

GRAND RAPIDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFER GUIDE

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND EDUCATION

GENERAL CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS – NEW CORE

This guide reflects the New Core Curriculum effective Fall 2017. Transfer students starting at Detroit Mercy between Fall 2017 and Summer 2021 will have the option to select this New Core or the Old Core. See Transfer Guides indicating “OLD CORE” for prior Core requirements.

The following courses will transfer as Detroit Mercy’s New Core Curriculum for the College of Liberal Arts and Education. Students may transfer a maximum of 63 credits toward a Bachelor’s Degree; course grades must be a C or better. Additional courses not on this guide may also transfer. Detroit Mercy Admissions: admissions@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1245. Website: udmercy.edu

Grand Rapids Community College Courses		Detroit Mercy Equivalencies	
Core Knowledge Area A: Communication Skills			
COM 131	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	CST 1010	Fundamentals of Speech A1
EN 102	English Composition 2	ENL 1310	Academic Writing A2
Core Knowledge Area B: Mathematics/Statistical Knowledge			
MA 107	Intermediate Algebra	MTH 1010	Algebra B1
BA 254; MA 215; PY 281		Choose 1 Statistical/Prob Reasoning course	B2
Core Knowledge Area C: Scientific Knowledge			
AS 102, 103, 106, 108; BI 117, 121, 122, 151-154; CHM 100, 110, 120, 130, 140, 210, 230; GE 132; GL 101, 104, 106, 111; PC 101, 141; PH 111, 115, 125, 126, 245, 246		Choose 1 Physical Sciences course	C1
CD 118, 120; EC 251, 252; GE 135; PS 110, 201, 202; PY 201, 231, 232, 260; SO 251, 254, 260		Choose 1 Social Sciences course	C2
Core Knowledge Area D: Religious and Philosophical Knowledge			
PL 201	Introduction to Philosophy	PHL 1000	Introduction to Philosophy D1
HU 281	Exploring World Religions	Religious Knowledge course	D2
PL 202, 207; HU 281		Choose 1 PHL/RELS Elective course	D3
Core Knowledge Area E: Essential Humanities			
AN 280; HS 101, 102, 121, 251; HU 204, 205		Choose 1 Historical Experiences course	E1
EN 233, 235, 237, 271, 272		Choose 1 Literary Experiences course	E2
AT 105, 106, 270, 271; HU 204, 205; MUS 110, 111, 130, 251, 252, 253; PO 105; TH 245, 248		Choose 1 Aesthetic Experiences course	E3
Core Knowledge Area F: Ethics and Social Responsibility			
PL 205, 206, 209		Choose 1 Ethics course	F1
Core Integrating Theme 3: Cultural Diversity			
AN 210, 280; ARA 101, 102; CD 116; CHI 101, 102; COM 236; EN 270; FR 101, 102, 231, 232; GE 135; GR 101, 102, 231, 232; HS 121, 225, 230, 251; PS 201; SL 150, 171, 172, 173; SP 101, 102, 231, 232		Choose 1 Cultural Diversity course	IT3
Additional Core Integrating Themes			
In some cases, these may be fulfilled by program requirements or other Knowledge Area courses. See a Detroit Mercy advisor for a defined list of approved courses and more information.		Additional Integrating Themes IT1, IT2, IT4, IT5, IT6	

MTA Students only:

Transfer students who satisfy the **Michigan Transfer Agreement** (MTA) will have the Core Knowledge Area requirements met. Fulfilling the Core Integrating Themes is still necessary. Students should select courses that meet both the MTA and program specific requirements.