



**General Transfer Guide  
for  
State Fair Community College**

Students intending to transfer to Truman can plan to complete many of Truman’s graduation requirements at State Fair Community College, both in the academic major and the Liberal Studies Program. For information about major requirements, please contact the [Transfer Programs Coordinator](#) at the Center for Academic Excellence. Truman’s major requirements are available in the General/Graduate Catalog, and specific course equivalencies are posted at the [Registrar’s website](#).

**Liberal Studies Program**

All students at Truman complete the Liberal Studies Program. It’s divided into three parts: Essential Skills, Modes of Inquiry, and Interconnecting Perspectives. Essential Skills courses develop the foundational abilities that students will use throughout their degree program. The Modes of Inquiry expose students to a breadth of disciplinary methods, both quantitative and qualitative. The Interconnecting Perspectives focus on the connections between cultures and disciplines.

Transfer students who have completed either an Associate of Arts degree or the Missouri “Core 42” statewide lower-division core curriculum are considered as having satisfied the Essential Skills, the Modes of Inquiry, and the Intercultural requirement in the LSP. Other transfer students credit is evaluated on a course-by-course basis. See the table below for some common course equivalencies in the Liberal Studies Program.

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	<b>LSP Requirement</b>	<b>Truman Course</b>	<b>State Fair Course</b>
<b>Essential Skills</b> <i>(Considered Complete via AA or CORE 42)</i>	<b>Writing as Critical Thinking</b>	ENG 190 Writing as Critical Thinking	ENGL 101 English Composition I
	<b>Speech</b>	COMM 170 Public Speaking	COMM 101 Public Speaking
	<b>Elementary Functions</b>	MATH 156 College Algebra and MATH 157 Plane Trigonometry	MATH 114 College Algebra and MATH 120 Trigonometry
		OR	OR
		MATH 186 Precalculus	MATH 122 Precalculus Math
		OR	OR
	<b>Statistics</b>	A Calculus Course (MATH 192/194/196/198)	MATH 130 Calculus and Analytic Geometry
		STAT 190 Basic Statistics OR STAT 290 Statistics	MATH 127 Business Statistics
			No equivalent course
	<b>Personal Well-Being</b>	HLTH 195 Lifetime Health and Fitness and HLTH 196 Lifetime Physical Activities	No equivalent courses
		OR	
		HLTH 198 Personal Health and Fitness and HLTH 198 Personal Fitness Lab	No equivalent courses
		OR	
		MS 100 Intro to Military Science I and MS 101 Intro to Military Science II	No equivalent course
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**Cont'd below.**

	LSP Requirement	Truman Course	State Fair Course
<b>Modes of Inquiry</b> <i>(Considered Complete via AA or CORE 42)</i>	<b>Aesthetic: Literature</b>	ENG 245 British Literatures: Chronology	LIT 109 English Literature
		ENG 265 American Literatures: Chronology	LIT 107 American Literature
	<b>Aesthetic: Visual &amp; Perf. Arts</b>	ART 203 Intro to Visual Arts	ART 100 Art Appreciation
		MUSI 204 Perspectives in Music	MUS 114 Music Appreciation
		THEA 275 Intro to the Theatre Arts	THEA 107 Introduction to Theatre
	<b>Historical</b>	HIST 111 World Civilization before AD 1300	HIST 108 World Civilization Before 1500
		HIST 112 World Civiliation since AD 1300	HIST 109 World Civilization Since 1500
		HIST 104 US History I, 1607-1877	HIST 101 American History Before 1877
		HIST 105 US History II, 1877-Present	HI 102 American History Since 1877
	<b>Social Scientific</b>	ECON 200 Principles of Macroeconomics	ECON 101 Principles of Macroeconomics
		ECON 201 Principles of Microeconomics	ECON 102 Principles of Microeconomics
		PSYC 166 General Psychology	PSY 101 General Psychology
		SOAN 190 Sociological Inquiry	SOC 100 General Sociology
		POL 161 American National Government	POLS 101 American National Government
		GEOG 111 The Geographic Perspective	GEOG 101 World Geography
	<b>Mathematical</b>	MATH 198 Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	MATH 130 Calculus and Analytic Geometry
	<b>Scientific: Life Science</b>	BIOL 100 Biology	BIO 112 Introductory Biology with Lab
<b>Scientific: Physical Science</b>	PHYS 185 College Physics I w/Lab	PHYS 105 College Physics I	
	CHEM 100 Chemistry for Contemporary Living	CHEM 101 Intro to Chemistry with Lab	
	CHEM 130 Chemical Principles I	CHEM 123 General Chemistry I with Lab	
<b>Interconnecting Perspectives</b> <i>(Intercultural Req. Considered Complete via AA or CORE 42)</i>	<b>Elementary Proficiency in One Foreign Language</b>	Satisfied by completing the first year of any foreign language.	SPAN 101 & 102 Elementary Spanish or FREN 101 & 102 Elementary French
	<b>Intercultural Perspective</b>	<a href="#">See Truman catalog for list of options. May double-count with other LSP, major, or minor requirements.</a>	Satisfied by any transferable course on intercultural perspectives list (see Truman catalog) or via AA/CORE 42
	<b>Writing Enhanced Requirement and Junior Interdisciplinary Writing Enhanced Seminar</b>	All students must complete one Writing-Enhanced JINS course and two additional writing-enhanced courses.	Must be completed at Truman
<a href="#">A full list of articulated courses is posted at the Truman State University Registrar's website.</a>			

## Other Graduation Requirements

In addition to completing at least one major degree program and the Liberal Studies Program, all students at Truman must complete the following in order to graduate.

- A 2.0 minimum cumulative GPA (unless a higher requirement is specified), a 2.0 minimum GPA in all coursework completed at Truman, and a 2.0 major GPA
- 120 total credits
- 40 credits of upper-level courses (courses numbered 300+)
- 45 credits must be completed in residence, 28 of which must immediately precede completion of requirements for the degree, 15 of which must be major requirements
- The Truman Week requirement is waived for all transfer students.
- Completion of the Liberal Studies Program (LSP). LSP requirements can be found in the Truman State University catalog.
- 63 credits of courses with the Liberal Arts and Sciences (LAS) designation. A list of LAS-designated courses can be found in the Truman State University Catalog.

A detailed explanation of the above graduation requirements for a Bachelor's degree can be found in the Truman State University catalog at [http://catalog.truman.edu/content.php?catoid=13&navoid=631#Bachelor s Degree Requirements](http://catalog.truman.edu/content.php?catoid=13&navoid=631#Bachelor_s_Degree_Requirements).