



Thank you for your interest in WP @Mercer programs! We are here to help you make your transfer to William Paterson University simple and seamless, with much or all of your coursework done right there on the Mercer CCC campus.

Overview of 2+2

- Must graduate from Mercer or any NJ community college with an Associate of Arts, Associate of Science or Associate of Fine Arts Degree.
- Apply to William Paterson the semester before you graduate and select the interest box for Mercer County Community College.
- Transfer in all 60 credits and have your WP general education requirements waived.
- Enjoy WP classes at Mercer in the junior and senior year with on-site WP faculty advisement.
- Complete a bachelor's degree on the Mercer Campus through in-person, hybrid, and online courses.
- Receive a discounted tuition rate for years 3 and 4 while taking WP classes.
- Three current Undergraduate majors:
 - Early Childhood Education with optional Teacher of Students with Disabilities Endorsement (students must select a second major also)
 - Liberal Studies with 2 of the following tracks: English, history, political science, psychology, and sociology
 - o Psychology

Overview of 3+1

- Must graduate from Mercer or any NJ community college with an AA, AS, AFA, or AAS degree.
- Apply to William Paterson the semester before you graduate and select the WP/MCCC 3+1 Partnership Agreement Program on the WP application.
- Receive an application fee waiver at the time of application and follow all standard procedures for application, including requesting and submitting all official transcripts
- Transfer in all 60 credits and have your WP general education requirements (UCC) waived for AA, AS, and AFA graduates. AAS graduates can complete their outstanding WP general education requirements in year 3 at MCCC.
- Stay at MCCC in the third or junior year, register for third-year MCCC courses, and pay MCCC's tuition. (During the third year at MCCC, while earning 60 90 credits, students must complete the WP/MCCC 3+1 Advising Form for every term. This form enables WP advisors to approve MCCC courses through the New Jersey Transfer Equivalency Tool sponsored by www.njtransfer.org ensuring degree program alignment).
- A Financial Aid Consortium Agreement allows MCCC to process financial aid for students for their 60-90 credits being completed at MCCC.
- Once 90 credits are completed at MCCC, submit final MCCC transcript to the admissions office at WP.
- At WP in year 4, students continue to be advised by WP advisors and pay the WP tuition rate.
- Currently features three Undergraduate majors for 3+1 for fall 20 (more will be added soon):
 - o English
 - o Disability Studies (year 4 is totally online)
 - Psychology

(Liberal Studies is in process now and should be available for fall 20).