

HENRY FORD COLLEGE TRANSFER GUIDE

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND EDUCATION

POLITICAL SCIENCE – NEW CORE

This guide reflects the New Core Curriculum effective Fall 2017. Transfer students starting at Detroit Mercy between Fall 2017 and Summer 2021 will have the option to select this New Core or the Old Core. See Transfer Guides indicating “OLD CORE” for prior Core requirements.

The following courses will transfer into Detroit Mercy’s Political Science program. Students may transfer a maximum of 63 credits toward a Bachelor’s Degree; course grades must be a C or better. Additional courses not on this guide may also transfer. Detroit Mercy Admissions: admissions@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1245. Website: udmercy.edu

Henry Ford College Courses	Detroit Mercy Equivalencies	
Core Knowledge Area A: Communication Skills		
SPC 131 Fundamentals of Speaking	CST 1010 Fundamentals of Speech	A1
ENG 132 College Writing and Research	ENL 1310 Academic Writing	A2
Core Knowledge Area B: Mathematics/Statistical Knowledge		
MATH 110 Intermediate Algebra	MTH 1010 Algebra	B1
Satisfied by program requirement	Statistical/Prob Reasoning course	B2
Core Knowledge Area C: Scientific Knowledge		
ASTR 131; ATMS 131; BIO 130, 131, 134, 138, 143, 150, 152, 233, 234, 261, 262; CHEM 111, 131, 132, 141, 142; GEOG 131 GEOG 131; PHYS 131, 132, 231, 232; PSCI 131, 135; SCI 131	Choose 1 Physical Sciences course	C1
POL 1000 must be taken at Detroit Mercy	Choose 1 Social Sciences course	C2
Core Knowledge Area D: Religious and Philosophical Knowledge		
PHIL 130 Introduction to Philosophy	PHL 1000 Introduction to Philosophy	D1
WR 130, 131, 232-236, 239, 240, 280	Choose 1 Religious Knowledge course	D2
PHIL 131, 133, 135, 137, 201; WR 130, 131, 232-242, 280	Choose 1 PHL/RELS Elective course	D3
Core Knowledge Area E: Essential Humanities		
HIST 111, 112, 113, 151, 152, 239, 243, 261, 283, 285, 286	Choose 1 Historical Experiences course	E1
ENG 231, 232, 233, 235, 237, 239, 241, 248; HON 251	Choose 1 Literary Experiences course	E2
ART 121, 122, 123, 130, 135, 221, 224-227, 290, 2901, 2902; HUM 101; INTR 280; MUS 130, 132, 133, 232, 233; TCM 132, 235; THEA 131, 132, 238	Choose 1 Aesthetic Experiences course	E3
Core Knowledge Area F: Ethics and Social Responsibility		
PHIL 138 OR 139	Choose 1 Ethics course	F1
Core Integrating Theme 3: Cultural Diversity		
ANTH 131, 151, 152; ARA 130, 131, 132, 141, 231, 232, 290; ASL 130, 131, 132; CHN 130, 131, 132; ENG 243; FRE 131, 132, 231, 232; GEOG 132, 221; GER 131, 132, 231, 232; HIST 113, 243, 252; ITAL 131, 132; PSY 161, 257; SOC 251; SPN 131, 132, 141, 231, 232, 290; WR 232, 233, 237	Choose 1 Cultural Diversity course	IT3
Additional Core Integrating Themes		
In some cases, these may be fulfilled by program requirements or other Knowledge Area courses. See a Detroit Mercy advisor for a defined list of approved courses and more information.	Additional Integrating Themes IT1, IT2, IT4, IT5, IT6	

MTA Students only: Transfer students who satisfy the **Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)** will have the Core Knowledge Area requirements met. Fulfilling the Core Integrating Themes is still necessary. Students should select courses that meet both the MTA and program specific requirements.

These courses fulfill requirements for Detroit Mercy's Political Science program:

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MATH	141	Introduction to Statistics	STA	2250	Statistics
PLGL	126	Legal Research	POL	2800	Legal Research
POLS	131	Intro American Govt. & Political Science	POL	2100	American Politics
POLS	135	American Legal Systems & Processes	POL	2010	Intro to Law and the Judiciary
POLS	152	International Relations	POL	2510	International Relations

Entrance Requirements:

- Minimum 2.00 GPA based on 24 or more credits earned at HFC (and/or other accredited institutions).
- If less than 24 credits have been earned, a student's high school transcript is required.
- Apply for admission to Detroit Mercy at www.udmercy.edu/admission/apply; the application is free.

Contact the Transfer Team if you have any questions: transferteam@udmercy.edu or 313-993-1940.