



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 [here](#) 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 [MTA information and courses that qualify for MTA](#).

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)	ENG 131 or 131H
Intermediate Composition (IC)	ENG 132, 132H, or 135
Writing Intensive (WI)	Must be taken at WSU
Critical Thinking (CT)	PHIL 131
Oral Communication (OC)	SPC 131
Mathematics Competency (MC)	Effective Fall 2016, the Math Competency Requirements has been temporarily suspended for all undergraduate students.
American Society and Institutions (AI)	POLS 131
Foreign Culture (FC)	ARA 231, FRE 231, GER 231, SPN 231
Historical Studies (HS)	HIST 111, 112, 113, 261
Life Sciences (LS) <i>Note:</i> One Life Science or Physical Science course must include a laboratory.	BIO 130, 131, 135, 138, 152, 251, HPE 141, 253, PSY 131
Physical Sciences (PS) <i>Note:</i> One Life Science or Physical Science course must include a laboratory.	ASTR 131, CHEM 131, 141, GEOL 131, PHYS 120, 131, 133, 231 PSCI 131, 135

Philosophy and Letters (PL)	ENG 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 237, 239, 241, 243, 245, HON 151 PHIL 130, 133, 135, 138, 139, WR 130, 131, 232, 233, 236, 240
Social Sciences (SS)	ANTH 131, BEC 133, 151, 152, GEOG 132, SOC 131, 151, SSC 131
Visual and Performing Arts (VP)	ART 121, 122, HUM 101, MUS 130, 132, 133, 232, THEA 131 TCM 132

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Requirements

Civilization & Societies (CS)	ANTH 152, WR 131, 232, 233, 240
Third Course in Natural Science	Choose an additional course from the Life Sciences (LS) or Physical Sciences (PS) categories.
Completion of one foreign language through the third semester	ARA 231, FRE 231, GER 231, SPN 231
A second Social Science course	ANTH 131, BEC 133, 151, 152, GEOG 132, SOC 131, 151, SSC 131

Major Requirements

These courses are required for your major program of study.

B.S. Degree Requirements

WSU Course	HFC Course
GEL 1010 (LP)	GEOL 131
<i>Cognate Requirements:</i>	
MAT 1800 (not required after MAT 2010)	MATH 175
MAT 2010	MATH 180
PHY 2130+2131 (PS)(LB) or PHY 2170+2171 (PS)(LB)	PHYS 131 or PHYS 231
PHY 2140+2141 or PHY 2180+2181	PHYS 132 or PHYS 232
CHM 1220 (PS)+ 1230 (LB)	CHEM 141
<i>Strongly Recommended:</i>	
BIO 1500	BIO 150

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WSU Course	HFC Course
GEL 1010 (LP)	GEOL 131
<i>Cognate Requirements:</i>	
MAT 1800 (not required after MAT 2010)	MATH 175
MAT 2010	MATH 180
<i>Choose two classes across two disciplines</i>	
BIO @	BIO 150, 152, 251, or 134
CHM @	CHEM 141, 241, or 242
PHY @	PHYS 131, 132, 231, or 232

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