

## Penn Foster College Articulation Guide

This articulation agreement is between Penn Foster and Walden University.

Penn Foster students who successfully complete courses listed in the tables below with a grade of 'C' or better *and* meet the requirements for admission to the respective Walden Bachelor degree program may receive credit. **All credits will be converted to the equivalent value for Walden credit.**

**Important Note:** Courses indicated on these tables will be fulfilled, but there may be outstanding credit. Walden requires that 45 of the last 90 quarter credits earned for a bachelor's degree be earned at Walden University. Transfer of credit is subject to change based on curriculum updates by academic leadership.

**Recommended Penn Foster Program:** Associate Degree in Accounting  
**Recommended Walden Program:** B.S. in Accounting; General Program Option  
 Total Minimum Credits Required: 181 quarter credits

**Table 1. General Education Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i>                                   | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                        | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ENG 100   | English Comp   | ENGL 1010                       | Writing with Confidence and Purpose | 5                     |
| ENG 121   | Business and Technical Writing   | COTR XXXX                       | Communications                      | 5                     |
| MAT 115   | Intermediate Algebra   | MATH 1040                       | College Algebra Concepts            | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SCI 110, 120, 140 | Earth Science<br>Intro to Biology<br>Nutrition   | MNTR XXXX                       | Math/Science                        | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SSC 105, 125, 130 | Readings in World Civilization, Intro to Sociology, Essentials of Psychology           | SBTR XXXX                       | Social Science                      | 5                     |
|   | <i>Any Additional GenEd Course from the groups above will fulfill this requirement</i> |                                 | Additional General Education Course | 5                     |

**Table 2. Accounting Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                             | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| BUS 110                   | Principles of Management                 | BUSI 1002                       | Intro to Management and Leadership                       | 5                     |
| ACC 202                   | Intermediate Accounting II               | ACCT 1004S                      | Fundamentals of Accounting                               | 5                     |
| ACC 201                   | Intermediate Accounting I                | ACCT 2004S                      | Financial Accounting                                     | 5                     |
| MAT 210                   | Business Statistics                      | STAT 2002                       | Business Statistics                                      | 5                     |
| BUS 122                   | Economics 2 ( <b>Business Elective</b> ) | ECON 1002                       | Microeconomics   | 5                     |
| BUS 213                   | Business Law 1                           | BUSI 2001                       | Business Law   | 5                     |
| ACC 112                   | Managerial Accounting                    | ACCT 2002                       | Managerial Accounting: Intro to Fin. Planning & Analysis | 5                     |

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**\*Table 3. General Electives (Depending on Concentration, up to 30 credits - Any transferable course will fulfill this requirement as long as max transfer of credit is not exceeded.)**

\* Students may have credits to make up in their general elective requirement if courses transfer in for less than 5 quarter credit hours. Please refer to the Walden Student Handbook for information on course transferability and program requirements.

**Recommended Penn Foster Program: Associate Degree in Business Management**  
**Recommended Walden Program: B.S. in Business Administration; Management Specialization**

Total Minimum Credits Required: 181 quarter credits

**Table 1. General Education Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i>                                       | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                        | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ENG 100   | English Comp   | ENGL 1010                       | Writing with Confidence and Purpose | 5                     |
| ENG 121   | Business and Technical Writing   | COTR XXXX                       | Communications                      | 5                     |
| MAT 115   | Intermediate Algebra   | MATH 1030                       | College Math                        | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SCI 110, 120, 140     | Earth Science<br>Intro to Biology<br>Nutrition                               | MNTR XXXX                       | Math/Science                        | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>Hum 102, 104, ENG 115 | Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation, Intro to Literature                    | AHTR XXXX                       | Arts/Humanities                     | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SSC 105, 125, 130     | Readings in World Civilization, Intro to Sociology, Essentials of Psychology | SBTR XXXX                       | Social Science                      | 5                     |

**Table 2. Business Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                             | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                       | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| BUS 110                   | Principles of Management                 | BUSI 1002                       | Intro to Management and Leadership | 5                     |
| ACC 111                   | Financial Accounting                     | ACCT 1003                       | Intro to Accounting I              | 5                     |
| MAT 210                   | Business Statistics                      | STAT 2002                       | Business Statistics                | 5                     |
| BUS 122                   | Economics 2 ( <b>Business Elective</b> ) | ECON 1002                       | Microeconomics                     | 5                     |
| BUS 213                   | Business Law 1                           | BUSI 2001                       | Business Law                       | 5                     |

**Table 3. Business Upper Level Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>  | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>              | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| MKT 301                   | Principles of Marketing                                 | MRKT 3001                       | Marketing                 | 5                     |
| HRM 201                   | Human Resource Management ( <b>Lower Level Course</b> ) | HRMG 3001                       | Human Resource Management | 5                     |

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**\*Table 4. General Electives (65 credits and at least 15 of these credits must be upper level - Any transferable course will fulfill this requirement as long as max transfer of credit is not exceeded.)**

\* Students may have credits to make up in their general elective requirement if courses transfer in for less than 5 quarter credit hours. Different Concentrations may have specific program requirements. Please refer to the Walden Student Handbook for information on course transferability and program requirements.

**Recommended Penn Foster Program:** Associate Degree in Early Childhood Education

**Recommended Walden Program:** B.S. in Child Development; General  
 Total Minimum Credits Required: 180 quarter credits

**Table 1. General Education Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i>                              | <i>Title</i>                         | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|--|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------|
| ENG 100  | English Comp                         | ENGL 1010                       | Writing with Confidence and Purpose                  | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SCI 120, 110 | Intro to Biology, Earth Science      | MNTR XXXX                       | Math/Science   | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>HUM 102, 104 | Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation | AHTR XXXX                       | Arts/Humanities                                      | 5                     |
| SSC 130  | Essentials of Psychology             | SBTR XXXX                       | Social Science                                       | 5                     |
| MAT 106  | Mathematics for Business and Finance | MATH 1025 or MATH 1030          | Exploring Math in the Everyday World or College Math | 5                     |

**Table 2. Child Development Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>  | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                            | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| ECE 220                   | Child Growth and Development  | EDUC 1004                       | Child Development                       | 5                     |
| ECE 130                   | Health, Safety, and Nutrition for the Young Child                         | EDUC 1005                       | Child, Health, Safety and Nutrition     | 5                     |
| ECE 210                   | Child, Family, and Community  | EDUC 1006                       | Child, Family & Community Relationships | 5                     |
| ECE 216                   | Language and Literacy Development in Young Children <b>(ECE Elective)</b> | EDUC 2001                       | Language Development                    | 5                     |

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**\*Table 3. General Electives** (*Depending on Concentration, up to 72 credits- at least 25 credits must be completed at the 3000 or 4000 level. Any transferable course will fulfill this requirement as long as max transfer of credit is not exceeded.*)

\* Students may have credits to make up in their general elective requirement if courses transfer in for less than 5 quarter credit hours. Different Concentrations may have specific program requirements. Please refer to the Walden Student Handbook for information on course transferability and program requirements.

**Recommended Penn Foster Program:** Associate Degree in Online Computer Information Systems

**Recommended Walden Program:** B.S. in Information Technology; Self Designed  
 Total Minimum Credits Required: 181 quarter credits

**Table 1. General Education Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i>  | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                        | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|--|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ENG 100  | English Comp   | ENGL 1010                       | Writing with Confidence and Purpose | 5                     |
| ENG 121  | Business and Technical Writing   | COTR XXXX                       | Communications                      | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>MAT 115, 222                     | Intermediate Algebra, Pre-Calculus   | MATH 1040                       | College Algebra                     | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>SCI 110, 120, 140, 167, 115, 222 | Earth Science, Intro to Biology, Nutrition, Physical Science, Intermediate Algebra, Pre-Calculus | MNTR XXXX                       | Math/Science                        | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>HUM 102, 104, ENG 115            | Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation, Intro to Literature  | AHTR XXXX                       | Arts/Humanities                     | 5                     |
| (Choose Two; must be unused courses) SSC 130, 105, 125                     | Essentials of Psychology, Readings in World Civilization, Introduction to Sociology              | 2 SBTR XXXX                     | 2 Social Science                    | 10                    |
|  | <i>Any Additional GenEd Course from the groups above will fulfill this requirement</i>           |                                 | Additional General Education Course | 5                     |

**Table 2. IT Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>  | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                  | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------|
| INT 101 + CSC 221         | Computer Technology Orientation + Advanced PC Applications  | ITEC 1010                       | IT Infrastructure             | 5                     |
| INT 128                   | Network Protocols and Internetworking                       | ITEC 1020                       | Network Fundamentals          | 5                     |
| INT 215                   | Programming in Java   | ITEC 1030                       | Intro to Programming          | 5                     |
| CIS 245                   | Structured Systems Analysis and Design                      | ITEC 2040                       | Systems Analysis              | 5                     |
| INT 242                   | Advanced Database Technology – Oracle & SQL (Core Elective) | ITEC 2060                       | Database Mgmt Systems         | 5                     |
| INT 120                   | HTML Coding   | ITEC 2080                       | Web Programming               | 5                     |
| INT 130                   | Internet Security   | ITEC 3020                       | Computer Security Fundamental | 5                     |

**Table 3. Self-Designed (20 credits – Select four specialization courses)**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                    | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>           | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| XXXX                      | 4 Unused Specialization Courses |                                 | Specialization Courses | 20                    |

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**\*Table 4. General Electives (Depending on Concentration, up to 20 credits - Any transferable course will fulfill this requirement as long as max transfer of credit is not exceeded.)**

\* Students may have credits to make up in their general elective requirement if courses transfer in for less than 5 quarter credit hours. Different Concentrations may have specific program requirements. Please refer to the Walden Student Handbook for information on course transferability and program requirements.



**Recommended Penn Foster Program:** Associate Degree in PC Maintenance Technology

**Recommended Walden Program:** B.S. in Information Technology; Self Designed  
 Total Minimum Credits Required: 181 quarter credits

**Table 1. General Education Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i>                              | <i>Title</i>   | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                        | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|--|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ENG 100  | English Comp   | ENGL 1010                       | Writing with Confidence and Purpose | 5                     |
| ENG 121  | Business and Technical Writing   | COTR XXXX                       | Communications                      | 5                     |
| MAT 115  | Intermediate Algebra   | MATH 1040                       | College Algebra                     | 5                     |
| SCI 167  | Physical Science or any Walden approved Math/Science course                            | MNTR XXXX                       | Math/Science                        | 5                     |
| (Choose One; must be an unused course)<br>HUM 102, 104 | Art Appreciation, Music Appreciation   | AHTR XXXX                       | Arts/Humanities                     | 5                     |
| SSC 130 + SSC XXX elective                             | Essentials of Psychology + Social Science Elective                                     | 2 SBTR XXXX                     | 2 Social Science                    | 10                    |
|  | <i>Any Additional GenEd Course from the groups above will fulfill this requirement</i> |                                 | Additional General Education Course | 5                     |

**Table 2. IT Core Coursework**

| <i>Penn Foster Course</i> | <i>Title</i>                          | <i>Equivalent Walden Course</i> | <i>Title</i>         | <i>Walden Credits</i> |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| PCM 105 + PCM 106         | PC Hardware 1 + PC Hardware 2         | ITEC 1010                       | IT Infrastructure    | 5                     |
| INT 128                   | Network Protocols and Internetworking | ITEC 1020                       | Network Fundamentals | 5                     |

| <b>Penn Foster Course</b> | <b>Title</b>   | <b>Equivalent Walden Course</b> | <b>Title</b>                            | <b>Walden Credits</b> |
|---------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| CSC 107 + PCM 107         | Introduction to Microsoft Windows + PC Operating Systems                           | ITEC 2030                       | Operating Systems Fund & Administration | 5                     |
| INT 225 + INT 242         | Introduction to Databased Technology + Advanced Database Technology – Oracle & SQL | ITEC 2060                       | Database Mgmt Systems                   | 5                     |

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| <b>Penn Foster Course</b> | <b>Title</b>                    | <b>Equivalent Walden Course</b> | <b>Title</b>           | <b>Walden Credits</b> |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| XXXX                      | 4 Unused Specialization Courses |                                 | Specialization Courses | 20                    |

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|-------------------------------|-----------|--|
| <b>Penn Foster<br/>ECE AS</b> | <b>to</b> | <b>Walden University<br/>TEMPO BS in ECS</b> |
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**Recommended Penn Foster Program:** Associate Degree in Early Childhood Education

**Recommended Walden Program:** B.S. in Early Childhood Education, TEMPO  
Total Minimum Credits Required: 181 quarter credits

**Remaining Courses to Complete:**

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|---|--|--|
| <b>4</b>  | <b>2-5</b>   | <b>9-11</b>  |
| <p><b><u>General Education Courses*</u></b><br/>Courses can be taken at Penn Foster, Walden or transferred from another institution</p> | <p><b><u>Elective Courses*</u></b><br/>Courses can be taken at Penn Foster, Walden, or transferred from another institution. Number of required competencies will vary per course.</p> | <p><b><u>Education Courses*</u></b><br/>Some courses must be taken at Walden University.</p> |

**Total Credits Transferred: 95.5**

**\*Note:** In the TEMPO program courses are constructed by a sequence of competencies that students complete to earn credit for a course.

| <b>Penn Foster Course Name</b>         | <b>Course #</b>    | <b>QTR</b> | <b>Walden Course Name</b> | <b>Course #</b> | <b>QTR</b> |
|--|--------------------|------------|---------------------------|-----------------|------------|
| Art Appreciation or Music Appreciation | HUM 102 or HUM 104 | 5          | Arts and Humanities       | ANTR xxxx       | 5          |

|   |                       |           |   |                                 |           |
|---|-----------------------|-----------|---|---------------------------------|-----------|
|   |                       | 5         | Arts and Humanities                                   | ANTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
| English Composition                         | ENG 100               | 5         | Written & Oral Communication                          | COMM<br>1004 or<br>ENGL<br>1015 | 5         |
|   |                       | 5         | Communications  | COTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
| Introduction to Biology or<br>Earth Science | SCI 120 or<br>SCI 111 | 5         | Math/Science  | MNTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
| Mathematics for Business<br>and Finance     | MAT 106               | 5         | Math/Science  | MNTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
| Essentials of Psychology                    | SSC 130               | 5         | Social Sciences                                       | SBTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
|   |                       | 5         | Social Science  | SBTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
|   |                       | 5         | Additional General Education Course                   | COTR<br>xxxx                    | 5         |
| <b>Penn Foster Credits Transferred:</b>     |                       | <b>25</b> | <b>Walden General Education Credits<br/>Required:</b> |                                 | <b>45</b> |

### Education Core Completed (80 credits)

| Walden Course Name  | Penn Course #           | QTR             |
|---|-------------------------|-----------------|
| EDUC 1001: Becoming an Early Childhood Professional (5 competencies)                  | <i>Non-Transferable</i> | 5               |
| EDUC 1102: Early Childhood Development (6 competencies)                               | ECE 220                 | 5               |
| EDUC 1005: Health & Safety for Young Children (6 competencies)                        | ECE 130                 | 5               |
| EDUC 2400 Child, Family & Community Relationships (4 competencies)                    | ECE 210                 | 5               |
| EDUC 2102: Children with Exceptionalities (7 competencies)                            | ECE 203                 | 5               |
| EDUC 3013: Culturally Responsive Practice (5 competencies)                            | ECE 160*                | 5               |
| EDUC 3401: Social—Emotional Development & Positive Guidance (5 competencies)          |                         | 5               |
| EDUC 3402: Effective Practice for Quality Programs (4 competencies)                   | ECE 221*                | 5               |
| EDUC 3403: Early Literacy (6 competencies)  | ECE 216*                | 5               |
| EDUC 3404: Observation, Assessment & Planning (5 competencies)                        | <i>Non-Transferable</i> | 5               |
| EDUC 4122: Learning & Teaching in Inclusive Early Childhood Settings (5 competencies) |                         | 5               |
| EDUC 4019: Play, Creativity, and the Arts (4 competencies)                            | ECE 213*                | 5               |
| EDUC 4120: Effective Practices for Infants & Toddlers (5 competencies)                | <i>Non-Transferable</i> | 5               |
| EDUC 4121: Meaningful Learning Experiences (4 competencies)                           | <i>Non-Transferable</i> | 10              |
| EDUC 4220: Capstone (4 competencies)  | <i>Non-Transferable</i> | 5               |
| <b>Prior Penn Foster Credit Transferred:</b>  |                         | <b>20-30/80</b> |

### General Electives (55 credits)

| Course Name  | Course # | QTR |
|--|----------|-----|
| Orientation to Early Childhood Education             | ECE 100  | 1.5 |
| Information Literacy                                 | ILS 103  | 1.5 |
| Fundamentals of Early Childhood Education            | ECE 111  | 4.5 |
| Curriculum for Early Childhood Education             | ECE 215* | 4.5 |
| Developing Math and Science Skills in Young Children | ECE 217* | 4.5 |

|  |                 |                 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Family Child Care                                      | ECE 225         | 4.5             |
| Assessment in Early Childhood Education                | <b>ECE 240*</b> | 4.5             |
| Computer Applications                                  | CSC 104         | 4.5             |
| Working with Preschoolers                              | ECE 223         | 4.5             |
| Infant and Toddler Care                                | ECE 120         | 4.5             |
| Interpersonal Communication                            | HUM 106         | 4.5             |
| Play in the Lives of Young Children                    | ECE 107         | 4.5             |
| Guidance in Early Childhood Education                  | ECE 212         | 4.5             |
| <b>Prior Penn Foster Credit/Electives Transferred:</b> |                 | <b>39-49/55</b> |

\*Students choose two of the courses highlighted in yellow

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