BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PSYCHOLOGY

Montcalm Community College Transfer Guide

Following is a list of Montcalm Community College (MCC) transfer courses which may be applied to meet the general education or program requirements for a bachelor’s degree at Cornerstone University’s Professional & Graduate Studies.

MCC courses not listed below may also transfer as general elective credits if they are numbered 100 or higher and the grade earned is a “C-” or higher. Please refer to the PGS undergraduate catalog and website for transfer admission requirements, specific course information and program requirements. If using financial aid, you may not be dual enrolled at both PGS and MCC.

To start a bachelor’s program, you must have at least 56 transferable credit hours.

To graduate with a B.S. in Psychology at PGS, you must complete a minimum of 120 total credit hours.

+ Minimum 30 credit hours of general education courses
+ Additional 46 credit hours of core courses
+ Elective courses (number varies)

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

Students must complete 30 credit hours of general education courses to complete the graduation requirements for a bachelor’s degree from PGS. These credit hours can be completed by taking equivalent MCC courses.

FULFILLED

REQUIRED GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

☐ ENGLISH (3 credits) — English course that includes a research component.

MCC Equivalent Courses: ENGL 101

☐ SPEECH (3 credits) — Communications course with oral speech opportunities.

MCC Equivalent Courses: COMM 210

☐ HUMANITIES (12 credits) — Take four courses from at least two of the following categories: history, literature, modern foreign language (1+ year at college level), philosophy/religion, art/music appreciation. Note: This does not include theatre.

MCC Equivalent Courses:
+ History: Any history course
+ Literature: ENGL 195, 200, 201, 220, 221, 235, 236
+ Modern Foreign Language: FREN 120/121; GERM 101/102; SIGN 125/126; SPAN 130/131
+ Philosophy/Religion: PHIL 220, 221, 222, 230
+ Music or Art History/Appreciation: ARTS 190, MUSI 101

☐ LAB SCIENCE (3 credits) — Science course with a lab component.

MCC Equivalent Courses:
+ Biology: BIOL 100, 105, 115, 121, 122, 201, 202, 203
+ Chemistry: CHEM 105, 220, 221, 250, 251
+ Physics: PHYS 101, 111, 112, 230, 231

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GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES (continued)

☐ MATH (3 credits) — Students must take one math course (MAT-110 or higher).
   • MCC Equivalent Courses: MATH 102, 104, 120, 159, 180, 190, 250, 251

☐ SOCIAL SCIENCE (6 credits) — Students must take two courses from the following categories.
   • MCC Equivalent Courses:
     + Economics: ECON 215, 216
     + Political Science: POLI 240, 246, 250
     + Psychology: PSYC 120, 221, 223, 225, 230, 235
     + Sociology: SOCI 230, 235; ANTH 260, 265; CRIM 100, 110, 120, 230, 250, 260

TOTAL TRANSFERABLE GENERAL EDUCATION CREDITS: _________/30

CORE AND MAJOR COURSES

MCC students will also need to complete 46 credits of core and major courses in order to earn a B.S. in Psychology at PGS. A maximum of two courses (6 credits) may be transferred as equivalents for specific courses.

FULFILLED  REQUIRED CORE AND MAJOR COURSES

☐ COURSES TAKEN AT PGS — These courses have no MCC equivalent.
   + IDS-302 Principles of Self-Management
   + ENG-119 Professional Writing
   + PSY-241 Introduction to Psychological Theories, History and Systems
   + IDS-402 Christian Foundations in Psychology—Issues and Ethics
   + PSY-332 Cross-Cultural Psychology
   + PSY-335 Life Span Development Psychology
   + PSY-354 Research Methodology and Statistics
   + PSY-441 Physiological Psychology
   + PSY-446 Introduction to Relationships in Psychology
   + PSY-447 Current Trends and Specialties in Psychology
   + PSY-425 Organizational Psychology
   + PSY-424 Introduction to Counseling
   + PSY-455 Psychology Capstone

☐ COURSES WITH MCC EQUIVALENTS — A maximum of 6 credits may be transferred from the following options.
   + COM-211 Professional Communication (MCC Equivalent Course: BUSN 183)
   + PSY-423 Abnormal Psychology (MCC Equivalent Course: PSYC 225)

TOTAL TRANSFERABLE CORE/MAJOR CREDITS: _________/16

ELECTIVE CREDITS

Credits earned at MCC that are not included in the general education or core/major courses will likely qualify as transferable elective credit. A student can choose to take elective courses at PGS or MCC to fulfill the remaining credit hour requirement for program completion.

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