WSU Transfer Students Should Remember:

Dual Advising
WSU strongly suggests that potential transfer students involve their WSU advisor in program planning. Sign up for dual advising here: www.wichita.edu/dualadvising.

Graduation Requirements
To qualify for graduation with a WSU bachelor’s degree, transfer students must meet certain requirements such as course credit hours, levels, GPA, and residency. Transfer students should visit the following page to familiarize themselves with all requirements: http://catalog.wichita.edu/undergraduate/academics/graduation.

WSU Transfer Policy – Credit Acceptance
It is the policy of Wichita State University (WSU) to accept all credits – with the exception of remedial coursework – earned at a post-secondary institution accredited by one of the U.S. regional accrediting agencies. Each academic college or department within WSU determines how those credits apply toward a particular degree program. Sometimes there can be a significant difference between what transfers and what counts toward a degree, especially if the courses are vocational in nature.

WSU Transfer Policy – AA/AS Degrees
Students transferring to WSU with an AA or AS degree from a Kansas public community college will be considered to have satisfied WSU’s general education curriculum provided that they successfully complete, at WSU (with a grade of C- or better), two general education courses numbered 300 or above. These two courses must be in two separate divisions or subject areas. Students must also complete the WSU or WSU-equivalent Foundation courses listed at right.

INDEPENDENCE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

WSU FAIRMOUNT COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES
http://www.wichita.edu/las
316-978-4757
las.advisor@wichita.edu

The following Fairmount College requirements must be met in order for students to receive the Bachelor of Arts (BA), the Bachelor of Science (BS), or the Bachelor of General Studies (BGS) degrees from Fairmount College. Courses taken to fulfill these requirements also satisfy the university’s general education distribution requirements.

- 1 Fine Arts course
- 2 Humanities courses (2 disciplines)
- 1 upper division Fine Arts or Humanities course
- 2 Social and Behavioral Science courses (2 disciplines)
- 1 upper division Social and Behavioral Science course
- 1 additional Social and Behavioral Science course. Can be from student’s major (BA and BGS only)
- 2 Natural Science courses (one biological, one physical)
- 1 upper division Natural Science course
- 1 Natural Science laboratory

Additional Requirements:
- 1 literature course (counts as a Humanities)
- 1 American political system course: HIST 131 or 132 (Humanities) or POLS 121 (Social and Behavioral Science)

Foreign Language Requirement: All Bachelor of Arts degrees and the Bachelor of Science degrees in Criminal Justice and Homeland Security require a foreign language through the intermediate level.

NOTE: For purposes of this transfer guide, “Lab” in the course name or “(L)” after the course name indicates that the WSU equivalent course carries the “laboratory” attribute.

General Education Program at WSU

Effective Fall 2020, with AA/AS exceptions noted at left, students must complete 36 credit hours of general education requirements as part of their WSU bachelor’s degree. At least three courses of the 36 credit hours must be numbered 300 or above.

One course from the student’s major area may be used toward general education requirements.

The 36 credit hours are divided as follows:
- 12 credit hours: four foundation courses
- 12 credit hours: one course from each of the four academic divisions
- 12 credit hours: four courses chosen from at least two of the four academic divisions

Independence CC courses approved for general education credit by the WSU College of Fairmount College of Liberal Arts & Sciences are shown below.

Foundation Courses
Must complete all four courses with a grade of C- or better.

- ENG 1003 English Composition I
- ENG 1013 English Composition II
- COM 1203 Public Speaking
- MAT 1023 College Algebra or MAT 1055 Analytic Geom/Calc I or MAT 1093 Plane Trigonometry or MAT 1123 Contemporary Math
Academic Divisions for General Education

FINE ARTS
- ART 1043 Art Appreciation
- ART 2023 Ceramics I
- ART 2043 Ceramics II
- MUE 1303 Music Appreciation
- THR 1013 Theatre Appreciation
- THR 1023 Acting I
- THR 1093 Intro to Playwriting
- THR 1193 Playwriting II

HUMANITIES
- BUS 2113 Business Ethics
- COM 1233 Interpersonal Comm
- ENG 1073 Intro to Lit (Modern)
- ENG 1083 American Literature I
- ENG 2043 Intro to Dramatic Lit
- ENG 2083 Contemp Dramatic Lit
- ENG 2113 American Literature II
- ENG 2123 British Literature I
- ENG 2133 British Literature II
- ENG 2143 Survey of African Amer Lit
- FRL 2035 Spanish III
- FRL 2043 Spanish IV
- HIS 1003 World History I
- HIS 1013 World History II
- HIS 1023 US History I to 1877
- HIS 1063 US History II 1877-Pres
- PHI 1073 Ethics
- PHI 2003 Intro to Philosophy
- PHI 2073 Logic & Classical Reasng
- REL 1013 New Testament History

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
- BEH 1003 General Psychology
- BEH 1013 Child Psychology
- BEH 2003 Developmental Psych
- BEH 2013 Adolescent Psychology
- BEH 2043 Drugs & Behavior
- BUS 2023 Microeconomics
- BUS 2033 Macroeconomics
- CFL 1003 Conflict & Peacebuilding
- GEO 2013 World Regional Geog
- POL 1013 Intro to Political Science
- POL 1023 American Government
- SOC 1003 Intro to Sociology
- SOC 1013 Sociology of Families

Program-Specific Requirements

COURSES TO BEGIN LAS MAJORS
In the first two years of college, the program may include one or two courses that begin the major. Students transferring 48 hours or more to LAS must declare a specific LAS major or degree preference during the first semester of enrollment. The best initial courses for LAS majors are listed below.

Anthropology (BA)
Major courses at WSU

Biology (BA or BS)
- BIO 1115 Biology I: Principles of Cellular & Molecular Biology
- BIO 2115 Biology II: Principles of Organismal Biology
- PHS 1025 Chemistry I/Majors
- PHS 1035 Chemistry II/Majors

Chemistry (BA or BS)
- MAT 1055 Analytic Geom/Calc I
- MAT 2025 Analytical Geom/Calc II
- PHS 1025 Chemistry I/Majors
- PHS 1035 Chemistry II/Majors
- PHS 2055 Engineering Physics I

Communication (BA)
Major courses at WSU

Creative Writing (BA)
- ENG 2023 Creative Writing

Criminal Justice (BS)
- SOC 1113 Intro to Criminal Justice

English (BA)
- ENG 1083 American Literature I

Forensic Science (BS)
- BIO 1115 Biology I: Principles of Cellular & Molecular Biology
- BIO 2115 Biology II: Principles of Organismal Biology
- BIO 2045 Anatomy & Physiology
- PHS 1025 Chemistry I/Majors
- PHS 1035 Chemistry II/Majors

Geology (BA or BS)
- BIO 1115 Biology I: Principles of Cellular & Molecular Biology
- BIO 2115 Biology II: Principles of Organismal Biology
- BIO 2045 Anatomy & Physiology
- PHS 1025 Chemistry I/Majors
- PHS 1035 Chemistry II/Majors

History (BA)
- HIS 1003 World History I
- HIS 1013 World History II

Mathematics (BA or BS)
- MAT 1055 Analytic Geom/Calc I
- MAT 2025 Analytical Geom/Calc II
- PHS 1025 Chemistry I/Majors
- PHS 1035 Chemistry II/Majors

Modern Languages (BA)
Prerequisites for major courses

Philosophy (BA)
- PHI 2003 Intro to Philosophy

Physics (BA or BS)
- MAT 1055 Analytic Geom/Calc I
- MAT 2025 Analytical Geom/Calc II
• PHS 2055 Engineering Physics I
• PHS 2065 Engineering Physics II

Political Science (BA)
• POL 1023 American Government

Psychology (BA)
• BEH 1003 General Psychology
• BEH 2003 Developmental Psych
• BEH 2013 Adolescent Psychology

Social Work (BA)
• BEH 1003 General Psychology
• SOC 1003 Intro to Sociology
• SOC 1213 Intro to Social Work

Sociology (BA)
• SOC 1003 Intro to Sociology
• SOC 1013 Sociology of Families
• SOC 2023 Social Problems

Women's Studies (BA)
Major courses at WSU