

Transfer Students

Students are considered transfers when they have earned 30 or more [transferable college semester hours](#). Transfer applicants must submit the following to the Admissions Office.

1. Undergraduate application for admission.
2. \$25.00 non-refundable application fee. Please make checks or money orders payable to Alaska Pacific University.
3. Official transcripts from all institutions attended. High school transcripts are not required for transfer applications. A transcript is required from each postsecondary institution in which a student has been enrolled, whether or not credit was earned. Transcripts are considered official only if they are delivered in a sealed envelope from the issuing institution.
4. A [personal essay](#) based on one of several discussion topics.

A cumulative GPA of 2.00 is required for transfer students. Students with a GPA of less than 2.00 who otherwise demonstrate potential for academic success at Alaska Pacific University may be considered for admission. Such applicants may be invited for a personal interview or asked to take courses in areas of weakness.

The Registrar's Office will assess transfer credits earned by the applicant and will mail an evaluation of the student's transfer credit prior to class registration. The evaluation will show total hours accepted towards a degree at Alaska Pacific University. It will also show which General University Requirements have been met.

Transfer Matrix

Table of Substitutions

General University Requirements	Transfer Courses
LABORATORY SCIENCE	A 3-4 credit hour natural science with a laboratory component. Common examples include biology, chemistry, and geology.
SOCIAL/BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE	A 3-4 credit hour course in the social or behavioral sciences. Common examples include psychology, sociology, anthropology, economics, political science, or history (political/social).
ETHICAL AND RELIGIOUS VALUES	A 3-4 credit hour course in world religions, history of religion, or ethics that is nondenominational and inclusive, rather than narrow or specific.
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION	A 3-4 credit hour writing course or combination of writing courses, which require researched, documented writing appropriate to the student's discipline.
SPEECH COMMUNICATION	A 3-4 hour credit course in fundamentals of speech communications, public speaking, or small group communication.
QUANTITATIVE REASONING	A 3-4 hour credit course as follows: Intermediate algebra for AA degree students. For BA and BS degree students, college algebra, applied statistics, math concepts, or symbolic logic.
HUMANITIES (2 courses)	Two 3-4 credit hour courses in humanities; literature; cultural anthropology; history (intellectual/cultural); philosophy; or the history of art, music, or drama.
ORIENTATION: INTRODUCTION TO ACTIVE LEARNING SELF & SOCIETY IN CONTEXT	Required for all but senior transfer students but may be waived by advisor depending on individual students' educational experiences.
FOREIGN LANGUAGE	A 3-4 credit hour course in a language that is not the primary language. An English proficiency is required of students whose native language is not English.
SOPHOMORE SEMINAR	Required for all but senior transfer students but may be waived by advisor depending on individual students' educational experiences.

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