

# Five after Five Application Information



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# Wayne Community College Five after Five Program Earn an Associate in Arts Degree in One Year

## **Program Overview**

The Five after Five accelerated degree program at Wayne Community College allows students the opportunity to earn an Associate in Arts degree in one year. Courses will be completed during five 8-Week Mini-Semesters utilizing both online and face to face evening classes at WCC's Seymour Johnson Air Force Base location.

Five after Five students must be 100% dedicated to the rigor of the program. The Five after Five cohort model will allow students to share their experiences and successes with the same classmates throughout the duration of the program.

To be eligible for the transfer of all college credits under the North Carolina Comprehensive Articulation Agreement, students must graduate from the community college with an Associate in Arts (AA) or Associate in Science (AS) degree and have an overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 2.0 on a 4.0 scale and a grade of "C" or better in all CAA courses. Students who do not complete the degree are eligible to transfer credits on a course-by-course basis.

#### Advantages of pursuing the Five after Five Program

- 1. Completion of an Associate of Arts degree in one year.
- 2. Transferability of courses under the Articulation Agreement (as stated above).
- 3. Cost of program:
  - The Associate of Arts degree has 60 61 General Education credits required for graduation. The cost per credit hour is \$76.00. Wayne Community College only charges for 16 hours of credit, the cost savings each term would be as follows:
  - Fall I & Fall II = 20 hours 16 hours = a savings of \$304.00
  - Spring I & Spring II = 25 hours 16 hours = a savings of \$684.00
  - By taking classes in an accelerated format, students will save a total of \$988.00

OR

#### **Minimum Five after Five Qualifications**

- 1. Must be admitted to WCC with the intention of attending as a fulltime student.
- 2. Must meet one of the following:

Minimum of 2.6 unweighted High School GPA

Four High School math courses, and

Graduated from a NC high school within the past 5 years

WCC will evaluate ACT or SAT scores to determine if you are college-ready in math and English using the following scores:

English: ACT Reading 22 or ACT English 18 SAT Writing 500 SAT Critical Reading 500

Math: ACT Math 22 SAT Math 500

Or take placement test and place into ENG 111 and MAT 152

- 3. Must be willing to attend classes online and on WCC's Seymour Johnson Air Force Base campus.
- 4. Must have a valid driver's license and valid car insurance and complete the necessary paperwork to obtain a Seymour Johnson Air Force Base visitor pass.

### **Preferred Five after Five Qualifications**

- Unweighted High School GPA of 3.0 or higher
- Ability to utilize technology effectively to complete online course work
- Prior enrollment with earned credit hours towards the Associate in Arts degree

#### **Persistence Guidelines**

- Attend Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters
- Secure financial resources to complete program (i.e. FAFSA, self-pay, or scholarships)
- Meet with advisor every semester prior to and during registration
- Attend all classes in which you are enrolled
- Not withdraw from any course without first seeking guidance from academic advisor.
- Maintain a cumulative GPA of at least a 2.0 or above, failure to do so will result in removal from the Five after Five accelerated program.
- Seek academic resources, such as tutoring, as prescribed by either instructor or advisor
- · Provide current contact information and update staff with any changes
- Reply to email and phone messages in a timely manner when contacted by faculty and staff
- Abide by all institutional policies regarding code of conduct and successful enrollment by registering for appropriate courses each 8 weeks.

#### Timeline

- For earliest consideration, applications for the Five after Five will be accepted February 15-March 30.
- Late applications will be accepted until the programs fills.
- Applicant status notification: June 4-8.
  There will be a mandatory orientation. Information for the orientation will be in your acceptance package.
- Classes begin: August 16

#### Location

WCC's Seymour Johnson Air Force Base campus located in the Watkins Das Learning Center.

#### How to apply

- Apply online for admission to Wayne Community College at <u>cfnc.org</u>. Please select Associate of Arts Five After Five as degree program of interest.
- 2. Apply for residency status through www.ncresidency.org
- 3. Send all official high school and college transcripts, ACT and/or SAT scores if needed, or take the placement test (Call Counseling Services at 919-739-6732 to schedule placement testing).
- 4. Apply for Financial Aid by completing the FAFSA Application.
- 5. Submit the Supplemental Five after Five Application form.
- 6. Attend the Five after Five orientation. We will schedule this upon your acceptance to the program.

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# Five after Five Courses by Semester

#### FIRST SEMESTER (FALL)

BIO 110 (4sh) ONLINE - 16-Week Class

#### First 8 weeks (7sh)

ENG 111 (3sh) - HYBRID MAT 152 (4sh) - HYBRID ACA 122 (1sh) - ONLINE

#### Second 8 weeks (9sh)

ART 111 (3sh) - HYBRID ENG 112 (3sh) - HYBRID PSY 150 (3sh) - ONLINE

#### SECOND SEMESTER (SPRING)

First 8 weeks (13sh) COM 231 (3sh) – ONLINE

PHI 240 (3sh) – HYBRID SOC 210 (3sh) – ONLINE ECO 251 (3sh) - HYBRID

#### Second 8 weeks (12sh)

HEA 110 (3sh) – ONLINE BUS 110 (3sh) – ONLINE REL 110 (3sh) – HYBRID HIS 131 (3sh) - HYBRID

#### THIRD SEMESTER (SUMMER) (14sh)

HUM 110 (3sh) – ONLINE PED 110 (2sh) – ONLINE BUS 110 (3sh) – ONLINE PSY 241 (3sh) – HYBRID Elective OR major Math requirement (3 or 4 sh)