# Transfer Student Success Center
# Transfer Planning Guide

**Information Technology – B.S. Degree**
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This transfer plan will help guide you in making the transition from community college to Wayne State University. WSU **strongly** recommends that all transfer students meet with a WSU advisor in order to ensure you are taking the correct courses before transferring. Here's the advisor contact information to set up an appointment:

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One of the main areas of focus for transfer students is the WSU **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 two 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 here for specific MTA information and courses that qualify for MTA: http://www.wcccd.edu/students/pdfs/Catalog_2018-2019_FINAL_Web.pdf **(See pages 33-35 of the course catalog)**

## Direct Course Equivalencies for each category

- If you do not have an MTA endorsement, you can transfer the courses below to meet each requirement.
- Choose **one** from each category **except** for the Natural Scientific Inquiry, which requires **two** courses.
- Courses with an **asterisk (*)** fall under more than one category, but these courses will fulfill only one category that would benefit the student most.

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| **Basic Composition (BC)** | ENG 119 |
| **Intermediate Composition (IC)** | ENG 120, 134 |
| **Oral Communication (OC)** | Must be taken at WSU (ENG 3060) |
| **Quantitative Experience (QE)** | MAT 131, 155+156, 171, 172 |
| **Civic Literacy (CIV)** | AAS 131*, HIS 249*, 250*, PS 101*, 104* |
| **Global Learning Inquiry (GL)** | ARA 201, FRE 201, GRM 201, HIS 151*, HUM 103*, MWS 103, SPA 201 |
| **Natural Scientific Inquiry (NSI) - Choose 2**<br>Note: One of the two required NSI courses must contain a laboratory section (See the courses that are underlined). Recommend PSY1010 @ WSU for NSI + Lab Course for MGT 2530 pre req at WSU | ANT 153, AST 101, BIO 125, 151, 155, 165 + 175, 295, CHM 105, 136, DT 130, GEL 210, PHY 115, 235, 265, PSY 101 |
| **Cultural Inquiry (CI)** | AAS 175, 253, ENG 212*, 231, 232, 233, 234, 240, 266, 280, HUM 101, 102*, 103*, 141, 211, 212, 221, 222, 231, 232, PHL 101, 102, 201, 221 |
| **Social Inquiry (SI)** | AAS 131*, ANT 152, 154, CJS 100, ECO 101, 102, GEO 202, HIS 151*, 152, 249*, 250*, PS 101*, 104*, SOC 100, 103* |
| **Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Inquiry (DEI)** | ENG 212*, HUM 102*, MUS 121, SOC 103*, SW 101 |

## Major Requirements

These courses are required for your major program of study.

**Completion not required prior to transfer. Consult with a WSU Computer Science advisor for complete transfer plan prior to taking any major requirements.**

| WSU Course | WCCCD Course |
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| MAT 2010 (QE) | MAT 171 |
| ENG 3010 (IC) or ENG 3050 (IC) | ENG 120 or ENG 3050 at WSU (no equivalent course at WCCCD) |
| CSC 1100 | CIS 207 or 209 |
| EET 2720 | CT 205 |

## Business Minor Requirements:

These courses are required for your major program of study. Completion not required prior to transfer. Consult with a WSU Business advisor for complete transfer plan prior to taking any Business minor requirements.

| WSU Course | WCCCD Course |
|---|---|
| ACC 3010 | ACC 110 |
| MGT 2530 | MGT 205 |
| MKT 2300 | MKT 200 |
| ECO 2010 | ECO 102 |
| ECO 2020 | ECO 101 |
| TIS/ISM ELECTIVES | Must be taken at WSU (no equivalent courses |

*****It is recommended that students take TIS/ISM 3630 and the required two electives at WSU to satisfy the residency requirement of the Business minor (at least 9 credits completed at WSU). *****

## Contact Information:

Information Technology Major questions: cmckenney@wayne.edu
Business Minor questions: businessminors@wayne.edu

## Advising Recommendations

- You will want to have credit in at least the following before beginning at WSU:
  - Calc 1 = MAT 171
  - CSC 1100 = CIS 207 or CIS 209
  - EET 2720 = CT 205

## Understanding Transfer Credit

- **What will transfer?** All college-level classes from regionally accredited colleges with a grade of 2.0 (C) or above will transfer. There are no specific limits to the number of transfer credits. However, each academic program has specific requirements that must be satisfied which helps determine the best number of credits to transfer.
- **How will it transfer?** Courses transfer as the number of credits earned at the college where you took the class. This is true regardless of the number of credits the Wayne State equivalent course is worth. Each transferred course will match one of the following types of credits:
  - **Equivalent credit** – matches a specific WSU course.
  - **Department credit** – transfer into the academic department without a specific WSU course match.
  - **Elective credits** – transfer as general or elective credit (GEN 1XXX or GEN 2XXX).

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