

## **Denison University - Transfer Policy**

We are delighted that you are considering a transfer to Denison University!

The [Denison Course Catalog](#) may be viewed on-line.

To apply, you must complete the [Transfer Common Application](#).

### **Application Deadlines**

Our transfer application deadline for January admission is December 1, and for August admission June 1. Applications need to be completed and in our hands by the corresponding deadline. As transfer applicants are accepted on a rolling basis, please be aware that we accept only a limited number of transfer students based on enrollment and residential availability.

### **Is There A Minimum GPA To Apply?**

A minimum of a 3.00 GPA is required to apply for admission.

### **Can I apply As A First-Year Transfer Student?**

Denison does not consider applications from first-year students who wish to transfer mid-year.

### **Are There Merit Scholarships Available for Transfer Students?**

Transfer students are automatically considered for merit scholarships which range from \$8,000-\$17,000.

### **Is A Campus Visit And Interview Required?**

Students are strongly encouraged to visit campus and arrange an interview. Preference will be given to students who have interviewed. A [campus tour and interview](#) may be scheduled on-line or by calling 1-800-DENISON. Whether you schedule on-line or by telephone, be sure to identify yourself as a transfer applicant.

### **How Do I Learn What Credits Will Transfer?**

If admitted to Denison, Sandra Cook, Transfer Credit Coordinator, will do a transfer credit evaluation. This evaluation includes a summary of all courses and credit hours acceptable toward graduation from Denison, as well as what General Education requirements will need to be fulfilled at Denison. The Transfer Credit Coordinator can be reached at [cooks@denison.edu](mailto:cooks@denison.edu) or by calling 740-587-5783.

### **What Do I Need To Know When Reviewing The Evaluation Of My Credits?**

Credit for course work completed at an accredited college or university normally will transfer, if the credits are in a discipline taught at Denison, and if a minimum grade of C was granted. There is no limit to the amount of transfer credit Denison will accept. However, to be eligible for a Denison degree, you

must complete at least 60 semester hours of credit at Denison; most courses are 4 credits. If you have received an Associate degree, it does not guarantee that you will enter Denison as a junior, since again the evaluation of transfer credit is based on course work, not degree granted.

### **How do I Register for Classes?**

Students may register for classes by scheduling an appointment with Lisa Ashton, Registration Coordinator. Registration may be completed either by phone or in person. The Registration Coordinator may be reached at [ashtonl@denison.edu](mailto:ashtonl@denison.edu) or by calling 740-587-6659.

### **Test Optional Policy**

Submission of the SAT or ACT is optional. The quality of your academic performance and the rigor of courses selected at both high school and college are the most important facts considered by the Admissions Committee. Independent of the admission process and solely for the purpose of the College's research, students who have taken the standardized tests must submit the official results of these tests upon enrolling.

### **What Are The Housing Options?**

Denison is a residential college with a variety of housing options. All students are required to live on-campus unless they live within a 25 mile radius with a parent or guardian. Transfer students will not be roomed with first-year students. For specific questions concerning housing please contact Donna Davis at [davidd@denison.edu](mailto:davidd@denison.edu) or by calling 740-587-6272.

### **August Orientation and January Orientation**

In August, transfer students arrive on-campus with the incoming first-year class. This allows transfer students an opportunity to become familiar with the campus and also to meet other transfer students. During August Orientation there are special sessions tailored to the interests of transfer students. For those transfer students entering in January, there will be an individual orientation. For specific questions concerning this orientation please contact Julie Chrislip at [chrislip@denison.edu](mailto:chrislip@denison.edu) or by calling 740-587-6224.

### **Transfer Application Requirements**

- High School Report (including final transcript)
- College/University Transcript
- College Official's Report
- College Instructor Evaluation
- SAT or ACT scores are optional upon application
- Application Fee - \$40.00 (waived if submitted online)

### **Enrollment Requirement**

Enrollment Deposit - non-refundable deposit of \$300.00

**Transfer Coordinator**

Ann Marie McIntyre is the Admissions Transfer Coordinator and may be reached at [mcintyre@denison.edu](mailto:mcintyre@denison.edu) or by phone at 740-587-6489.