

Evaluation of Transfer College Credit: All college transcripts will be evaluated to determine admissibility of an applicant even if all or any of that credit is not accepted for transfer. The BYU Transfer Evaluation Office will determine the transferability of undergraduate credit to BYU.

Factors which can affect the transfer of credit include:

The transfer institution is accredited by one of the following regional associations or is an institution sponsored by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints:

- Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools
- New England Association of Schools and Colleges
- North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools
- Western Association of Schools and Colleges

In addition to accreditation, the following criteria are also considered when determining the transferability of credit and equivalencies: comparable credit hours, course level, seat time, and course descriptions. Vocational and technical credit is no longer accepted, even if earned at an accredited institution.

Additional factors that can affect the transfer of credit:

1. Military courses are evaluated using the ACE recommendations in the upper-division baccalaureate category from the Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Services.
2. Advanced Placement scores of 3, 4, and 5 and IB scores of 5, 6, or 7 will be awarded credit.
3. An Associate of Art or Science degree from any one of eight main feeder institutions (BYU-Idaho, College of Eastern Utah, Dixie State College, Mesa Community College, LDS Business College, Salt Lake Community College, Snow College, and Utah Valley University) will fill most BYU university core requirements with the exception of Advanced Written and Oral Communication, Languages of Learning, and the religion hours at BYU. Advanced Written and Oral Communication and the Languages of Learning requirements may be filled by completing specific courses at other colleges. Students who have questions about the completion of university core courses are invited to contact the BYU Transfer Evaluation Office, (801) 422-8522, for further information.
4. Most Associate of Art or Science degrees from other approved transfer institutions not listed above will fill most BYU university core requirements with the exception of American Heritage, Advanced Written and Oral Communication, Languages of Learning, and the religion hours at BYU. American Heritage, Advanced Written and Oral Communication, and the Languages of Learning requirements may be filled by completing specific courses at other colleges. NOTE: Associate of Art or Science degrees must include at least 30% solid, academic classes (i.e., general education) in order to fulfill BYU's university core requirements as stated above.

Associate of Art or Science degrees that include more than 70% vocational or technical courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis. Students who have questions about the completion of university core courses are invited to contact the BYU Transfer Evaluation Office, (801) 422-8522, for further information.

5. Credit is evaluated on a course-by-course basis for students who do not complete an Associate of Arts or Science degree. Transfer agreements have been established with some of BYU's main feeder institutions. A list of these schools and their transfer agreement can be found at <http://transfer.byu.edu>.
6. Credit earned more than eight years before admission or readmission (including transfer credit) may, at the discretion of the university, be accepted to meet general education and university graduation requirements as well as major requirements.
7. Credit earned from an LDS Institute of Religion must receive a Pass (P) grade and be posted to an official CES transcript.

Note: Any exceptions to this policy must be approved by the Academic Vice President.

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Regardless of printed admissions policies and procedures, the university reserves the right to refuse or rescind admission to any applicant.