



**WAYNE STATE
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**Transfer Student Success Center
Transfer Planning Guide**

History – B.A. Degree
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences
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This transfer planning guide provides a general overview and best advice, as well as links to other resources for transfer success. This guide is intended for planning purposes and not intended to list all transfer course options or replace an official plan of study.

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences (CLAS) Degree Requirements

University General Education	Can be satisfied by the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA).
Minor	Students must complete a university-approved minor, which may be taken in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences or any other WSU school or college. The minor requirement is waived for students who complete a second major, a double major, a concurrent degree, a dual degree, or a second degree.
Foreign Language	All students in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences must successfully demonstrate language proficiency equivalent to the two-course sequence in a single foreign language. Proficiency is demonstrated by completing courses numbered 1010 and 1020 in one of the following subject area codes: ARB, ARM, CHI, FRE, GER, GKA, GKM, HEB, ITA, JPN, LAT, POL, RUS, SPA, SWA, and UKR. Two semesters of American Sign Language will also count as fulfilling the foreign language requirement.
Major	Specific course requirements for majors are listed in this bulletin under each of the Departments or areas of the College. Students must complete all courses in their majors with a min 2.0 GPA overall average.

History Major – Transfer Course Recommendation

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<i>Select a survey sequence consisting of at least one course from two of the following regions:</i>	
Europe <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIS 1000 World Civilization to 1500 HIS 1400 The World Since 1945 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIST 134 HIST 138
United States <ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIS 2040 American Foundations to 1877 HIS 2050 Modern America: Since 1877 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HIST 151 HIST 152
Minor requirement	Please see WSU advisor for guidance. Most minors are between 18-24 credits and have transfer course equivalencies.
Two semesters of a single foreign language	ARB 101/102, FR 101/102, GER 101/201, SPAN 101/102

Advising Recommendations

- Complete the Michigan Transfer Agreement (30 credits)
- Students must complete thirty-six credits in History major (which may include a maximum of 18 transfer credits). Here is the link to the [History Major requirements](#).

WSU Advising

Schedule an appointment with a Transfer Advisor through stars.wayne.edu. For History Advising and contact information, see the [department website](#). You can also email transfer@wayne.edu, or discover more at wayne.edu/transfer.

Transfer Credit Resources

- [Transfer Equivalency Self-Service](#): This tool displays how your earned credits will transfer into specific Wayne State degree programs. This tool provides an unofficial degree audit that indicates how your transfer credit is applied and which courses are still required to complete the degree.
- [Transfer Pathways](#): The transfer pathways are agreements with Michigan community colleges that streamline the transfer credit process while providing a roadmap to earning your associate and bachelor's degrees.
- [Transfer Course Equivalency](#): This tool allows you to research specific courses and how they transfer to Wayne State.
- [Michigan Transfer Agreement \(MTA\)](#): The MTA can be earned at any Michigan community college to satisfy the Wayne State general education requirements. Each community college has an MTA-approved course list of its own, so please refer to the list of courses that your respective community college has approved for MTA.

Understanding Transfer Credit

- **What will transfer?** All college-level classes from regionally accredited colleges with a grade of 2.0 (C) or above will transfer. There are no specific limits to the number of transfer credits. However, each academic program has specific requirements that must be satisfied which helps determine the best number of credits to transfer.
- **How will it transfer?** Courses transfer as the number of credits earned at the college where you took the class. This is true regardless of the number of credits the Wayne State equivalent course is worth. Each transferred course will match one of the following types of credits:
 - **Equivalent credit** – matches a specific WSU course.
 - **Department credit** – transfer into the academic department without a specific WSU course match.
 - **Elective credits** – transfer as general or elective credit (GEN 1XXX or GEN 2XXX).

Transfer Admissions Requirements

To transfer to Wayne State, you must have at least 24 transferable credits of previous college work and a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA from all higher education institutions you have attended. If you have completed an associate degree, you may be admitted with a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or better. Visit wayne.edu/apply to complete the university application.

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