

Transfer Plan for Bay College Biological Sciences—B.A. or B.S. Degree College of Liberal Arts and Sciences clas.wayne.edu/biology—313-993-4217

This transfer plan will help guide you in making the transition from community college to Wayne State University. Here are some things to keep in mind before you begin:

- No more than 64 credits from a two-year school will apply toward a Wayne State University degree, though all courses taken will be listed on the Wayne State University student record. If you are following an articulation agreement, more than 64 credits may transfer.
- We strongly recommend that you see an academic advisor to learn what the path to your degree looks like. You can make an appointment <u>here</u> You are encouraged to see an advisor while you are taking classes at your community college to ensure you are taking the correct courses. If you need help making an appointment, please call the Transfer Student Success Center at 313-577-2487.

One of the main areas of focus for transfer students is **General Education Requirements.** These are classes in addition to courses within your major that are required to ensure fundamental skills and a well-rounded education. There are three ways that transfer students can meet these requirements:

# Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)

A student whose community college transcript is endorsed as "MTA satisfied" has completed WSU's General Education Requirements. See your community college for specific <u>MTA information and courses that qualify for MTA</u>. **Note**: Students must take either a second course in English Composition or one course in Communications beyond the MTA requirements at the community college.

## **MACRAO** Agreement

A student whose community college transcript is endorsed as "MACRAO satisfied," has the "MACRAO stamp," or has earned one of the following associates degrees (Associate of Arts, Associate of Science, Associate of Baccalaureate Studies or Associate of Liberal Arts) has completed WSU's General Education Requirements.

## Direct Course Equivalencies for each area (choose one from each area)

If you do not have an MTA or MACRAO endorsement, you can transfer the courses below to meet each requirement.

Basic Composition (BC)	ENGL 101 or 101H
Intermediate Composition (IC)	ENGL 102
Writing Intensive (WI)	Must be taken at WSU
Critical Thinking (CT)	No equivalent courses at Bay.
Oral Communication (OC)	COMM 104
Mathematics Competency (MC)	Effective Fall 2016, the Math Competency Requirement has been temporarily suspended for all undergraduate students.
American Society and Institutions (AI)	POLI 111, 111H, 262, 262H
Foreign Culture (FC)	SPAN 220
Historical Studies (HS)	HIST 101, 101H, 102, 102H
Life Sciences (LS) <u>Note</u> : One Life Science <i>or</i> Physical Science course must include a laboratory.	Fulfilled by Major Requirements on page 2.
Physical Sciences (PS) <u>Note</u> : One Life Science or Physical Science course must include a laboratory.	CHEM 103, 110, PHYS 104, 201, 205
Philosophy and Letters (PL)	ENGL 200, 200H, 203, PHIL 201

Social Sciences (SS)	ANTH 201, 201H, ECON 131, 132, GEOG 102, 121, SOCY 151, 207
Visual and Performing Arts (VP)	ARTS 163, 163H, 204, 207, COMM 225, MUSC 153, 153H, 154

### **College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Requirements:**

Civilization & Societies (CS)	No equivalent courses at Bay.
Third Course in Natural Science	Fulfilled by Major Requirements below.
Completion of one foreign language through the third semester	SPAN 220
A second Social Science course	ANTH 201, 201H, ECON 131, 132, GEOG 102, 121, SOCY 151, 207

# **Major Requirements**

These courses are required for your major program of study.

### B.A. Degree Requirements

WSU Course	Bay Course
BIO 1500	BIOL 202
BIO 1510 (LS) + (LB)	BIOL 112
BIO 2200 (LS) + (LB)	BIOL 226
MAT 1800 (MC)	MATH 110+111
STA 1020	MATH 210

### **B.S. Degree Requirements**

WSU Course	Bay Course
BIO 1500	BIOL 202
BIO 1510 (LS) + (LB)	BIOL 112
BIO 2200 (LS) + (LB)	BIOL 226
PHY 2130 (PS) + 2131 (LB)	PHYS 201
PHY 2140 + PHY 2141	PHYS 202
OR	
PHY 2170 (PS) + 2171 (LB)	PHYS 205
PHY 2180 + 2181	PHYS 206
MAT 2010 (MC)	MATH 141
MAT 2020	MATH 142
STA 1020	MATH 210

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