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# Arizona State University and ASU Online

**Admissions:** Use the Admission Criteria links below to find phone and email contacts

**Financial Aid ASU:** (855) 278-5080 and <https://students.asu.edu/financial-aid>

**About ASU and ASU Online:** Arizona State University is a top ranked research university in the greater Phoenix metropolitan area. ASU's main campus is in Tempe AZ, with 10 additional campuses in Arizona.

ASU Online began in 2009 and now delivers 85 undergraduate bachelor majors with the majority 100% online. The same faculty and instructors that teach on the ASU campuses teach ASU Online courses; therefore, the rigor and quality of the content, as well as the course load is the same as the on-campus classes. ASU does not distinguish online vs. on ground education on student diplomas or transcripts. ASU is an approved SARA institution. View a detailed state-by-state authorization guide for online education at <https://asuonline.asu.edu/about-us/state-regulatory-authorizations>. The guide includes professional licensing guidance and links to home state resources. Visit [ASU Online FAQ's](#).

### Admission Criteria:

**Guaranteed Program for Admission (GPA) for Illinois Community College students guarantees admittance to ASU and ASU Online, and the program of student's choice\*.** General university admission is guaranteed upon successfully meeting one of the following:

- A transfer **associate degree** with a minimum cumulative transfer GPA of 2.50, or
- a completed **IAI General Education Core Curriculum**, with a minimum cumulative transfer GPA of 2.50 plus either a final high school transcript or GED, or
- completion of at least **24 transferable semester credits** with a minimum cumulative transfer GPA of 3.00 plus either a final high school transcript or GED.

Visit <https://admission.asu.edu/transfer/gpa/illinois> and read additional program details below.

### If not using the Guaranteed Program for Admission

ASU: Meet one of the following and visit <https://admission.asu.edu/transfer/apply> :

- Associate degree from a regionally accredited higher education institution must have a 2.50 or higher cumulative GPA (nonresidents) or 2.00 or higher cumulative GPA (residents), or
- 12-23 transferable credit hours with a 2.50 cumulative GPA or higher and meet [freshman aptitude requirements](#).

ASU Online: Meet one of the following and visit <https://asuonline.asu.edu/admission/transfer>

- Associate degree from a regionally accredited higher education institution with 2.50 or higher cumulative GPA (nonresidents) or 2.00 or higher cumulative GPA (residents), or
- 24 or more transferable credit hours with a 2.50 cumulative GPA or higher (those with a 2.0-2.49 GPA will be individually considered), or
- 12-23 transferable credit hours with a 2.50 cumulative GPA or higher and meet [freshman aptitude requirements](#).

**Application Deadlines for Transfer Students:** Submit the application for admission up to a year before transferring. The priority deadline for spring 2019 admission is November 1, 2018, and for fall 2019 admission is April 1, 2019. Students must submit their FAFSA and application materials by Feb. 1 to be considered for ASU merit and need-based awards. Late applicants will be considered for university admission, but ASU undergraduate degree programs with higher transfer admission standards will give priority consideration to applications submitted by Feb. 1.

**Scholarships:**

ASU / ASU Online - use the Scholarship Search tool which includes transfer scholarships..  
<https://scholarships.asu.edu/scholarship-search> Application deadlines vary.

ASU offers the New American University Transfer Scholarship for non-Arizona resident transfer students who meet high academic standards and have a financial need. <https://scholarships.asu.edu/scholarship/1734>

- **AA Satisfies Lower Division General Education Requirements:** Yes. Completing the AA degree prior to transfer is highly recommended
- **AS Satisfies Lower Division General Education Requirements:** No.
- **AAS Degrees:** ASU / ASU Online offers Bachelor of Applied Science degrees in various fields which typically award a block of 60 credits for accredited AAS degrees. Students must complete all ASU general education requirements to earn the BAS degree.
- **Academic Calendar:** Course length is 7.5 or 15 weeks and are offered in the fall, spring, and summer. Most online degrees have up to six start terms per year (two each in fall, spring and summer).
- **Accreditation:** ASU and its online degrees are accredited by the Higher Learning Commission. Many academic programs also carry specialized accreditations.
- **Dual Admission or Dual Enrollment:** These admission options are not available.
- **Financial Aid:** Students must submit their FAFSA and application materials by Feb. 1 to be considered for ASU merit and need-based awards. Late applicants will be considered for university admission, but ASU undergraduate degree programs with higher transfer admission standards will give priority consideration to applications submitted by Feb. 1.
- **Foreign Language:** Not an admissions requirement. A graduation requirement for some majors.
- **Grade Requirements:** Courses accepted from college-level (not remedial) courses in which a grade of "C" (4.00="A") or better is earned from regionally accredited colleges and universities.
- **Guaranteed Program for Admission (GPA):** The GPA guarantees admittance to Arizona State University or ASU Online, and the program of student's choice. *\*A few programs have enhanced admission requirements (i.e. Business, Engineering) and if met, admission is guaranteed.* Students must transfer and enroll in ASU or ASU Online courses within two years of signing up for the GPA.

GPA Program information <https://admission.asu.edu/transfer/gpa/illinois>

GPA Student Participation form <https://webapp4.asu.edu/pathway/app/gpa?state=IL>

All admission requirements must be met including submitting a general admissions application.

- **IAI Participant:** No. However, ASU / ASU Online will accept a completed IAI General Education Core Curriculum (GECC) to meet lower division general education requirements.
- **Maximum Community College Hours Accepted in Transfer:** A maximum of 64 semester hours of credit will be accepted as lower-division credit when transferred from a regionally accredited community, junior or two-year college, with the exception of some special programs. Most bachelor degrees require 120 credits with a minimum of 30 credits taken at ASU / ASU Online and a minimum of 45 credits taken at the upper division level.
- **Tuition:** Use the [ASU Tuition Estimator](#). Out-of-state students attending face-to-face in Arizona are charged per credit hour to 12 credits; with no cost increase if taking over 12 credits. ASU Online students are charged by the credit hour regardless of the number of credits taken; cost can vary by program. Most students attend full time.

**This guide is provided as a service to BHC students and information is subject to change. Students should work with a BHC advisor and the transfer school to keep informed of changes. Responsibility for complying with all transfer information rests with the student.**

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