

TRANSFER CREDIT REGULATIONS

The amount of credit granted to applicants for admission as transfer students depends upon the nature and quality of the applicant's previous work, evaluated according to the academic requirements of the University, and the following provisions:

1. Transfer credit earned by students at institutions accredited by a regional accrediting agency (such as the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools) or the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education will be accepted for transfer at face value. Credits earned at institutions accredited by a national accrediting agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education will be reviewed on a course-by-course basis and accepted for transfer if the course is determined to be substantially equivalent to a University of Oklahoma course or courses.
2. Lower-division courses transferred to the University of Oklahoma will generally be used to meet lower-division degree requirements. In the event that a lower-division transfer course is used as a substitution for an upper-division requirement at the University, a student may be required to complete additional upper-division hours for graduation.
3. A minimum of 60 semester hours must be earned in a senior college for a baccalaureate degree.
4. Transfer students who enter the University with an Associate of Arts or an Associate of Science from an institution in the Oklahoma State System of Higher Education are considered to have met the lower-division (1000- and 2000-level) course requirements of the University's General Education core curriculum. However, these students are still required to complete any lower-division coursework that is required beyond the University's lower-division General Education course requirements, as well as the upper-division (including General Education) course requirements for a degree.
5. The dean's office of each degree-recommending college has ultimate responsibility for determining how transfer credit will apply to a specific degree program. Since graduation requirements vary from college to college, a re-evaluation of transfer credit is required if a student changes degree colleges.
6. A transfer applicant under disciplinary probation or suspension will not be considered for admission until the terms of the probation or suspension have been met. **Students must meet appropriate application and credential deadlines for the term for which they are applying for readmission.**
7. Grades for courses taken at foreign institutions are used in determining admissibility to the University. However, once a student is admitted, transfer grades are changed to neutral (S or U) grades which do not affect the grade point average. The only exception to this policy is for foreign institutions that hold accreditation through a United States regional accrediting association.