



Bachelor of Arts in Secondary Education - Social Studies, 2025-2026

Piedmont Technical College to USC Upstate Transfer Pathways			
Associate's Degree Completed (check one)			
Associate's Degree	<p>Completion of the Associate of Arts or Associate of Science degree satisfies all general education courses.</p> <p>Associate of Applied of Science completion requires a minimum 30 hours of general education credit be completed.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> AA <input type="checkbox"/> AS	<p>The following courses are recommended to be completed during associate degree completion to ensure timely graduation.</p> <p>ENG 101, 102; SPC 205; MAT 103; HIS 104, 105; SOC 101; ECO 210 OR 211</p>
Secondary Education Social Studies Transfer Notes	<p>1. A <u>maximum</u> of 90 hours from a technical college program may be counted towards degree credit at USC Upstate. All courses transferred for degree credit must have a minimum grade of "C"</p> <p>2. Professional program related pre-requisite courses may not be included in the Associate's of Art or Sciences completion pathway.</p> <p>3. A supplemental application and testing required for upper-division courses in the School of Education, Human Performance, and Health.</p> <p>4. Courses excluded from general transfer must be completed prior to upper-level courses.</p>		

If you transfer before completing associate degree			
Recommended courses: Minimum 30 hours needed to transfer			
USC Upstate Courses		Hours	Piedmont Technical College
I. Communication		9 Hours	
English	ENGL U101, U102	<input type="checkbox"/>	ENG 101 ENG 102
Speech	SPCH U201	<input type="checkbox"/>	SPC 205
II. Mathematics, Logic, & Natural Sciences		10-12 Hours	
Mathematics	MATH U120, U121, U122, U126, U127	<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT 103, 109, 110, 111, 130
Natural Science (w/lab)	ASTR U111/L; BIOL U101/L, U102/L, U110/L, U220/L, U244/L; CHEM U106/L, U109/L, U111/L, U112/L; GEOG U201/L; GEOL U101/L, U102/L; PHYS U101/L, U201/L, U202/L	<input type="checkbox"/>	AST 101; BIO 101, 102, 105, 112 216; CHM 105, 107, 110, 111; PHS 101; PHY 201, 202
Math, Logic and/or Natural Science	Any additional MATH course from those listed above or BIOL U143; U206, U240, U270; CHEM U106; GEOG U202; GEOL U104, U120, U121, U131, U241; PHYS U101	<input type="checkbox"/>	BIO 112; CHM 107; PHS 101
III. Information Technology		3 Hours	
Info Tech	CSCI U138, U150; DGST U101; INFO U101, U102; MUSC U162	<input type="checkbox"/>	CPT 170
IV. Fine Arts, Humanities & History		9 Hours	
Fine Arts	ARTH U101, U105, U106; MUSC U110, U140; THEA U161, U170	<input type="checkbox"/>	ART 101, 107, 108; MUS 105; THE 101, 105
History	HIST U101, U102	<input type="checkbox"/>	HIS 104, 105
V. Foreign Language and Culture		3 Hours	
<small>The minimum acceptable level of competency is completion of the 101 level of a language. Students who place in the 102 or higher level of a language satisfy the language requirement but will have additional hours in general education electives, if hours are required by their degree program.</small>			
Foreign Language	ASLG U101, U102; FREN U101, U102; GERM U101, U102; SPAN U101, U102	<input type="checkbox"/>	FRE 101; GER 101; SPA 101

VI. Social and Behavioral Sciences		9 Hours	
Social & Behavioral Science	PSYC U101; SOCY U101 and either ECON U221 or U222	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	PSY 201, SOC 101 and either ECO 210 or 211
VII. General Ed. Electives <i>Choose from the options below if hours are required in the major.</i>		Not Required	
General Ed. Electives	Any General Education course or courses	0	
Professional Education		45 Hours	
Professional Education	EDFO U200, U210, U341; EDSC U333, U344, U440, U442, U443, U445, U450, U475, U485; EDRE U315, U418 And EDFO U320 or U342 or U350	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	ECD 107; EDU 230
Content Concentration		30 Hours	
Content Concentration (to be completed at USC Upstate)	HIST U105: American History I	<input type="checkbox"/>	HIS 201
	HIST U106: American History II	<input type="checkbox"/>	HIS 202
	15 credits from AFAM, AMST, ECON, GEOG, HIST, POLI, PSYC, and/or SOCY	15	
	GEOG U103 or GEOG U121	<input type="checkbox"/>	GEO 101
	POLI U101: American National Government	<input type="checkbox"/>	PSC 201
Total USC Upstate hours required for graduation		121-123	

**** Please refer to the transfer guide in the USC Upstate catalog, pages 22-23 at <http://www.uscupstate.edu/academics/catalog> for complete transfer options.**