

Transfer/Exchange Students

TRANSFER STUDENTS

Students from accredited colleges may apply for transfer standing if they have completed the equivalent of twenty-six (26) semester hours of college work and have earned at least a 2.5 better grade-point average on a 4.0 scale. Students who have previously applied to or who have been enrolled at Morehouse should make that fact known when contacting the Admissions Office.

All transfer students must complete a minimum of 60 semester hours at Morehouse College. A maximum of 60 semester hours (or the equivalent) is ordinarily transferable to Morehouse for credit if: (1) the prior college is accredited, (2) a grade "C" or better is earned in the course, and (3) the course is comparable to a course offered at Morehouse. Morehouse faculty members should be consulted on the question of course comparability and the candidate may be asked to submit course descriptions, syllabi and reading lists in addition to complete official transcripts. Transfer students should submit all transcripts and bring appropriate college catalogs from all other colleges previously attended. The College reserves the right to determine what credits, if any, may be transferred.

TRANSIENT AND EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Students at other colleges who wish to attend Morehouse College for one or two semesters may be admitted as transient students. This privilege is usually reserved for summer sessions and special exchange opportunities unless a formal exchange for the home institution exists with Morehouse. A letter of good standing and eligibility to return to the last institution attended is required. This letter, from the Academic Dean or Registrar of the home school, should also indicate approval for the student to take courses at Morehouse College. Transient students are admitted for a maximum of two semesters. Transient and exchange students are not eligible for Morehouse College financial aid funds.

TRANSFER CREDIT

The College will consider transfer credit for work earned at accredited institutions of higher education provided a grade of C or better has been earned. Credit for work earned at other schools will be evaluated by the Registrar or the Director of Admissions when that work is intended to substitute for courses in the core curriculum. In most instances, the department chair must be consulted prior to awarding substitution credit. Students should be prepared to provide course syllabi when requested to facilitate this substitution process. Credit for work in a major area of concentration will be determined by the department chair. There is no impact on the GPA. Except when otherwise noted, credit hours transfer but not grade points.

Exceptions: *Students enrolled in consortial programs sanctioned by Morehouse may receive full academic credit for courses taken, including grade points.*

New students who transfer from another four-year institution or junior college must submit in advance for admission, transcripts of all previous work done on the college level. Such transcripts must be sent directly from the institution at which the work was completed. Academic work completed at other schools that is not listed on the admission application will not be accepted for transfer purposes.

Enrolled Morehouse students planning to take courses away from Morehouse must complete the proper course approval forms available in the Office of Records and Registration.

Courses taken away from the College must be approved BEFORE the student registers for the course.