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TRANSFER GUIDE

Normandale Community College: Biology Transfer Pathway Associate of Science to Concordia University, St. Paul: Bachelor of Arts in Biology On-Campus

Transfer Guide is based on the 2023-2024 Academic Catalog and may be subject to change

Step 1: Complete the below general education courses in your Associate's Degree. *If you are MnTC complete, all general education courses except for Theology will be met

| General Education Equivalencies | | | | |
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| NCC AS Biology Transfer Pathway Courses | Credits | How it transfers to CSP* | | |
| ENGC 1101 College Writing | 4 | ENG 121 College Writing | | |
| COMM 1101 Fundamentals of Public Speaking OR COMM 1111 Interpersonal Communication | 3 | COM 212 Public Speaking OR COM 110 Interpersonal Communication | | |
| BIOL 1501 Principles of Biology I | 5 | BIO 120 General Biology I | | |
| MATH 1100 College Algebra OR MATH 1150 Trigonometry OR MATH 1500 Pre-Calculus OR MATH 1510 Calculus I | 8-10¹ | General Education Elective Area ¹ | | |
| MnTC Goal Area 5 Course | 3 | Social Science General Education Area | | |
| MnTC Goal Area 6 Course | 3 | Humanities General Education Area | | |
| MnTC Courses Goals 7–10 ² | 3 | Course Dependent ² | | |
| All remaining General Education Courses | 0-1 | Elective - applied towards minimum 120 required credits* | | |

 \checkmark Step 2: Complete the below major courses in your Associate's degree.
*A minimum of 50% of the major course requirements must be completed at CSP

| Major Course Equivalencies | | | | |
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| Credits | How it transfers to CSP* | | | |
| 4 | BIO 130 General Biology II | | | |
| 4 | BIO 210 Genetics | | | |
| 4 | BIO 330 Cell Biology | | | |
| 5 | CHE 115 General Chemistry I | | | |
| 5 | CHE 116 General Chemistry II | | | |
| 8 | Elective - applied towards minimum 120 required credits* | | | |
| | Credits 4 4 4 5 | | | |

Step 3: Complete the following minimum requirements* at Concordia University:

| Remaining General Education and Major courses requirements at Concordia University, St. Paul | | |
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| Remaining General Education Requirements: | 6-12 | |
| Theology: Must be completed at CSP | 6 | |
| Humanities (2 Courses) | 0-3 | |
| Social Science (2 Courses) | 0-3 | |
| Communication | 0 | |
| Writing | 0 | |
| Mathematics | 0 | |
| Science | 0 | |
| Remaining Prerequisite Requirements: | 3 | |



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| MAT 110 Introduction to Probability and Statistics | 3 |
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| Remaining Major Course Requirements: | 48 |
| SCI 435 Research and Techniques OR SCI 455 Research in Science | 4 |
| SCI 453 Science Senior Capstone | 2 |
| Major Elective Credits | 17 |
| Elective Credits to reach minimum requirement of 120* | 25 |
| Minimum Total Credits to complete at CSP | 60 |

*see reverse for important transfer policies

¹Math courses from the Normandale degree will apply towards the General Education Elective area as the CSP degree requires MAT 110 to complete the Math General Education Requirement.

²The courses awarded from the MnTC Goal 7-10 courses will be determined on a course-by-course basis.

Transfer Policies:

- The above transfer guide is intended for fully completed MnTC Goal Areas only. Partially completed goal areas will be subject to course-by-course evaluation and does not guarantee transfer to a specific CSP general education area.
- An overall GPA of 2.0 or higher and major GPA of 2.0 or higher is required. (Unless the course applies toward the major, all transfer credit is accepted with a grade of Pass 'P' and does not impact your CSP GPA.).
- A minimum of 120 credits is required to earn a bachelor's degree from CSP. A minimum of 30 credits must be successfully completed at CSP and a maximum of 90 credits will be accepted in transfer.
- A minimum of half of the major credit requirements must be successfully completed at CSP.
- Completion of the full MN Transfer Curriculum will fulfill all general education credits at CSP, with the exception of Theology.
- Students may have additional credits earned from attendance at other schools, please be sure to submit all transcripts.
- The courses listed above are current as of the corresponding Academic Calendar. Course requirements are subject to change.
- Please contact the Concordia University Office of Admissions for the most up to date information.

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