



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.

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| <b>Basic Composition (BC)</b>  | Fulfilled by Prerequisite Requirements on page 2.   |
| <b>Intermediate Composition (IC)</b>   | ENGL 102, 103, HONR 251   |
| <b>Writing Intensive (WI)</b>  | Must be taken at WSU  |
| <b>Critical Thinking (CT)</b>  | PHIL 102  |
| <b>Oral Communication (OC)</b>   | COMM 101  |
| <b>Mathematics Competency (MC)</b>   | Effective Fall 2016, the Math Competency Requirement has been temporarily suspended for all undergraduate students. |
| <b>American Society and Institutions (AI)</b>  | HONR 141 or POSC 101  |
| <b>Foreign Culture (FC)</b>  | FORL 221  |
| <b>Historical Studies (HS)</b>   | HIST 101 or 102   |
| <b>Life Sciences (LS)</b><br><i>Note:</i> One Life Science or Physical Science course must include a laboratory.     | Fulfilled by Prerequisite Requirements on page 2.   |
| <b>Physical Sciences (PS)</b><br><i>Note:</i> One Life Science or Physical Science course must include a laboratory. | AGRI 110, CHEM 101, 111, PHSC 104, PHYS 101, 201  |

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| <b>Philosophy and Letters (PL)</b>     | ENGL 203, 204, 205, HONR 171, PHIL 101                                   |
| <b>Social Sciences (SS)</b>            | Fulfilled by Prerequisite Requirements below.                            |
| <b>Visual and Performing Arts (VP)</b> | ART 101, 102, 200, 201, DRAM 201, HUMN 201, 209, 211, 212, 213, MUSI 109 |

### **Prerequisite Requirements**

These courses are required before beginning professional coursework.

| <b>WSU Course</b>  | <b>Lake Michigan Course</b> |
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| ENG 1020 (BC)      | ENGL 101 or HONR 250        |
| BIO 1510 (LS)+(LB) | BIOL 101 or 111             |
| PSY 1020 (LS)      | HONR 121 or PSYC 201        |
| PSY 2400           | PSYC 203                    |
| SOC 2000 (SS)      | SOC 101                     |
| BIO 2870           | BIOL 205                    |
| CHM 1020 (PS)+(LB) | Must be taken at WSU.       |
| BIO 2200 (LS)+(LB) | BIOL 210                    |
| CHM 1030           | Must be taken at WSU.       |

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