Transfer Credit Evaluation Policy
Previous institution must be Regionally Accredited

- SACS – Southern Association of College and Schools Commission of Colleges
- MSACS – Middle States Commission on Higher Education
- NEASC – New England Association of Schools and Colleges
- NCACS- North Central Association of Colleges and Schools
- WASC – Western Association of Schools and Colleges (Senior Colleges & Universities and Community & Junior Colleges)
- NWCCU- Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities

Non-Regionally Accredited Institutions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis.
Transfer Student Residence Requirement

• Required to complete a minimum of 33 academic UWG credit hours

• No longer bracketing over 90 transfer credits
  • Easier to petition transfer credits within degree program
  • Major changes – transfer credits move easier in Wolf Watch
  • Excess transfer credit in Wolf Watch will fall under Potential Electives and Over the Limit
Transferring USG Degree & Core

Example:
Student completed BA degree at KSU
UWG will satisfy Core Areas A – E

Exceptions:
• Student transfer’s from KSU with a BA degree to UWG for a BS degree
• Career Degree’s, i.e. AAS
• Non-USG Institutions
Technical College System of Georgia

Articulation Agreements:

General Education Course Transfer Chart for the Technical College System of Georgia and the University System of Georgia. USG and TCSG institutions accept the general education courses below for transfer between their respective SACSCOC accredited institutions:

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### Transfer Equivalency Tool

- **Quarter Courses**
- **Semester Courses**
- **Course Title Changes**

Reference Only, equivalents are subject to change

New courses are added daily based on incoming transcripts

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What is Transferable?

- A course that has a direct UWG course equivalent
- Elective credit is awarded to courses similar to UWG courses
- Grades of “D” or higher
  - Two Exceptions: (1) ENGL 1101/1102 requires “C” or higher, (2) Degree Program Requirements

What is Not Transferable?

- Orientation
- Course Less than 2 semester hours
- Learning Support & Developmental Courses
- Internships
- Directed Studies
- Practicums
- Workshops
- Capstones
- Upper Level Seminars
- Career Course i.e. culinary, welding
- Courses Not Taught at UWG
Repeats

• Beginning Fall 2020, students who repeat the same course, only the highest grade will be transferred and calculated into the Transfer GPA.
  • This includes transfer, transient, and UWG courses.

Transfer GPA

• The calculation of all successfully completed transfer courses determined to be transferable from all previously attended post-secondary institutions.
  • Example: Transferable transfer courses with grades of “F”, “W”, “WF”, “U” are considered not transferable because the course was not successfully completed.
Transfer Academic Renewal

- Transfer coursework completed “3” years or more, prior to the term of enrollment at UWG, maybe eligible.
- Once applied, those Academic Renewal Transfer Courses are removed from the Transfer GPA.
  - Grades of A, B, C will remain in Earned Hours
  - All courses remain in Attempted Hours
- Transfer Students are eligible to apply before the end of their 3 rd semester of enrollment or end of 1 calendar year from enrollment/re-enrollment (whichever comes first).
- Student can only receive Academic Renewal “One Time”
Transfer Course Approvals

- Provost Office & Chief Transfer Officer (Dr. Jill Drake)
- Office of the Registrar – Transfer Team
- Program Coordinators
- Department Chairs
Questions??

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