From: Fleming College (SSFC) Forestry Technician Program

To: University of Northern BC (UNBC) Bachelor of Science, Forest Ecology & Mngt

The following list of course equivalents will appear on the transfer credit summary for students who have successfully completed SSFC's Forestry Technician Program and are successfully admitted to the Bachelor of Science with a major Forest Ecology & Management degree at UNBC for the 2023-2024 Academic Calendar.

Information in this handout is unofficial and should be used as a guide only. Official transfer credit results will be provided at the time of admission to your program. For questions regarding admission to UNBC or course selection please contact Student Recruitment & Advising at 250-960-6306 or advising@unbc.ca.

NOTE: As per UNBC Undergraduate Calendar Regulation number 14, "Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours of upper division UNBC course work to receive a UNBC degree."

| Fleming Course Number & Name | | UNBC Equivalence ¹ |
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| Semester 1 | | |
| MATH 63 | Applied Mathematics in Natural Resource Sci | No credit |
| COMM 201 | Communications I | NRES 100-3 ² |
| GEOL 83 | Earth & Atmosphere | GEOG 1XX-3 |
| ENVR 20 | Ecology & Environment | BIOL 2XX-3 |
| ECOS 13 | Ecosystem Skills | NREM 1XX-3 |
| GEOM 163 | Fundamentals of Geomatics | GEOG 205-3 |
| INDG 49 | Introduction to Indigenous Studies | FNST 100-3 |
| Semester 2 | | |
| APST 154 | Career Preparation | No credit |
| COMM 202 | Communications II | NRES 100-3 ² |
| FSTY 12 | Forest Fire Science | FSTY 2XX-3 |
| FSTY 73 | Forest Measurement | NREM 203-3 ³ |
| NATR 129 | Soils & Ecosystems | FSTY 205-3 |
| FSTY 50 | Trees and Shrubs of Ontario | FSTY 1XX-3 |
| FIWI 41 | Wildlife Observation Skills | No credit |
| | General Education Elective | |
| Semester 3 | | |
| SURV 24 | Forest Data Collection | No credit |
| FSTY 10 | Forest Ecology & Slivics | FSTY 201-3 ³ |
| FSTY 11 | Forest Entomology & Pathology | FSTY 307-3 & FSTY 317-1 (FEM Majors Only) |
| APST 30 | Forestry Field Camp | FSTY 2XX-2 |
| FSTY 14 | GIS in Forestry | FSTY 2XX-3 |
| MECH 45 | Operation & Maintenance of Equipment | No credit |
| Semester 4 | | |
| FSTY 47 | Annual Forest Planning with GIS | FSTY 2XX-3 |
| FSTY 74 | Applied Forestry | NREM 203-3 ³ |
| CMRL 11 | Community Woodlot | No credit |
| FSTY 16 | Forest Products: Utilization & Scaling | No credit |
| FSTY 44 | Silviculture | FSTY 2XX-3 ⁴ |
| FSTY 60 | Tree Sciences & Practices | FSTY 201-3 ³ |
| APST 172 | Winter Camp (FT) | FSTY 1XX-1 |
| FSTY 76 | Woody Plant Propagation | FSTY 2XX-3 ⁴ |
| | General Education Elective | |

Diploma Completion Credits

The following transfer credit will be applied if students have completed the entire Fleming Forestry Technician Program: NREM 100-3 & NREM 101-3

Note: Above based on SSFCs 2023 website.

Recommended UNBC Course Equivalencies to take**:

Biology 1st Year Courses – BIOL 103, BIOL 123, BIOL 104 & BIOL 124 Chemistry 1st Year Courses – CHEM 100, CHEM 120, CHEM 101 & CHEM 121 MATH 115 or MATH 152

Top 10 things you should know and do for a successful, smooth transfer to UNBC:

1. Haven't applied to UNBC and have questions? Contact futurestudents@unbc.ca or visit https://unbc4u.unbc.ca. Our UNBC Recruitment team is happy to answer questions and help you apply to your desired program.

2. Once you have been admitted and have received your Transfer Credit Summary, touch base with your Student Advisor.

Your Student Advisor can help discuss how your transfer credits will be applied towards your UNBC program, any and all resources available to you and ultimately guide you through things you might not know about transferring to UNBC! Don't know who your student Advisor is? Find out here: https://www2.unbc.ca/advising/contact

3. Read carefully through all the details of your Pathway (this document).

We have included many details in this document about multiple aspects of the transfer process. Have a question? Email transfercredit@unbc.ca.

4. Use the BC Transfer Guide!

The BC Transfer Guide (<u>www.bctransferguide.ca</u>) allows you to search how your post-secondary coursework might transfer to UNBC. In conjunction with your pathway document, we highly recommend using the BC Transfer Guide to explore how your previous post-secondary courses might transfer to UNBC!

5. Know what 'Academic Calendar' means.

When admitted to UNBC, you are following the program requirements of the Academic Calendar of your admit year. For example, if you are admitted for September 2022, you will be following the 2022-2023 Academic Calendar throughout the entirety of your undergraduate degree. Please ensure you are not simply "Googling" your program requirements but using the appropriate Academic Calendar by visiting www.unbc.ca/calendar. To learn more about your academic calendar, touch base with your Student Advisor.

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¹ Course equivalencies were determined through the articulation process and are listed on the BC Transfer Guide, www.bctransferguide.ca
Student will need to choose coursework appropriately so as not to receive duplicate Transfer Credit.

² Both SSFC COMM 201 & COMM 202 must be taken to receive noted transfer credit.

³ Both SSFC FSTY 10 & FSTY 60 must be taken to receive noted transfer credit.

⁴ Both SSFC FSTY 44 & FSTY 76 must be taken to receive noted transfer credit.

^{**}For ease of progression, we highly encourage you to complete these UNBC Equivalent courses prior to starting your first semester. Course equivalences are listed on the BC Transfer Guide, www.bctransferguide.ca; please send your official transcript to UNBC for credit.

6. Hold onto your previous institution's course outlines!

It's very possible that you have taken a course that needs to be reviewed. If this is the case, we may ask for course outlines in order to give you the most accurate and up-to-date information. Additionally, if you receive 'UNSP' credit as the course has never been reviewed, you can submit your course outlines to transfercredit@unbc.ca.

7. Understand the terminology!

Not sure what 'UNSP' means? Confused by the course numbering assigned to your transfer credit (ie. 2XX)? Be sure to visit our Transfer Credit Definitions page to learn more about your transfer credit: https://www2.unbc.ca/registrar/transfer-credit-definitions

8. Be Patient!

Great things take time. Similarly, it can take up to 6 weeks for courses to be articulated once you have submitted course outlines.

9. Understand your Degree Evaluation!

Your Degree Evaluation is available once course registration opens/is open for your first semester at UNBC. Your degree evaluation organizes your course work for you, showing you how your transfer credit is being used and can help you track your progress to graduation.

https://www2.unbc.ca/advising/understanding-your-degree-evaluation

10. Want to find out how many courses you have remaining to complete a Bachelor's degree?

Completing a two-year program does not automatically mean that you will only have 2 years remaining of a Bachelor's degree. The remaining coursework is very subjective as each transfer student might have taken different courses. This means that it is very possible that you may have to take first year courses at UNBC. For a smooth transfer into the program, we highly recommend completing any courses listed under the 'Recommended Courses to take' section of the pathway if applicable. Contact your Student Advisor for more information!

Additional Questions? Here's who to contact:

Admissions – admissions@unbc.ca

Transfer Credit – transfercredit@unbc.ca

Degree Evaluation and Advising Questions:

- Find out who your Advisor is: https://www2.unbc.ca/advising/contact
- Then reach out and send them an email!

We are looking forward to seeing you at UNBC!

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