

Time Limitations

School of Arts and Science		
Discipline	Subject Code	Time Limit
English	ENGL	15 Years
Interpersonal Communications	COMM	15 Years
Anatomy	ANAT	10 Years
Biology	BIOL	10 Years
Chemistry	CHEM	10 Years
Canadian Studies	CNST	10 Years
Economics	ECON	10 Years
Health Science	HESC	4 Years
Indigenous	INDG	10 Years
Math	MATH	10 Years
Philosophy	PHIL	10 Years
Physics	PHYS	10 Years
Politics	POSC	10 Years
Psychology	PSYC	10 Years
Sociology	SOCI	10 Years
Women and Gender Studies	WGST	10 Years

School of Health and Wellness		
Program	Subject Code	Limit
Health Care Aide Certificate	HCAD	3 Years
Interdisciplinary Therapy Assistant Diploma	IDTP	5 Years
Practical Nurse Diploma	NURS	4 Years

Pharmacy Technician Diploma	PHRM	4 Years
Perioperative Nursing Post-Diploma	NURS	4 Years
Psychiatric Nurse Diploma	PNRS	4 Years
Recreation Therapy Aide Certificate	RTAD	3 Years

School of Community Studies		
Program	Subject Code	Limit
Addiction Studies Diploma	ADDC	5 Years
Child and Youth Care Diploma	CYCR	5 Years
Disability Studies Certificate/Diploma	DAST	5 Years
Early Childhood Education and Development Certificate/Diploma	ELCC	5 Years
Education Assistant Certificate	EDAS	5 Years
Justice Studies Diploma	JUST	5 Years
Social Work Diploma	SWOR	5 Years
Other Transfers	Courses	
Alberta Council of Disability Studies Certificate	DAST1999	No time limitation

Chiu School of Business		
Program	Subject Code	Limit
Administrative Professional Certificate	ADMN	10 Years
Business Administrative - All Majors - Diploma	All courses	10 Years
Esports Business Management Diploma	ESPR	10 Years
Human Resources Certificate	HRES	10 Years
Interior Decorating Diploma	IDEC, CADD	4 Years
Legal Assistant Diploma	LEGL	10 Years
Medical office Assistant and Unit Clerk Certificate	MOAS, HUCL	5 Years
Veterinary Office Assistant Certificate	VOAS, HUCL	5 Years
Universal Courses	Courses	

Microsoft Software Courses	Microsoft Software Courses 2016 or later	10 Years
Business Communications	MGMT1201	10 Years
Other Transfers	Courses	
Financial Planning Certification of Achievement	FNSR2303: Mutual Fund License	No time limitation
Financial Planning Canada Letter	Only some courses accepted	4 Years
Insurance Institute of Canada	FNSR2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107	10 Years
Risk Management Certificate of Achievement	FNSR2401, 2402, 2403	No time limitation

School of Technology		
Program	Subject Code	Limit
Cybersecurity Solutions Diploma	CLCM	4 Years
Data Management and Analytics Post-diploma Certificate	All specialized courses	4 Years
Digital Design Diploma	DESN	4 Years
Digital Design - Apprenticeship Style Diploma	All specialized courses	4 Years
Digital Marketing Post-diploma Certificate	DESN, DATA	4 Years
Health Data Analytics Diploma	DATA	4 Years
Information Technology Solutions Diploma	ISEC, TECH	4 Years
Software Development Diploma	SODV	4 Years
Software Development - Apprenticeship Style Diploma	All specialized courses	4 Years
Software Development Post-Diploma Certificate	All specialized courses	4 Years

Centre for Entertainment Arts		
Program	Subject Code	Limit
Advance 3D Animation & 3D Modelling Diploma	ANMO	3 Years
Advance Film Production Diploma	FIPR	3 Years
Advanced Game Development Diploma	GAME	3 Years
Advance Visual FX Diploma	VFXP	3 Years
Foundation in Entertainment Arts Certificate	ARTF	3 Years

The time limitation chart is for the academic 2025 to 2030 year at Bow Valley College confirmed by the respective Associate Deans and Program Chairs. The chart is maintained and distributed by the Transfer Credit and PLAR Team. Please be aware the chart is subject to change at the departments discretion. Official reviews are done every 5 years. Contact your transfer team if you have any questions at transfercredit@bowvalleycollege.ca