



WESTERN CATS

AzTAP Agreement

Date: _____

AWC Major: _____

Student Name: _____

UA Major: _____

AWC Student ID: _____

UA Start Term: _____

I understand the terms of the Western Cats Transfer Bridge Agreement for transferring from Arizona Western College to The University of Arizona. Specifically, I have met with an AWC Transfer Specialist and understand the terms of the Arizona Transfer Admissions Pathway (AzTAP) and the following:

- Arizona Western College and The University of Arizona will share my admission and transcript information.
- All information I provide may be retained in the records of both institutions.
- Three-year time limit for completing the Arizona Western College AzTAP coursework, beginning with the term I enter into the AzTAP.
- I am subject to all policies, rules, and conditions of each institution in which I am enrolled during any given semester.
- Successful participation in the Bridge program and Pathway provides opportunities for Bridge scholarships, and completion of the first two years of most UA undergraduate degree programs.

FERPA Statement:

The federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974 protects the privacy of student educational records, including transcripts, by placing certain restrictions on the disclosure of that information. As a result, your written authorization is required in order for Arizona Western College and The University of Arizona to release your educational records to each other for the purpose of providing admission, credit evaluation, academic counseling, financial aid, and other services. All educational records are released subject to the confidentiality provisions of appropriate state and federal laws and regulation. All information may be retained in the records of both systems.

Authorization:

- I authorize the release of my academic records between Arizona Western College and The University of Arizona without prior notice and understand my academic records will be maintained by both institutions.
- I understand that by submitting this Transfer Bridge Agreement, I am authorizing the University of Arizona to enroll me in the UA Bridge program.
- I understand that I have the right to rescind this authorization at any time by notifying both institutions in writing of my decision.
- I understand that such revocation will not affect any disclosures previously made before receipt of any such written revocation.
- If it is appropriate to award an associate degree, my signature below gives permission to the community college to award the degree and notify me of the results without further intervention on my part.

Student Signature

Date

Transfer Specialist Signature

Date