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.

SALINA TECH
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

Salina Tech 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 101 English Composition I
• ENG 102 English Composition II
• COM 105 Public Speaking
• MAT 150 College Algebra or MAT 155 Trigonometry
Academic Divisions for General Education

FINE ARTS
• HUM 105 Art Appreciation
• MUS 100 Music Appreciation

HUMANITIES
• COM 102 Interpersonal Comm
• ENG 110 Intro to Literature
• HIS 105 US History I
• HIS 110 US History II
• HIS 115 World History I
• HIS 120 World History II
• HUM 101 Ethics in the Workplace
• HUM 115 Intro to Philosophy
• HUM 120 World Religions

SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
• ECO 105 Princ of Microeconomics
• ECO 110 Princ of Macroeconomics
• POL 105 American Government
• PSY 101 General Psychology
• PSY 105 Human Development
• SOC 101 Sociology

MATHEMATICS AND NATURAL SCIENCES
• BIO 105 General Biology (L)
• BIO 150 Anatomy & Physiology (L)
• CHM 105 General Chemistry
  and CHM 110 General Chemistry (L)
• PHS 100 Physics I
• PHS 110 Physical Science I
  and PHS 115 Physical Sci Lab
• PHS 120 Astronomy

Program-Specific Requirements

COURSES TO BEGIN LAS MAJORS
In the first two years of college, your 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
Major courses at WSU

Chemistry – BA or BS
• MAT 160 Analytical Geom & Calc I

Communication – BA
Major courses at WSU

Creative Writing – BA
Major courses at WSU

Criminal Justice – BS
Major courses at WSU

English – BA
Major courses at WSU

Forensic Science – BS
Major courses at WSU

Geology – BA or BS
• MAT 160 Analytical Geom/Calc I

History – BA
• HIS 105 US History I
• HIS 110 US History II
• HIS 115 World History I
• HIS 210 World History II

Mathematics – BA or BS
• MAT 160 Analytical Geom/Calc I

Modern Languages – BA
Major courses at WSU

Philosophy – BA
• HUM 101 Ethics in the Workplace
• HUM 115 Intro to Philosophy

Physics – BA or BS
• MAT 160 Analytical Geom/Calc I

Political Science – BA
• POL 105 American Government

Psychology – BA
• PSY 101 General Psychology
• PSY 105 Human Development

Social Work – BA
• PSY 101 General Psychology
• SOC 101 Sociology

Sociology – BA
• SOC 101 Sociology

Women’s Studies – BA
Major courses at WSU