



# FULL-TIME STUDENT TRANSFER TIMELINE



The following timeline is designed for students who register for 15 semester hours with the goal of obtaining their associate degree in two years. Being aware of these various possibilities enables better guidance regarding the scheduling of courses and the transfer process.

## 1st Semester

### First Semester (0-15 credit hours)

- Discuss interests and career goals with a student success advisor.
- Begin research about colleges and universities you may want to attend.
- Attend on-campus and virtual transfer events.
- Learn about general transfer information.

## 2nd Semester

### Second Semester (16-30 credit hours)

- Work with your advisor to ensure you are taking the correct courses to transfer.
- Take advantage of preview or visit days at regional colleges.
- Become familiar with scholarship criteria.
- Continue to attend transfer events.

## 3rd Semester

### Third Semester (31-45 credit hours)

- Locate online applications for schools you are interested in attending.
- Review course work and transcripts with your advisor.
- Check for important deadlines.
- Contact a transfer admissions representative.
- Continue to attend transfer events.

## 4th Semester

### Fourth Semester (46-60 credit hours)

- File your FAFSA as soon as possible.
- Submit your application(s) for admission.
- Double-check deadlines for deposits, registration forms and other materials.
- Work with your advisor to ensure graduation requirements are met.

Students who leave STLCC before earning their degree but have completed at least 15 transferable hours qualify for what's known as "Missouri Reverse Transfer." This process permits students to fulfill the remaining requirements of their associate degree at a four-year college and then transfer those credits back to STLCC to finalize and receive their degree. This option is beneficial for those who want to mark an educational milestone while pursuing a four-year degree.

## Helpful links

### **Academic, Career, and Transfer Advising Contact:**

Email: [advising@stlcc.edu](mailto:advising@stlcc.edu)

Phone: 314-539-5465

Webpage: [stlcc.edu/advising](http://stlcc.edu/advising)

### **College Search:**

Big Future: [bigfuture.collegebound.org](http://bigfuture.collegebound.org)

College Scorecard: [collegescorecard.edu.gov](http://collegescorecard.edu.gov)

### **Career Exploration:**

Occupational Outlook Handbook: [bls.gov/ooH](http://bls.gov/ooH)

Focus2 and Career Coach Assessments: [stlcc.edu/careerdevelopment](http://stlcc.edu/careerdevelopment)

### **Scholarship and Financial Aid:**

Federal Student Aid: [studentaid.gov](http://studentaid.gov)

Finaid: [finaid.org/scholarships](http://finaid.org/scholarships)



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