Arizona State University
ASU Main Campus
1999-2000 Transfer Guide
FOR THE MARICOPA COMMUNITY COLLEGES
Bachelor of Arts
Journalism

The Arizona resident applicant for transfer admission must meet competency requirements and have a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.00 on a four-point (A) scale in all college level work and be in good standing and eligible to return to the last institution attended. Students who have less than 24 semester transfer credits must also meet competency requirements. Arizona residents who have completed an Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) or an associate degree with a minimum 2.00 GPA in the AGEC or associate degree are exempt from admission requirements. A maximum of 64 semester credit hours will be accepted when transferred from community colleges; all transferable community college credits are accepted as lower-division credits and do not satisfy upper-division General Studies or graduation requirements.

Journalism students study the theory, processes, and skills related to print mass communication. The study of journalism includes newspapers, magazines, public relations, and photojournalism. For more information, call or write:

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Walter Cronkite School of Journalism and Telecommunication
Arizona State University
P.O. Box 871305
Tempe, Arizona 85287-1305

COLLEGE OF PUBLIC PROGRAMS (COPP) ADMISSION CRITERIA
1. Transfer students are admitted into the lower-division (pre-professional) curriculum and must complete that curriculum before starting the upper-division professional program. A 2.50 GPA is required to take major courses.
2. Admission to the Cronkite School professional program is competitive and requires a separate School application for students following the 1996-98 and future catalogs. For students following prior catalogs, professional status requires a 2.50 GPA and ASU cumulative GPA, if any exists, of 2.50 is required to take 200-level and higher major courses.

Transfer value of a course, including General Studies value, is governed by the Course Equivalency Guide (CEG) in force at the time the course is taken. Summer session is included with the previous academic year. Community college courses which are equivalent in content to upper division courses at ASU will be transferable as equivalent but with lower division credit. The course need not be repeated but will not count toward the required number of upper division credit hours.

FIRST YEAR COMPOSITION (3-6)

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GENERAL STUDIES REQUIREMENTS

Students completing the Arizona General Education Curriculum (AGEC) will still be required to fulfill lower division program requirements and prerequisites within their college and major/minor area of study. In all cases, students have the responsibility for selecting general education coursework that is relevant to the requirements of their intended major and degree.

Select credits from CEG General Studies Insert as follows: 3 N1 credits, 3 N3 credits; 3 ENG prefix credits to satisfy HU requirement, 3 PHI prefix credits to satisfy HU requirement and 6 HU credits; 3 HSS prefix credits to satisfy SB requirement and 6 SB credits; 4 S1 & 4 S2 credits; 3 C credits, 3 G credits, and 3 H credits. Additional and/or mandated General Studies requirements, if any, are listed in the College/Major Requirements section with designation in brackets.

LINK TO GENERAL STUDIES LINK TO AGEC-A

LINK TO COMMON COURSES
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COLLEGE/MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

**ASU**

ECN 111  Macroeconomic Principles [SB]
or
ECN 112  Microeconomic Principles [SB]
PGR 101  Intro to Psychology [SB]
POS 110  Government/Politics [SB]
or
POS 310  Am National Govt [SB]
PSY 230  Intro to Statistics [N2]
or
QBA 221  Statistical Analysis [N2]
or
STP 226  Elements Statistics [N2]

**MCCCD**

ECN 111  Macroeconomic Principles
ECN 112  Microeconomic Principles
PSY 101  Intro to Psychology
POS 110  Amer National Government
No MCCCD equivalent
PSY 230  Intro to Statistics
GBS 221  Business Statistics
MAT 167  Elements of Statistics
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**CORE COURSES**  
Comment: Students may transfer a maximum of 9 hours in approved journalism/telecommunication/mass communication courses. Journalism and Broadcasting (Telecommunication) majors may not count courses designated by "E" or "NT" in the Course Equivalency Guide toward the 120-hour graduation requirement.

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**COMMUNICATION REQUIREMENT**  
COM 225  Public Speaking [L1]  
or  
COM 241  Intro Oral Interp [L1/HU]

**WRITING COMPETENCE REQUIREMENT**  
ENG 210   Introduction to Creative Writing  
or  
ENG 215  Strategies/Academic Writing [L1]  
or  
ENG 217  Writing Reflective Essays [L1]  
or  
ENG 218  Writing about Lit [L1]  
or  
ENG 215  Strat of Acad Writing  
or  
ENG 216  Persuasive Writing on Public Issues [L1]  
or  
ENG 217  Persnl/Exploratory Writing  
or  
ENG 218  Writing About Literature

**NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**  
Requires knowledge of one foreign language equivalent to the completion of two years study at the college level. See current catalog for further information. Select MCCCDC foreign language courses that transfer to ASU at the 101, 102, 201, 202, 203, 204 and/or 205 level. Some foreign language courses may satisfy Global Awareness requirements.

**RELATED FIELD**  
Select one of these approved areas: Graphic Communication, English, Management, Marketing/Advertising, Political Science, Economics, History, Communication or Theatre. A minimum grade of "C" is required.

Approved by Dr. Frederic Leigh  
Interim Director

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1. Although a course may satisfy a core area requirement and an awareness area requirement concurrently, a course may **not** be used to satisfy requirements in two core areas simultaneously, even if approved for those areas. A course may satisfy two awareness areas concurrently.

2. When selecting HU or SB core courses, students must keep in mind that A. two courses in one of these two core areas must be in the same department; B. courses from at least two departments must be taken. These two conditions may, but need not, be satisfied in the same core area. At least one course within the 15 semester hours **must** be an upper-division course taken only at ASU.