



University of Wisconsin
Whitewater

Rock
County

College of Integrated Studies

UW-Oshkosh Transfer Checklist

Application Process:

Spring: September 1 (priority), January 15 (final deadline)

Fall: January 15 (priority), August 15 (final deadline)

- Submit UW System application at <https://apply.wisconsin.edu>
- Submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities previously attended.
- An official high school transcript is also required if a student has earned fewer than 30 transferable college credits at the time they apply OR if the student has solely earned college credit from a technical college. *Your application will not be considered complete until all transcripts are received.*

All transcripts should be sent to:

UW Oshkosh Admissions Office
800 Algoma Boulevard
Oshkosh, WI 54901

- If you want to earn your Associate of Arts & Science degree before transferring, please confirm your progress with your Academic Adviser
- Once you have met with your Academic Adviser and know that you are eligible to earn your degree, apply for graduation through your WINS account. Log into WINS, click Academics→Graduation, and follow prompts for AAS.



Admission Criteria:

- Applicants for admission are provided a comprehensive review. Determinants for admission include a number of academic and nonacademic factors.
- *Nonacademic factors are given strong consideration for nontraditional students.*

Academic Factors	Nonacademic Factors
Rigor of completed college courses	Extracurricular involvement, leadership experience, volunteerism and community service
Number of college transfer credits earned	Diversity of personal background, work experience and life circumstances
Individual course grades	Student's personal statement and responses to questions on the application
College cumulative GPA (minimum 2.0, 2.5 preferred)	Letters of recommendation are optional, but may be helpful for students who may need further support
High school academic record (if fewer than 30 transferable college credits have been earned at the time of application)	



General Education Information for Transfer Students

Every student at every liberal arts institution participates in general education curriculum. At UW Oshkosh, we refer to our general education program as the “[University Studies Program](#)” or “USP.” We know that as a transfer student, your experiences are a bit different. You’re coming in with credits, or maybe even a full degree, so here’s a quick breakdown of the USP requirements you need to complete based on the number of credits you’re bringing with you.

Please note that transfer students are still required to meet all major, minor (if any) and degree requirements. The chart below refers to USP expectations only.

0-14 credits	You’re still considered a first-year student and will be able to participate in all USP Quest and Connect courses. Any courses you’ve previously taken will continue to transfer to UW-Oshkosh, but the names of the courses or course categories may differ slightly.
15-59 credits	To help you get situated on campus, you are required to enroll in “USP 200,” which is our Transition Year Experience. This is a 0-credit course that meets one hour for the first two weeks of your first semester at UW-Oshkosh. This will help you learn what UWO has to offer, show you what resources are available and introduce you to new people. You are not required to complete any Quest courses or signature questions.
60+ credits & completed associate degree	Because you have more than 60 credits, you are not required to take the Quest sequence of courses or the Transition Year Experience. Admissions will determine what courses transfer and identify any courses you may need to complete.

Note to former UW Colleges Students:

On July 1, 2018, UW Colleges officially joined seven four-year UW institutions. The University of Wisconsin Extended Campus is the custodian of all student records and transcript requests for students enrolled at a UW College or UW Branch Campus prior to September 1, 2019. Please visit this website for more information on requesting transcripts from UW Colleges or a Branch Campus.

<https://www.wisconsin.edu/uwc/requesting-a-transcript/>