



MOODY BIBLE INSTITUTE

TRANSFER CREDIT GUIDELINES—GENERAL STUDIES UNDERGRADUATE—CHICAGO AND SPOKANE

General Studies courses for Chicago and Spokane degree programs.
Refer to current Undergraduate Catalog for specific degree requirements.

College Writing	2 credits	Research Writing	3 credits
Speech Communication	3 credits	Literature Elective (Not required for Music majors)	3 credits
Foreign Language+	6 credits	Introduction to Philosophy	3 credits
Science and/or Mathematics (Not required for BMUS degrees)	5 credits	Social Science Elective (Not required for Music majors)	3 credits

+Not applicable to Biblical Languages, Pastoral, Applied Linguistics, Jewish Studies, or TESOL majors

In order to receive transfer credit the following criteria must be fulfilled:

- Credit must be earned through a regionally-accredited college and submitted on an official transcript
- Credit must be college-level (usually numbered 100 or higher)
- Credit must be earned within the last ten years
- Credit must be passed with a grade of “C” or better (pass/fail courses will not transfer)
- Coursework must be equivalent to MBI requirements in content and credit hours
(4.5 quarter hours=3 semester hours)

College Writing: *Alternate titles: English Composition I, Freshman Composition I.* Must include essay writing and critical reading.

Research Writing: *Alternate titles: English Composition II, Freshman Composition II.* Must include the writing of a formal research paper.

Speech Communication: *Alternate titles: Public Speaking, Oral or Basic Communication.* Must include a public speaking component.

Literature Elective: *Alternate titles: American, British, World, Ethnic, or Children’s Literature.* Any literature course offered through the English or Literature Departments.

Introduction to Philosophy: *Alternate titles: Principles, Fundamentals, or General Philosophy.* Must include an overview of the history of philosophy and cover all of the following philosophical topics: epistemology, metaphysics, axiology, and ethics.

Foreign Language: Must be 6 hours in the same language and include speaking, reading and writing components (Phonetics / Linguistics or American Sign Language also meet this requirement).

Quantitative Reasoning (2 hrs)/ Contemporary Issues in Science (3 hrs): Any college-level course(s) offered through the Mathematics and/or Natural Science Departments, *such as College Algebra, Pre-Calculus, Trigonometry Anatomy, Astronomy, Biology, Botany, Chemistry, Geology, Physical Science, Physics, Zoology.*

Social Science Elective: *Such as Introduction to Psychology, Introduction to Sociology, Cultural Anthropology, Human Development, Intercultural Communication, Cultural Geography or Marriage and Family Systems.*

Compare the descriptions of the proposed transfer course(s) to the above guidelines. If you are not certain a particular course will transfer send an email to advising@moody.edu. Include the name of the college, course number, title and description in your transfer credit evaluation request.