101	
ENG 102	Writing II (WC)	3	ENG 102	
TBS XXX	Oral Communication (OC)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Arts & Humanities (AH) – Heritage	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Arts & Humanities (AH) – Humanities	3	TBD XXX	
ANT 160	Cultural Diversity in the Modern World (SB)	3	ANT 100	
ANT 240	Introduction to Archeology (SB)	3	ANT 110	
TBS XXX	Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (SB) – not ANT	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Natural Science Course with Lab (SL)	4	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Quantitative Reasoning Course (QR)	3	TBD XXX	
TBS XXX	Natural Science Course (SL) OR Quantitative Reasoning Course (QR)	3	TBD XXX	
	Subtotal General Education Core Courses	**34**		

TBS XXX means to be selected by GCTC student.
TBD XXX means to be determined by NKU based on course selected.

For Social and Behavioral Sciences courses, two disciplines must be represented and different from those in the Arts and Humanities category.

Category 2: GCTC AA Requirements

GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
ART 104	Introduction to African Art (AH)	3	ART 394	
ANT 221	Native People of North America (SB)	3	ANT 230	
	Subtotal AA Requirement Courses	**6**		

Category 3: GCTC Electives

GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
CIT 105 OR OST 105	Introduction to Computers OR Introduction to Information Systems	3	BIS 101	
FYE 105	Achieving Academic Success	3	UNV 100T	
ANT 230/ ANT 231	Introduction to Biological Anthropology with lab	4	ANT 202	
Taken at NKU	Intro to Archaeological Methods/Theory	3	ANT 210	
Taken at NKU	Language and Culture	3	ANT 275	

GCTC Course	Course or Category	Credits	NKU Course	Completed
Taken at NKU	Select an ANT elective course at NKU or a course toward a minor at NKU or Gateway	3	TBS XXX	
Taken at NKU	Select an ANT elective course at NKU or a course toward a minor at NKU or Gateway	3	TBS XXX	
	Subtotal Elective Courses	**22**		
	TOTAL Associate Degree Hours	**62**		

If completing digital literacy using other means, additional credits will be required in order to fulfill elective requirements.

Degree Requirement: One course must be selected from the KCTCS identified Cultural Competence course list in the KCTCS catalog.

Students enrolled in the Gateway2NKU program are eligible to take courses at NKU that are not offered at GCTC or online through KCTCS. With the help of your NKU and Gateway advisors, choose a course that will help you complete your degree. This includes both major requirements as well as those for a minor.

Students should work with their Gateway and NKU advisors to select courses toward a minor for the additional elective.

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Category 4: NKU Major Requirements for the BA in Anthropology

NKU Course	Course	Credits	GCTC Course	Taken at GCTC
ANT 100	Cultural Anthropology	3	ANT 160	x
ANT 202	Biological Anthropology	4	ANT 230/231	x
ANT 210	Introduction to Archaeological Methods and Theory	3	Taken at NKU	x
ANT 275	Language and Culture	3	Taken at NKU	x
ANT 280	Careers in Anthropology	1		
ANT 401	Anthropological Theory	3		
ANT 480	Anthropology Capstone	1		

Select 2:
  ANT 307
  ANT 308
  ANT 315
  ANT 325
  ANT 333
  ANT 334
  ANT 340
  ANT 342
  ANT 355
  ANT 365
  ANT 396
	Select two methods courses from the following:
	 Museum Methods
	 Cultural Resource Management
	 Archaeological Excavation Methods
	 Applied Anthropology
	 Paleoanthropology
	 Behavioral Field Methods
	 Ethnographic Methods and Research
	 Quantitative Methods
	 Archaeological Lab Analysis
	 Ethnographic Field Methods
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NKU Course	Course	Credits	GCTC Course	Taken at GCTC
	Museum Internship			
ANT XXX	Select any six anthropology courses not fulfilling requirements above, at least four of which must be at the 300 or 400 level	18	ANT 221 (GCTC) ANT 240 (GCTC) ART 104 (GCTC)	x (need 9 credits at 300 or 400 level)
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours at NKU	**20-21**		
	Subtotal Major Credit Hours at GCTC	**22**		
	Total Major Credit Hours	**42-43**		

Category 5: Additional Requirements at NKU

NKU Course	Course	Credits	KCTCS Course	Taken at KCTCS
	Subtotal Minor Credit Hours Taken at NKU	**12-24**		
	Subtotal Elective (inc. 300/400 level) Hours	**13-26**		
	Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours	**120**		

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