

English Transfer Pathway

for Ohio Community College students
transferring to Capital University

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This document outlines the [Ohio Guaranteed Transfer Pathway \(OGTP\) in English](#) that has been designed to provide clarity and consistency for college courses transferring between Ohio 2-year and 4-year public institutions.

This same transfer pathway in English is now approved for students transferring to Capital University, through a partnership between 11 Ohio community colleges and 14 private colleges called the [Ohio Consortium for Transfer Pathways to the Liberal Arts](#), and whose faculty and administration have collaborated to expand access and credit clarity for students transferring with an associate’s degree from an Ohio community college to an Ohio private college or university.

Pages 1 & 2 of this document outline **community college courses that are approved statewide** for transfer credit toward the bachelor of arts degree in English at an approved 4-year institution. Pages 3-8 show how these courses transfer to Capital University to meet bachelor degree requirements.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE – ASSOCIATE DEGREE COURSEWORK – TOTAL 60-65 CREDITS GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		Minimum Credit Hours
ENGLISH COMPOSITION AND ORAL COMMUNICATION:		3
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved First Writing course	3
MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS AND LOGIC		3
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved Mathematics course [Recommended: Quantitative Reasoning] ¹	3
ARTS AND HUMANITIES (Two courses from two different areas)		6
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	3
Course 2:	Any OT36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	3
SOCIAL AND BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES (Two courses from two different areas)		6
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	3
Course 2:	Any OT36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	3
NATURAL SCIENCES (Two courses from two different areas, one course with a lab)		6-7
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved Natural Sciences course with lab	3-4
Course 2:	Any OT36 approved Natural Sciences course	3
ADDITIONAL CREDITS		10
Course 1:	Any OT36 approved Second Writing course	3
Course 2:	Up to 9 additional hours of OT36 approved courses ²	9
GENERAL EDUCATION/OHIO TRANSFER 36 TOTAL:		36-37

Advising Notes:

Where it indicates “Any OT36 approved,” students should work closely with their advisors.

¹ Please note that some institutions may require College Algebra. Check with your receiving institution.

² One recommended course is an OT-36 approved Oral Communication.

COMMUNITY COLLEGE – ASSOCIATE DEGREE COURSEWORK – <i>Continued from page 1</i>		Minimum Credit Hours
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Course 1:	American Literature I – Early period or American Literature II – Late period	3
Course 2:	British Literature I – Early period or British Literature II – Late period	3
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR TOTAL:		6
OTHER REQUIREMENTS		
Foreign Language:	Demonstrate competencies through the intermediate level (Statewide guaranteed transfer courses available in American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, French, German, Italian, and Spanish) ¹	6-8
Electives:	It is recommended for students to use these elective hours to explore pursuing a double major or minor using TAG approved courses. May include FYE or Orientation course. ²	9-13
OTHER REQUIREMENTS TOTAL:		15-21
Advising Notes:		
<p>¹ A minimum of two semesters of foreign language should be taken if available. Additional foreign language courses may be needed as well – check with your receiving institution. If more foreign language courses are taken, then the number of elective hours will be lower.</p> <p>² Electives within the major field may be available. Please work with your academic advisor and your receiving institution to determine appropriate elective options</p>		
Associate Degree		Total Credit Hours
ASSOCIATE DEGREE TOTAL:		60-65
SPECIAL NOTES		
<p>Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed.</p> <p>Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.</p> <p>Some bachelor-degree granting institutions require additional general education courses outside of the Ohio Transfer 36 and students may be required to take these courses in their junior or senior year. Students will still be able to follow this pathway and complete their bachelor’s degree in approximately 60 additional credit hours.</p>		

How English Pathway Courses Transfer to Capital University

The following table outlines how transfer credits from the English transfer pathway and associate's degree will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in English degree at Capital University.

Students interested in transferring to Capital University should meet with an admission counselor regarding optimal course selection and admission requirements.

CAPITAL UNIVERSITY COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE PATHWAY	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any OT36 approved First Writing course	ENGL 1010	3
Any OT36 approved Second Writing course	ENGL 1030	3
Any OT36 approved Mathematics course	OT36 Math course	3-4
Any OT36 approved Arts and Humanities course	OT36 A&H Elective	3
Any OT36 approved Arts and Humanities course	OT36 A&H Elective	3
Any OT36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	OT36 S&BS Elective	3
Any OT36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	OT36 S&BS Elective	3
Any OT36 approved Natural Sciences course with lab	OT36 NS Elective	3-4
Any OT36 approved Natural Sciences course	OT36 NS Elective	3-4
Up to 7 additional hours of OT36 approved courses	OT36 Electives	
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
American Literature I – Early period or American Literature II – Late period	ENGL 2050 ENGL 2070	3x2
British Literature I – Early period or British Literature II – Late period	ENGL 2180 ENGL 2190	3x2
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
Foreign Language - competencies through the intermediate level (Statewide guaranteed transfer courses available in American Sign Language, Arabic, Chinese, Japanese, French, German, Italian, and Spanish)	OT36 Electives	6-8
Additional electives toward English major that may transfer from the associate's degree, and/or a double major/minor using TAG approved courses.	OT36 Electives ENGL 2110 (Creative Writing) ENGL 2090 (Intro to Fiction)	9-13
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:		60-65

Advising Notes:

This Transfer Pathway completes the Associate of Arts degree, which must total at least 60 semester credits and includes 36 credits of the Ohio Transfer 36 (OT36), which are approved general education requirements. OT36 details can be found at <https://transfercredit.ohio.gov/initiatives-upd/ohio-transfer-36>.

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Remaining Courses to Complete at
Capital University

This table outlines the remaining coursework required for the bachelor of arts in English degree at Capital University. A student transferring to Capital University with the associate of arts degree and English transfer pathway completed will receive maximum credit, placing them at or near junior standing with introductory coursework in the English major completed. Most or all of the Capital University general education requirements can be completed as part of the associate degree, through planning with a transfer advisor. Students interested in transferring to Capital University should meet with an admission counselor regarding optimal course selection and admission requirements.

Three English majors/concentrations are available: Literature, Journalism/Professional Writing, and Creative Writing.

REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE THE BACHELOR'S DEGREE AT CAPITAL UNIVERSITY	Course Number	Credit Hours
INSTITUTIONAL DEGREE REQUIREMENTS		
Religious Foundations and the Bible	UC220	3
Global Systems	UC370	
MAJOR REQUIREMENTS (Capital offers 3 English majors/concentrations: Literature, Journalism/Professional Writing, and Creative Writing)		
<p>Requirements for the Literature Major (48 credit hours)</p> <p>Core: (16 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 150 - Introduction to Literature • ENGL 340 - English Language • ENGL 343 - Shakespeare & Company • ENGL 480 - Senior Seminar for English Majors <p>Surveys – two courses from the following: (8 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 250 Survey of British Literature I • ENGL 251 Survey of British Literature II • ENGL 255 Survey of American Literature <p>Global: - one course from the following: (4 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 263 Latin American Literature • ENGL 265 Middle Eastern Literature <p>Electives (20 credit hours):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One literature course ENGL 240 or above • Two literature courses ENGL 344 or above and • One course from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 230 New Media and Writing • ENGL 310 Writing in the Professions • ENGL 336 Writing for the Web • One other English or JRNL course (200-level or higher) 		48

<p>Requirements for the Journalism/Professional Writing Major</p> <p>Core: (28 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 150 - Introduction to Literature • ENGL 310 - Writing in the Professions • JRNL 320 - Editing and Design • JRNL 326 - Ethics, Law, and Media • ENGL 336 - Writing for the Web • ENGL 340 - English Language • ENGL 480 - Senior Seminar for English Majors <p>Practicums and Internships - (2 - 8 credit hours)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JRNL 323 - Publications Practicum (1 - 4) • ENGL 495 - Internship in Professional Writing (1 - 4 hours) <p>Electives (15-16 credit hours):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One from: 200-level or higher numbered literature courses • One from: 300-level or higher numbered literature course • Two courses from: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JRNL 223 - News Writing and Reporting • ENGL 230 - New Media and Writing • ENGL 303 - Creative Non-Fiction • FMP 333 - Video Production 		45-51
<p>Requirements for the Creative Writing Major (48 credit hours)</p> <p>Core (16 credit hours):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 150 - Introduction to Literature • ENGL 204 - Creative Writing (Fulfills the Fine Arts Signature Learning requirement) • ENGL 340 - English Language • ENGL 480 - Senior Seminar for English Majors <p>Writing Courses (16 hours):</p> <p>Three courses from the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 301 - Poetry Writing • ENGL 302 - Fiction Writing • ENGL 303 - Creative Non-Fiction • (The above three courses are repeatable for credit up to 8 hours.) <p>One course from the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 230 - New Media and Writing • ENGL 310 - Writing in the Professions • ENGL 336 - Writing for the Web <p>Literature (16 credit hours):</p> <p>One course from the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENGL 250 - Survey of British Literature I • ENGL 251 - Survey of British Literature II • ENGL 255 - Survey of American Literature <p>One course from any 200-level or higher Literature course</p> <p>Two courses from any 300-level or higher Literature courses</p>		48
OTHER BACHELOR DEGREE REQUIREMENTS		
Two semesters of a foreign language (or ASL)		Varies
Elective/Minor courses		Varies
TOTAL REMAINING COURSEWORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE		60-65
Advising Notes:		

Sample Degree Maps for English Transfer Pathway

Literature Major



This sample degree map shows how students who transfer to Capital University with the English transfer pathway can complete the Bachelor of Arts degree with the Literature major in four semesters.

THIRD YEAR			
SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
ENGL 150 Introduction to Literature	4	UC 220 Religious Foundations & the Bible	3
ENGL 263 Latin Am or 265 Middle Eastern	4	ENGL 340 English Language	4
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	Prof Writ Course - ENGL 230, 310 or 336	4
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	Elective/Minor Course	4
		Optional) Elective/Minor Course	3
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	
15-16		15-18	

FOURTH YEAR			
SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	UC 370 Global Systems	3
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	ENGL 480 Senior Seminar in English	4
ENGL Major Elective (200 Level or higher)	3-4	Elective	4
Elective	3-4	Elective/Minor Course	4
(Optional) Elective	3	Elective	3
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	
15-18		15-18	

Sample Degree Maps for English Transfer Pathway Journalism/Professional Writing Major

This sample degree map shows how students who transfer to Capital University with the English transfer pathway can complete the Bachelor of Arts degree with the Journalism/Professional Writing major in four semesters.

THIRD YEAR			
SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
ENGL 150 Introduction to Literature	4	UC 220 Religious Foundations & the Bible	3
ENGL 310 Writing in the Professions	4	ENGL 340 English Language	4
JRNL 320 Editing and Design	4	JRNL 326 Ethics, Law and Media	4
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	Elective/Minor Course	3-4
		Elective/Minor Course	3-4
Total Semester Credit Hours	15-16	Total Semester Credit Hours	17-18

FOURTH YEAR			
SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8	
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
ENG 336 Writing for the Web	4	UC 370 Global Systems	3
JRNL 323 Publications Practicum	4	ENGL 480 Senior Seminar in English	4
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	ENGL 495 Internship in Professional Writing	4
Elective	3-4	Elective/Minor Course	3-4
(Optional) Elective	3	Elective	3-4
Total Semester Credit Hours	16-18	Total Semester Credit Hours	15-18

Sample Degree Maps for English Transfer Pathway

Creative Writing Major

This sample degree map shows how students who transfer to Capital University with the English transfer pathway can complete the Bachelor of Arts degree with the Creative Writing major in four semesters.

THIRD YEAR				
SEMESTER 5		SEMESTER 6		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ENGL 150 Introduction to Literature	4	UC 220 Religious Foundations & the Bible	3	
ENGL 263 Latin Am or 265 Middle Eastern	4	ENGL 340 English Language	4	
ENGL 301 Poetry Writing	4	Prof Writ Course - ENGL 230, 310 or 336	4	
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	ENGL 302 Fiction Writing	4	
		Elective/Minor Course	3-4	
Total Semester Credit Hours		15-16	Total Semester Credit Hours	
		15-18		

FOURTH YEAR				
SEMESTER 7		SEMESTER 8		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
ENGL 480 Senior Seminar in English	4	UC 370 Global Systems	3	
ENGL Major Elective (200 Level or higher)	3-4	ENGL 303 Creative Non-Fiction	4	
Elective/Minor Course	3-4	Elective/Minor Course	4	
Elective	3-4	Elective	3-4	
(Optional) Elective	3-4	(Optional) Elective	3-4	
Total Semester Credit Hours		16-18	Total Semester Credit Hours	
		17-18		