

TRANSFER POINTERS . . . plan your transfer to



English Composition requirement: *Students' UW System English Placement Test scores determine whether or not they will be invited to take the test-out for College Writing I [ENGLISH 1130](#) (BHC's ENG 101) Students transferring in ENG 101 do not have to take the English Placement Test. The ENGLISH 1130 requirement is waived for transfer students with transcribed credit for College Writing II [ENGLISH 1230](#) (BHC's ENG 102), plus 60 or more total transfer credits at the time of UWP admission.*

Admission

Visit the [UWP Transfer Admissions](#) website for admission criteria and application process.

Acceptance of AA and/or AS degree

UWP accepts the Associate in Arts or Associate in Science degrees from all Illinois Community Colleges as satisfying all university general education requirements.

Acceptance of Career and Technical Education (CTE) courses

Credits not accepted for transfer include vocational or unapproved technical, remedial or doctrinal.

Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI)

UWP does not participate in IAI.

Credits and Residency

Minimum Credit Hours to Apply as a Transfer Student	12
Maximum transfer credits accepted from community colleges	Generally, a maximum of 72 credits
Maximum transfer credits accepted from all schools attended	Generally, a maximum of 88 credits. See Residency requirement.
Residency	A minimum of 32 credits at UWP with at least 23 of the last 32 credits in residence
Minimum upper division credits (300- and 400-level courses) required to graduate	42

Minimum upper division credits required to be taken with the transfer school	12 in the major in residence at UWP
Taking BHC courses after transfer	Contact UWP

Grades

UWP accepts 'D' grades; however, if the major requires a certain grade the student will have to retake the course. Courses graded Satisfactory or Pass must also be retaken (contact UWP about any policy change due to COVID-19).

Second Language

For admission: None

For graduation: Students earning the AA or AS degree will be exempt from a foreign language general education requirement. Students entering prior to completion of the AA or AS degree can meet the requirement as follows.

- BA and BFA degrees
Students must complete one of the following: 1) A minimum of two years (4 semesters) of high school foreign language courses in the same language with a C or better average in the second year (or higher); or 2) Completion of the second semester (or higher) in a university-level foreign language with a grade of "C" or better. Students with one or more years of high school language may wish to test into a higher-level course. Retroactive credits may be earned.
- BS and BBA degrees
Students who have not maintained a "C" or higher average in one year (2 semesters) of high school foreign language course must complete a minimum of one semester in a university-level foreign language with a grade of "C" or better. Students with one year of high school language may wish to test into the second course of the sequence. Retroactive credits may be earned.

For all degrees noted above, students already fluent in a second language other than French, German or Spanish should consult with the UW-Platteville Humanities Department. The general education foreign language requirement is waived for international students.

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