## **Transfer of Credit**

Walters State Community College will accept credits transferred from accredited colleges. Certified transcripts of all previous records must be sent to the college at the time of the application. Credits for courses not corresponding with the curriculum at Walters State Community College will be entered on the transcript as elective credits. Credit from an institution of higher education which is not fully accredited may be accepted provisionally.

Upon arrival of a student's transcript, the transcript will initially be checked by the department of Admissions for the school's accreditation status.

If the transcript is from an accredited college,

- The hours will be equated to semester hours.
- A transcript will be reviewed using established equivalency tables and additional equivalency courses that have been approved by the division dean to determine appropriate transfer equivalency.
- Courses needed for graduation or program requirements will be evaluated by the appropriate division dean.

If the transcript is from a non accredited college, the office of Admissions will contact the appropriate academic dean/deans for individual course review. These credits may or may not be accepted.

Transfer courses will be entered on the student's permanent record. Grade point averages from transfer institutions will not be included with the Walters State GPA, but may be included for admission to certain programs and for financial aid satisfactory academic progress, or for scholarship retention.