



# Transferrable Core Curriculum Requirements Equivalency Guide

It is required that you complete the TCU CORE curriculum before you graduate, not before you transfer. All courses are individually assessed for application to the TCU core curriculum. Course equivalency is subject to change. Updated September 2017.

- CORE Education Lower Division Requirements
- CORE Nursing Prerequisites
- CORE Business Lower Division Requirements

## Equivalent courses are from Tarrant County College

**Bolded courses fulfill two subject areas. Additional Core classes are required beyond the listed sections.**

### English Composition (6 hours)

ENGL 1301	English Composition I
ENGL 1302	English Composition II

### Mathematics (3 hours)

MATH 1325	Calculus for Business/Social Science
<b>MATH 1332</b>	Contemporary Mathematics
MATH 1342 or 2342	Elementary Statistics Methods
MATH 2413 or 2513	Calculus I
MATH 2414	Calculus II

### Fine Arts (3 hours)

ARTS 1301	Art Appreciation
ARTS 1303	Art History Survey I
ARTS 1304	Art History Survey II
DANC 2303	Dance Appreciation
DRAM 1310	Theatre Appreciation
DRAM 2366 or COMM 2366	Introduction to Cinema
HUMA 1315	Fine Arts Appreciation
MUSI 1306	Music Appreciation

### Historical Traditions (3 hours)

<b>HIST 1301</b>	<b>US History I (to 1876)</b>
<b>HIST 1302</b>	<b>US History II (since 1876)</b>
<b>HIST 2311</b>	<b>Western Civilization to 1660</b>
<b>HIST 2312</b>	<b>Western Civilization since 1660</b>
<b>HIST 2321</b>	<b>World Civilization I</b>
<b>HIST 2322</b>	<b>World Civilization II</b>
<b>HIST 2381</b>	<b>African-American History</b>

### Social Sciences (9 hours)

<b>HIST 1301</b>	<b>US History to 1876</b>
<b>HIST 1302</b>	<b>US History since 1876</b>
<b>HIST 2381</b>	<b>African-American History</b>
ANTH 2351	Cultural Anthropology
CRIJ 1301	Introduction to Criminal Justice
ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics
ECON 2302	Principles of Microeconomics
GEOG 1302	Cultural Geography
GEOG 1303	World Regional Geography
GOVT 2301	American Government I
GOVT 2302	American Government II
GOVT 2304	Introduction to Political Science
<b>GOVT 2305</b>	<b>Federal Government</b>
<b>GOVT 2306</b>	<b>Texas Government</b>
PSYC 2314	Life Span Growth and Development
SOCI 1301	Introduction to Sociology
SOCI 1306	Social Problems
SOCI 2301	Marriage and the Family
SOCW 2361	Introduction to Social Work

### Oral Communication (3 hours)

SPCH 1311	Introduction to Speech Communication
SPCH 1315	Public Speaking
SPCH 1321	Business and Professional Communication

#### Non-CORE Nursing Pre-Requisites

HECO 1322	Nutrition and Diet Therapy
BIOL 2402	Anatomy and Physiology II
PSYC 2301	Introduction to Psychology

#### Non-CORE Business Lower Division Requirements

ACCT 2301*	Principles of Financial Accounting
ACCT 2302*	Principles of Managerial Accounting
BUSI 2301	Business Law

### Natural Sciences with Lab (8 hours)

Must be from different course subject areas, except for nursing (ex. GEOL 1401 and BIOL 1406)

BIOL 1406	Biology/Science Majors I
BIOL 1407	Biology/Science Majors II
<b>BIOL 1408</b>	<b>Biology/Non Majors I</b>
BIOL 1409	Biology/Non Majors II
BIOL 1411	General Botany
<b>BIOL 2401</b>	<b>Anatomy &amp; Physiology I</b>
BIOL 2402	Anatomy & Physiology II
BIOL 2406	Environmental Biology
<b>BIOL 2420 or 2421</b>	<b>Microbiology</b>
CHEM 1405	Introductory Chemistry I
CHEM 1406	General & Biochemistry I
CHEM 1407	Introductory Chemistry II
CHEM 1411	General Chemistry I
CHEM 1412	General Chemistry II
ENVR 1401 or GEOL 1405	Environmental Science
GEOL 1401	Earth Sciences
GEOL 1403	Physical Geology
GEOL 1404	Historical Geology
GEOL 1445	Oceanography
PHYS 1401	College Physics I
PHYS 1402	College Physics II
PHYS 1403	Stars and Galaxies
PHYS 1404	Solar System
PHYS 1405	Elementary Physics I
PHYS 1407	Elementary Physics II
PHYS 1411	Planetary Astronomy
PHYS 1412	Stellar Astronomy
PHYS 1415 or 1417	Physical Science I
PHYS 2425	University Physics I
PHYS 2426	University Physics II
ENGR 1304	Engineer Graphics

### Humanities (9 hours) includes three hours each of Literary and Religious Traditions

<b>HIST 2311</b>	<b>Western Civilization to 1660</b>
<b>HIST 2312</b>	<b>Western Civilization since 1660</b>
<b>HIST 2321</b>	<b>World Civilization I</b>
<b>HIST 2322</b>	<b>World Civilization II</b>
HUMA 1301	Introduction to Humanities I
HUMA 1302	Advanced Humanities
PHIL 1301	Introduction to Philosophy

### Literary Traditions (3 hours)

ENGL 2321 or 2322	British Literature I
ENGL 2323	British Literature II
ENGL 2326 or 2327	American Literature I
ENGL 2328	American Literature II
ENGL 2332	World Literature I
ENGL 2333	World Literature II

### Religious Traditions (3 hours)

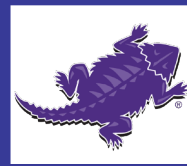
PHIL 1304	Intro World Religions
PHIL 1316	History of Religion I
PHIL 1317	History of Religion II
RELI 1304	Major World Religion

#### Non-CORE Early Childhood-6 Education Pre-Requisites

TECA 1311	Educating Young Children
TECA 1354	Child Growth and Development
MATH 1350	Foundations of Mathematics

For Middle/Secondary non-CORE Pre-Requisites, see a College of Education advisor

**\*Both courses must be transferred to receive TCU Accounting credit**



## ADMISSION GPA

The typical student has about a 2.7 or higher GPA. Education pre-majors require a 2.75 GPA from a four-year college, or a 3.0 GPA from a two-year college. Business and Strategic Communication pre-majors require a 3.0 GPA from a four-year college, or a 3.25 GPA from a two-year college. TCU's Pre-Health Professions Program (including Biology majors) requires between 3.5-3.7 GPA and higher for admission. Details are given in TCU's Undergraduate Catalog ([www.catalog.tcu.edu](http://www.catalog.tcu.edu)).

## TRANSFER CREDIT

Most college level courses with a grade of "C" or better will transfer from a regionally accredited university or community college. See back cover for transferrable core credit classes. Other classes may transfer as elective credit or fulfill major requirements as determined by academic deans. Some core credits such as Cultural Awareness, Global Awareness, Citizenship and Social Values must be taken at TCU.

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

- Application - [admissions.tcu.edu/apply](http://admissions.tcu.edu/apply)
- Official transcript from each college attended
- Essay
- \$50 nonrefundable application fee  
(waived for veterans/PTK/First-Generation College Students)

### FINANCIAL AID

- FAFSA ([fafsa.ed.gov](http://fafsa.ed.gov))
- CSS PROFILE ([student.collegeboard.org/css-financial-aid-profile](http://student.collegeboard.org/css-financial-aid-profile))

### APPLICANTS WITH LESS THAN 24 TRANSFERRABLE HOURS

- High School Transcript
- SAT/ACT scores

### OPTIONAL SUPPLEMENTS TO YOUR APPLICATION

- "Freedom of Expression" Page
- Activity Resume
- Letter of Recommendation

## DEADLINES

- April 15 - Fall Early Action Deadline
- August 1 - Fall Final Deadline
- May 1 - Summer Deadline
- December 1 - Spring Final Deadline

## TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS (PER YEAR FOR 3 YEARS)

- TCC Cornerstone - \$21,000 - GPA: 3.85+ and 60 hours
- Deans - \$20,000 - GPA: 3.85+ and 60 hours
- Faculty - \$16,000 - GPA: 3.65+ and 45 hours
- Phi Theta Kappa - \$14,000 - GPA: 3.25+ and 27 hours (TCU Sponsored)
- TCU Scholarship - \$13,000 - GPA 3.25+ and 27 hours

## NURSING CLINICAL CHECKLIST (FALL ONLY)

- February 1 - Accelerated & Regular Nursing Clinical Deadline
- Application must be submitted to [www.nursingcas.org](http://www.nursingcas.org)
- Official transcript from each college attended
- Essay
- \$50 nonrefundable application fee
- HESI (A2) scores
- Resume
- See [www.nursing.tcu.edu](http://www.nursing.tcu.edu) for more information

## CHANCELLOR'S SCHOLARSHIP

- Full tuition for three years
- GPA: 3.85+ and 60 hours
- Resume required
- Two (2) recommendations required
- Highly competitive

## VETERANS

All veterans or military members are transfer students. A military transcript will transfer as 4 hours PE credit for basic. TCU participates in the Yellow Ribbon program to cover 100% tuition for eligible veterans under the post 9-11 GI Bill. Veteran information sessions occur the first Wednesday of every month at 1:00 p.m. More information and registration is available at [admissions.tcu.edu/visit](http://admissions.tcu.edu/visit).

## HOUSING OPTIONS

If you are interested in on-campus housing, please indicate on [my.tcu.edu](http://my.tcu.edu) at the time you submit your Enrollment Deposit. You will receive additional information from Housing & Residence Life. Space is very limited and cannot be guaranteed to transfer students. If you are interested in off-campus housing options, please visit [rlh.tcu.edu/off-campus-living/](http://rlh.tcu.edu/off-campus-living/).

## CAMPUS VISIT AND TRANSFER INFORMATION SESSION

Chat with a transfer admission counselor, take a student-led tour, meet in a small group information session, or sit in on a class. Transfer Information Sessions are available on Fridays at 1:00 p.m. and are followed by a campus tour at 2:00. Appointments are available and details are at [admissions.tcu.edu/visit](http://admissions.tcu.edu/visit) or by calling the Office of Admission.