

OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TRANSFER GUIDE

SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE

ARCHITECTURE – 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 may transfer into Detroit Mercy’s Architecture program. Students may transfer a maximum of 63 credits toward a Bachelor’s Degree; course grades must be a C or higher. If admitted under the OCC-Detroit Mercy Architecture Articulation Agreement, students may transfer up to 84 credits. Generally, a 3.0 GPA at OCC is necessary for admission. We encourage you to meet with a Detroit Mercy School of Architecture administrator to discuss individual curriculum plans. Additional courses not on this guide may also transfer.

Oakland Community College Courses	Detroit Mercy Equivalencies	
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Core Knowledge Area A: Communication Skills

COM 1600 Fundamentals of Speech	CST 1010 Fundamentals of Speech	A1
ENG 1520 Composition II	ENL 1310 Academic Writing	A2

Core Knowledge Area B: Mathematics/Statistical Knowledge

Satisfied by program requirement	Quant/Symbolic Reasoning course	B1
MAT 1580 Statistics	MTH 2140 OR STA 2245	B2

Core Knowledge Area C: Scientific Knowledge

BIO 1320, 1500, 1530, 1560, 1600, 2540, 2630, 2640; CHE 1000, 1320, 1510, 1520; FSN 1500; GEO 1510; GSC 1530, 1580, 1590, 1620; PHY 1031, 1610, 1620, 2400, 2500; PSC 1560	Choose 1 Physical Sciences course	C1
Must be taken at Detroit Mercy	PYC 2650 Psychology of the Environment	C2

Core Knowledge Area D: Religious and Philosophical Knowledge

PHI 1510 Introduction to Philosophy	PHL 1000 Introduction to Philosophy	D1
HUM 1710, 2720	Choose 1 Religious Knowledge course	D2
HUM 1710, 2720; PHI 1520, 1610, 1710, 2710	Choose 1 PHL/RELS Elective course	D3

Core Knowledge Area E: Essential Humanities

HIS 1510, 1550, 2510, 2520, 2610, 2620	Choose 1 Historical Experiences course	E1
ENG 1610, 1710, 1720, 2510-2560, 2750-2770	Choose 1 Literary Experiences course	E2
Satisfied by program requirement	Aesthetic Experiences course	E3

Core Knowledge Area F: Ethics and Social Responsibility

MDA 1350; PHIL 1610	Choose 1 Ethics course	F1
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Core Integrating Theme 3: Cultural Diversity

ANT 1540, 2750; ARB 1510, 1530; CHI 1510; COM 2290; FRE 1510-2620; GEO 1520; GER 1510, 1530; HIS 1520; ITA 1510, 1530; JPN 1510-2620; POL 2610; SLS 1000, 1010-1045, 1501; SOC 2530; SPA 1510-2620	Choose 1 Cultural Diversity course	IT3
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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
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MTA Students only:

Transfer students who satisfy the **Michigan Transfer Agreement** (MTA) will have the Core Knowledge Area requirements met (listed on page 1 of this guide). Fulfilling the Core Integrating Themes is still necessary. Students should select courses that meet both the MTA and program specific requirements.

These courses fulfill requirements for Detroit Mercy's Architecture program:

Oakland Community College Courses			Detroit Mercy Equivalencies	
ARC 1000	Basic Arch Drawing and Drafting	OR	ARCH 1110	Visual Communication I
*ART 1510	Basic Drawing			
ARC 1040	Introduction to Architecture		ARCH 1190	Intro to Architecture I AND
			ARCH 1290	Intro to Architecture II
*ARC 1130	Basic Architecture Design I	AND	ARCH 1100	Architectural Design I AND
*ARC 2110	Architectural Site Development		ARCH 2190	Site Analysis and Design
*ARC 1135	Presentations & Model Making		ARCH 2211	Visual Communication IV
*ARC 1140	Architecture Design II	AND	ARCH 1200	Architectural Design II
*ARC 2165	Interior Design & Color Theory			
ARC 1500	Building Systems I		ARCH 2150	Construction I
ARC 1505	Sustainable Architecture		ARCH 2140	Ecological Design
ARC 2050	Building Systems II		ARCH 2250	Construction II
ARC 2120	Structural Systems		ARCH 2130	Principles of Structural Behavior
ARC 2140	Architectural Environmental Systems		ARCH 2340	Environmental Technology I
*ARC 2180	Architectural Design and Development		ARCH 1400	Architectural Design IV
CAD 1105	Animation Design	AND	ARCH 1211	Visual Communication II
CAD 1160	Revit – Advanced Architectural Applications			
CAD 1151	CAD Architecture/Civil Engineering		ARCH 2110	Visual Communication III
MAT 1630	College Algebra & Trigonometry		MTH 1400	Elementary Functions

* **Transfer credit for these marked courses is not automatic.** Transfer credit will be determined after a portfolio of the student's work from the course is reviewed by an advisor in Detroit Mercy's School of Architecture. If transfer credit is not granted for the equivalent course, elective credit toward your degree may be awarded.

Entrance Requirements:

- Minimum 3.00 GPA based on 24 or more credits earned at OCC (and/or other accredited institutions).
- If less than 24 credits have been earned, a student's high school transcript is required.
- Apply for admission to Detroit Mercy at www.udmercy.edu/admission/apply; the application is free.

Contact the Transfer Team if you have any questions: transferteam@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1940.