Black Hawk College  
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Dear Luis S. Moreno:

At the University of Iowa, we are excited about the opportunities offered to students by our new articulation agreement with the Illinois Community College Board. Students interested in pursuing a Bachelor’s degree after finishing their Associate of Arts should find it easier than ever to transfer to the University of Iowa.

Students transferring to Iowa with an AA from any Illinois community college will now meet all general education requirements (with the exception of the respective World Language requirement and the Diversity and Inclusion requirement) for the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, the College of Education, Tippie College of Business, and University College. Students keep the credits they’ve earned and begin their studies at Iowa as a junior.

To transfer to Iowa as a junior, Illinois community college students must complete at least 60 semester hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 on all graded arts and sciences courses acceptable for transfer.

To assist you in providing information to students about this new agreement, we are including several brochures, as well as three copies of a poster for you to display as appropriate.

For more information about this agreement and other transfer resources, please visit our transfer student website at admissions.uiowa.edu/transfer, or contact me.

This new agreement will provide a more seamless transition for eligible students who want to continue their studies at Iowa. We are honored to partner with the Illinois Community College Board to help increase degree completion rates at both the community college and the University of Iowa.

Sincerely,

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Do big things

Hawkeyes do more than hit the books. They get involved and learn skills that set them apart. That's why 95% of Iowa grads find jobs or are accepted into graduate school within six months of graduation.

Requirements

Each prospective student's AA program must include a minimum of 60 semester hours and may include up to 16 semester hours of career-technical courses.

General education courses are defined as those that broaden student knowledge in the arts and sciences. Transfer credit will be required within the following general divisions:

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