

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS SPRINGFIELD

Prairie State College

2018-2019 Transfer Guide

Transfer Options

Associate in Arts and Associate in Science Degrees

Applicants holding an Associate in Arts from an Illinois community college are admissible as juniors and are considered to have met the general education requirements. Students holding an Associate in Science or Associate in Arts and Sciences may be admissible as Juniors, but may still not be considered as fulfilling all their general education coursework. Course-by-course evaluation will take place.

Other Admission

Students wanting to get an early start on their studies at UIS can be admitted if they have completed a minimum of 30 transferable semester hours of college work from a regionally accredited college or university. Policy requires a minimum cumulative 2.0 grade point average (4.0 scale).

Admission to the junior year at UIS is granted to applicants who have completed 60 semester (90 quarter) hours of credit with a minimum cumulative 2.0 grade point average (4.0 scale) from a regionally accredited college or university. In addition, 37 semester hours of general education courses must be completed before graduation from UIS; it is preferred that these hours be completed prior to admission to UIS. UIS will accept up to 72 hours of lower-division courses toward the average total of 120 hours (AACSB majors accept 66 hours).

To avoid extending the number of courses necessary once at UIS, students are encouraged to complete general education courses **prior to admission to the university**. See listing of requirements on page 2.

Illinois articulation initiative (IAI)

UIS is a participant in (IAI), a statewide agreement designed to allow you to transfer your general education credit, as well as credit earned in select majors, between participating institutions. For more details refer to the UIS catalog or [iTransfer: The Illinois transfer web site](#).

All courses (especially pre-requisites) are subject to department review. This guide should be utilized for preliminary advising purposes only. Final course evaluation is only completed when the student has been fully admitted to UIS.

2+2 Transfer Agreements and Joint/Dual Agreements

Check to see if your Community College has 2+2 Transfer Agreements and/or Joint/Dual Agreements articulated with UIS at <http://www.uis.edu/admissions/transfer/index.html>.

Any additional questions on Transfer Admissions, please contact Raymond Barnett (217) 206-6628 or rbarn2@uis.edu.

General Education Requirements

Admission for 30 or more transferable hours

Subject	Hours Required	Course Type	Courses
MATH	3		BUS 240; MATH 112, 115, 153, 155, 157, 171, 172, 173, 206, 210
SCIENCE One science with a lab must be taken. * Denotes Science with Lab	7	Physical Science	ASTRO 101, 104; CHM 105, 110; GEOG 105, GEOLO 101; PHYSC 111, 112; PHYSI 101, 105, 120, 210
		Life Science	BIO 100, 103, 105, 106, 107, 111, 112
COMMUNICATIONS "C" or better is required.	9	6 Hours Written	ENG 101, 102
		3 Hours Oral	COM 101
SOCIAL SCIENCE	9	6 Hours Social Sciences	ANTHR 215, 222; ECON 201, 202; GEOG 101, HIST 111, 112, 115, 116, 140, 151, 152, 201, 202; POLSC 101, 140, 152, 230, 240; PSYCH 101, 102, 215; SOCIO 101, 111, 210, 215, 220
HUMANITIES AND FINE ARTS	9	1 Fine Arts	ART 121, 122, 126, 129, 131; COM 113, 114; HUM 202; ENG 256; MUS 130, 132; THE 101,
		1 Humanities	ENG 211, 212, 215, 221, 231, 232, 240, 243, 252, 256, 261, 262, 271; HIS 240; HUM 101, 102, 201, 202, 203; PHILO 101, 202, 203, 204, 205; SPAN 202

Internships and Prior Learning

Internships and Prior Learning Services (IPL) consists of Internships, Prior Learning Assessment, and Service-Learning. These three programs allow students to earn ECCE Engagement credits and/or fulfill degree program requirements.

- Internship Services enables students to obtain real-world experience in their area of study.
- Prior Learning Assessment gives students an opportunity to earn credit for past college-level learning.
- Service-Learning courses allow students to engage with the community and develop an understanding of civic responsibility by providing community service to non-profit agencies as part of their coursework.

<https://www.uis.edu/cas/contact/>

Phone: (217) 206-6640

E-mail: ipl@uis.edu

International Students

International Students who have not completed Composition I, Composition II, and Speech Communications with a C or better are expected to submit an acceptable English Proficiency test score or submit a UIS-based test on English Proficiency.

	TOEFL iBT	TOEFL PBT	IELTS Academic	PTE	iTEP Academic Plus	MELICET
Undergraduate Minimum	61	500	5.0	50	4.0	69

Pre-Professional Programs

UIS offers course work in Pre-Professional programs. Please contact Raymond Barnet at rbarn2@uis.edu to determine advisors.


- Pre-Chiropractic Medicine
- Pre-Dental
- Pre-Law
- Pre-Occupational Therapy
- Pre-Optometry
- Pre-Pharmacy
- Pre-Physical Therapy
- Pre-Podiatry
- Pre-Veterinary Medicine


Available Minors

- Accountancy
- African-American Studies
- Anthropology
- Biology
- Business (general)
- Chemistry
- Communications
- Computer Science
- Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Economics
- English
- Environmental Studies
- Finance
- History
- International Studies
- Liberty Studies
- Management
- Management Information Systems
- Marketing
- Mathematical Sciences
- Music
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Pre-Medical
- Psychology
- Public Health
- Social Responsibility and Leadership
- Sociology
- Spanish
- Sports Management
- Teacher Education – Elementary
- Teacher Education – Secondary
- Theatre
- Visual Arts
- Women and Gender Studies

Child Advocacy Studies can be added as an option to many majors.

Program	Pre-requisite courses	Course Numbers	Contact
Accounting C or better on all pre-requisites 	Financial/Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus or Calculus I Macro/Micro Economics	BUS 131, 132 MATH 115 or BUS 240 MATH 157 or 171 ECON 201, 202	www.uis.edu/accountancy/ 217-206-6541 acc@uis.edu
Biology	Biology (8 semester hours w/ lab) IAI-approved Math course General Chemistry (8 semester hours w/ lab) Organic Chemistry (4 hours w/ lab) <i>Recommended:</i> Organic Chemistry II	For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Biology Department.	www.uis.edu/biology/ 217-206-6630 bio@uis.edu
Biochemistry	General Chemistry I and II Organic Chemistry I and II Calculus I and II (Calculus-based) Physics I and II	For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department.	www.uis.edu/chemistry/ 217-206-6589 che@uis.edu
Business Administration <i>comprehensive, finance, management concentration, marketing concentration, sports management</i> C or better on all pre-requisites. 	Financial Accounting Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I) Macro-Economics Micro-Economics	BUS 131 BUS 132 MATH 115 or BUS 240 MATH 157, 155, or 171 ECON 201 ECON 202	www.uis.edu/bba/ 217-206-6780 Headrick.karen@uis.edu
Chemistry	General Chemistry I and II Organic Chemistry w/ lab I and II Calculus I and II Physics, calculus-based I and II	For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Chemistry Department.	www.uis.edu/chemistry/ 217-206-6589 che@uis.edu
Communication	No specific requirements. <i>Recommended:</i> Composition I and II Speech Online program requirements /recommendations are the same.	ENG 101, 102 COM 101	www.uis.edu/communication/ 217-206-6790 com@uis.edu
Computer Science and Information Security Online program requires statement of intent (not more than 500 words) to be submitted at https://csc.uis.edu/online- undergraduate-admission .	<i>Recommended:</i> Calculus I or Business Calculus Discrete Math or Finite Math Statistics Equivalent of two semesters of Java programming experience	MATH 171 or 157 MATH 210 or 155 MATH 153 ITPRG 147, 247	csc.uis.edu 217-206-6770 csc@uis.edu
Criminology and Criminal Justice 2.50/4.00 GPA is required for full admission to program.	<i>Recommended:</i> General Education Math 2 semesters of Composition Introduction to Criminal Justice Additional 3-6 hours of lower-division Criminal Justice courses	ENGL 101, 102 CJ 101	www.uis.edu/criminaljustice/ 217-206-6301 crj@uis.edu

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Economics C or better on all pre-requisites. 	Financial Accounting Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus (or Finite Math or Calculus I) Macro-Economics Micro-Economics	BUS 131 BUS 132 MATH 153 or BUS 240 BUS 157, 155, or 171 ECON 201 ECON 202	www.uis.edu/economics/ 217-206-7174 eco@uis.edu
Education English, History, Math, and Political Science Certificate Courses offered (On-Line). Test of Academic Proficiency from ILTS or a 22 COMPOSITE ACT score and who have taken the WRITING portion of the exam or have an SAT score of 1030 – taken in last 5 years. 2.50/4.00 GPA is required for conditional admission to program. 2.75/4.00 GPA is required for full admission to program.	Educational Psychology Intro to Child Psychology/Child Development (Required for Elementary Education) Adolescent Psychology (Required for Secondary Education) Intro to Teacher Education Pre-Teaching Clinical Experience (30 hrs. of Service learning work with school-aged children) <i>Recommended:</i> Complete all General Education – including (for elementary majors) 2 Fine Arts courses, Sciences covering 3 areas of knowledge, and social sciences covering 4 areas of knowledge)	PSYCH 202 ED 101 ED 100	www.uis.edu/teachereducation/ 217-206-6682 tep@uis.edu To obtain TEP application or discuss education goals, please contact Heather McCullough. 217-206-6934 hmccullo@uis.edu
English	<i>Recommended:</i> Composition I and II Creative Writing course 2 survey-breadth courses in literature <i>Additional Requirements for Online Program:</i> 3.00/4.00 GPA Minimum of 30 semester hours of lower-division credit required and an extra creative-writing course	ENGL 101, 102 ENG 111 ENGL 211, 212, 221, 243, 261, 271	www.uis.edu/english/ 217-206-6779 eng-ga@uis.edu Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to eng@uis.edu.
Environmental Studies	<i>Recommended:</i> Course in Environmental Sciences/Biology Composition I and II	BIOL 103, 105 ENGL 101, 102	www.uis.edu/environmentalstudies/ 217-206-6720 ens@uis.edu
Exercise Science Earn a C or better in each core and required course. Maintain an overall GPA of 2.0/4.0.	<i>Recommended:</i> 2 Semesters of Anatomy and Physiology General Chemistry I Statistics Nutrition Composition I & II Speech Calculus or Business Calculus Psychology Sociology	BIOL 221 & 222 CHEM 110 MATH 153 PES 230 ENGL 101 & 102 MATH 171 PSYCH 101 SOCIO 101	www.uis.edu/exercisescience/ 217-206-6589 exercisescience@uis.edu
Global Studies	<i>Recommended:</i> Composition I and II Micro-Economics and Macro-Economics Non-US History Four semesters of a foreign language (at C or better)	ENGL 101, 102 ECON 201, 202 HIS 111, 152 SPAN 202	www.uis.edu/globalstudies/ 217-206-6646 hfros1@uis.edu

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History Online applicants living more than 50 miles from campus or living with a disability will be given priority consideration.	Two courses from different categories of historical regions and themes (for example World History, European History, U.S. History, Middle East History, East Asian History, African History, etc.) – they cannot be in the same historical category/region/theme Composition I and II <i>Additional Requirements for Online Program: 2.50/4.00 GPA</i> Online program requires statement of intent (not more than 500 words)	HIS 111, 112, 115, 116, 140, 151, 152, 201, 202, 240 ENGL 101, 102	www.uis.edu/history/ 217-206-6779 his@uis.edu Online applicants should e-mail their personal statement to his@uis.edu.
Legal Studies <i>(Legal Assistant Certificate option)</i>	6 hours of Humanities* Composition I and II* <i>Recommended:</i> American Politics* Course in the American legal system* *Grade of "C" or better	ENG 101, 102 POLS 140 CJ 207	www.uis.edu/legalstudies/ 217-206-8340 les@uis.edu
Liberal Studies Online program requires a written statement of intent and a minimum of 30 hours of college credit completed.	Composition I and II <i>Requirements for Online Program:</i> All General Education completed Personal interview by phone or in person	ENG 101, 102	www.uis.edu/liberalstudies/ 217-206-7456 lis@uis.edu
Management Information Systems Included in MIS is the Healthcare Information concentration. 	Financial/Managerial Accounting Statistics Business Calculus or Calculus I Macro-Economics Micro-Economics A Behavioral Science course	BUS 131, 132 MATH 153 or BUS 240 MATH 157 or 171 ECON 201 ECON 202 i.e. PSY, SOC	http://mis.uis.edu/ 217-206-6067 mis@uis.edu
Mathematical Sciences Online applicants must have completed a minimum of 30 hours before enrollment to MAT online.	3 semesters of Calculus	MATH 171, 172, 173	www.uis.edu/math/ 217-206-6770 mat@uis.edu

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<p>Medical Laboratory Science</p> <p><i>Separate application must be submitted by March 1 to assure consideration for the following fall class.</i></p> <p>All General Education must be completed, along with at least 60 hours of lower-division courses.</p> <p>Personal Interview and Faculty References may be required.</p>	<p>8 hours of Biological Sciences (should include a course in Anatomy and Physiology or Physiology)</p> <p>General Chemistry I and II</p> <p>Organic Chemistry I</p> <p>Microbiology w/ lab</p> <p>Statistics or Higher Math</p> <p><i>Recommended:</i> Organic Chemistry II</p> <p>Genetics</p>	<p>BIOL 221, 222</p> <p>CHEM 110, 130</p> <p>CHEM 203</p> <p>BIOL 211</p> <p>MATH 171</p> <p>CHEM 204</p> <p>BIOL 252</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/clinicallabscience/ 217-206-6589 cls@uis.edu</p> <p>MLS application is to be found in PDF form on the MLS website</p>
<p>Philosophy</p>	<p><i>Recommended:</i> 1 course in Philosophy</p> <p><i>Additional Requirements for Online Program:</i> 3.00/4.00 GPA</p> <p>Composition I</p>	<p>PHILO 101, 202 ,203</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/philosophy/ 217-206-6790 phi@uis.edu</p> <p>Online applicants must submit writing sample and statement of purpose to phi@uis.edu.</p>
<p>Political Science</p> <p>Online applicants living more than 50 miles from campus or living with a disability will be given priority consideration.</p>	<p><i>Recommended:</i> American Government/Politics</p> <p>Composition I and II</p> <p><i>Additional Requirements for Online Program:</i> 3.00/4.00 GPA</p>	<p>POLSC 140</p> <p>ENGL 101, ENG 102</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/politicalscience/ 217-206-6646 pos@uis.edu</p>
<p>Practical Politics (Integrated BA/MA)</p> <p>Recommend Applying in 1st Semester at UIS – Contact Department Advisor.</p>	<p>3.00/4.00 GPA for all previous college work</p> <p>Basic course in American Government/Politics</p>	<p>POLSC 140</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/politicalscience/ 217-206-6646 pos@uis.edu</p>
<p>Pre-Medical Concentration</p> <p>This concentration provides the minimum coursework to complete a successful application to medical, pharmacy, veterinary, and dental school as well as professional programs in other health sciences.</p>	<p>Biology (1-year w/ lab)</p> <p>Calculus-based Physics (1 year)</p> <p>General Chemistry (1 year)</p> <p>Organic Chemistry (1 year)</p> <p>Calculus I</p>	<p>For information on exact equivalent courses for your school with UIS, please contact the Pre-Med Department.</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/premed/ 217-206-6589 premed@uis.edu</p>
<p>Psychology</p> <p>2.5 GPA assures full admission to on-campus program.</p> <p>Online applicants must have a 3.0/4.0 GPA and preferred 60 credit hours completed.</p>	<p>Composition I and II*</p> <p>Introduction to Psychology*</p> <p>*Grace of “C” or better</p>	<p>ENGL 101, 102</p> <p>PSYCH 101</p>	<p>www.uis.edu/psychology/ 217-206-6696 psy@uis.edu</p>

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Public Administration <i>Ask department about AAS to BA degree planning and about integrated BPA/MPA option.</i>	<i>Recommended:</i> Composition I and II Micro-Economics American Government Applied Statistics/General Education Stats	ENGL 101, 102 ECON 201, 202 POLSC 140 MATH 153	www.uis.edu/publicadministration/ 217-206-6310 mpa@uis.edu
Public Policy	Micro-Economics Macro-Economics American Government (American Track) Comparative Government (International Track) <i>Recommended:</i> Composition I and II	ENGL 101, 102 ECON 201, 202 POLSC 140 POLSC 230	www.uis.edu/publicpolicy/ 217-206-6646 rgilm3@uis.edu
Social Work	Introduction to Psychology Intro to Sociology/Intro to Anthropology American Government/Politics Statistics	PSYCH 101 SOCIO 101 ANTHR 215 POLSC 140 MATH 115	www.uis.edu/socialwork/ 217-206-6687 swk@uis.edu
Sociology/Anthropology	<i>Recommended:</i> Intro to Sociology or Intro to Anthropology	SOCIO 101 ANTHR 215	www.uis.edu/sociologyanthropology/ 217-206-6962 soa@uis.edu
Theatre	<i>Recommended:</i> Theatre Appreciation Intro to Acting Theatre practicum	THTRE 101 THTRE 111	www.uis.edu/theatre/ 217-206-6240 theatre@uis.edu
Visual Arts	2-D Design 3-D Design Drawing I 2 semesters of Art History Introductory-level art studio course in a specific discipline	ART 101 ART 102 ART 104 ART 121, 122 ART 109, 201, 205	www.uis.edu/visualarts/ 217-206-6240 art@uis.edu