

Useful Transfer Information

This information is designed to assist you in planning your transfer from Banff Centre, a college, technical institute, private college with accredited degree programs, Athabasca University, Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate courses.

Information about transferring from one university to another, can be found [here](#).

General information on University Transfer programs can be found [here](#).

1. When you have decided which receiving institution you are planning to transfer to, carefully read its [admission and transfer information](#). You may also wish to visit the institution's [web site](#) for more detailed information.
2. The next page lists the transfer agreements between the sending institution (where you will take courses you wish to transfer) and the receiving institution. Make note of how your planned courses transfer to the receiving institution.

Please note, if you have already completed post-secondary courses in Alberta, refer to the Transfer Guide corresponding to the year in which you took the courses.

3. Contact the [post-secondary](#) institution directly for if you have any questions about specific admission and program requirements.

The following illustrates how to read the course transfer agreements in Alberta Transfer Guide:



In other words, if you successfully completed ENGL 210 at Red Deer College you know it will be accepted at U of A instead of ENGL 101. Red Deer's ENGL 200 will be accepted as a 6 credit introductory English option at U of A.

REMINDER – Transfer agreements specified in the Transfer Guide may be dependent on the particular program a student wishes to enter. If a student switches to an unrelated program, courses may not be fully transferable.

QUESTIONS? Call ACAT's Infoline at (780) 422-9021 or toll free to 310-0000 (ask for 422-9021) or send ACAT an e-mail at: acat@gov.ab.ca

International Baccalaureate Courses

The International Baccalaureate Program was developed and sponsored by the International Baccalaureate Office, a Swiss Foundation with headquarters in Geneva. This office is represented in Canada and the United States by the International Baccalaureate North America Office, a non-profit corporation headquartered in New York City. Some high schools in Alberta offer part or all of the International Baccalaureate Program. Students who have completed part or all of the Program may apply for advance credit through individual assessment upon admission to a post-secondary institution. More detailed information is available from the Office of the Registrar at each institution. Advance standing (Credit or Placement) in the following approved courses is automatically awarded for IB grade of "6" or "7" only at UofA and "5" or higher (maybe higher for some Faculties) at UofC, TKUC and CUC. At ACAD, students have the option of receiving transfer credit for approved courses where they have achieved grades of "5" or higher, or of taking the ACAD course. Official transcripts from the IBNA office are required. At UofA, normally credit or placement is determined by the policy in effect for the session to which the student applies, NOT the date when the IB course was taken. At AU, the minimum acceptable IB grade is "4" to receive advance credit. Advance credit arrangements are in effect at the degree-granting institutions listed in the following table.

By Course

Art/Design (higher level)	ACAD	UNST 1xx (6)	Concordia UC	Students with IB credits will be evaluated individually for advance standing or credit. ART 2316/2xxx (6)	King's UC	ARTS 211/2xx (6)
	U of C	ART 231/233 (6)	UofL			
Biology (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (3)	Athabasca	BIOL 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	BES 107 (3)
	King's UC	BIOL 210 (3)	U of C	BIOL 233 (3)	UofA	BIOL 107 (3)
	UofL	BIOL 1010 (3)				
Chemistry (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (3)	Athabasca	CHEM 217/218 (6)	Canadian UC	CHEM 111/112 (6)
	Concordia UC	CH 101/102 (6)	King's UC	CHEM 200/201 (6)	U of C	See note 1
	UofA	CHEM 101 or 103 (3)	UofL	CHEM 1000/2000 (6)		
Chemistry (standard)	King's UC	CHEM 200 (3)	UofA	Credit by Special Assessment for CHEM 101 or 103 (3) ²	UofL	CHEM 1000 (3)
Chemistry (subsidiary)	Canadian UC	CHEM 111 (3)				
Computing Science (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	CMPT 111 (3)	King's UC	CMPT 250 (3)
	U of C	See note 3	UofA	CMPUT 101 (3) or CMPUT 114/115 (6) ⁴		
Computing Science (standard)	Concordia UC	CMPT 111 (3)	UofA	CMPUT 101 (3) or CMPUT 114 (3) ⁵		
Economics (higher level)	ACAD	UNSS 2xx (6)	Canadian UC	ECON 101/102 (6)	Concordia UC	ECO 101/102 (6)
	King's UC	ECON 201/202 (6)	U of C	ECON 201/203 (6)	UofA	ECON 101/102 (6) ⁶
	UofL	ECON 1010/1012 (6)				
Economics (standard)	UofL	ECON 1010 (3)				
Economics (subsidiary)	Canadian UC	ECON 101 (3)				
English A1 (higher level)	ACAD	ENGL 2xx (3)	Athabasca	ENGL 211/212 (6)	Canadian UC	ENGL 101/102 (6)
	Concordia UC	ENG 110 (6)	King's UC	ENGL 204/205 (6)	U of C	Jr. ENGL (3)
	UofA	ENGL 1xx (6) ⁷	UofL	ENGL 1xxx (3)		
French 'A' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Athabasca	FREN 2xx (6)	Canadian UC	FREN 201/202 (6)
	Concordia UC	FR 203 (6)	King's UC	FREN 2xx (6)	U of C	Jr. FREN (6) ⁸
	UofA	FREN 1xx/211 (6) ⁹	UofL	FREN 2000/2300 (6)		
French 'A' (standard)	Concordia UC	FR 203 (6)	King's UC	FREN 2xx (6)	UofA	FREN 1xx/211 (6) ⁹
	UofL	FREN 2000/2300 (6)				
French 'A' (subsidiary)	Canadian UC	FREN 201/202 (6)				
French 'B' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Canadian UC	FREN 201/202 (6)	Concordia UC	FR 203 (6)
	King's UC	FREN 2xx (6)	U of C	Jr. FREN (6) ⁸	UofA	FREN 1xx/211 (6) ⁹
	UofL	FREN 2000/2300 (6)				
French 'B' (standard)	Concordia UC	FR 203 (6)	King's UC	FREN 2xx (6)	UofA	FREN 1xx (6) ⁹
	UofL	FREN 1500/2000 (6)				
French 'B' (subsidiary)	Canadian UC	FREN 201/202 (6)				
Geography (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (6)	Athabasca	GEOG 2xx (6)	U of C	GEOG 211/251 (6)
	UofL	GEOG 1010/2240 (6)				
Geography (standard)	UofL	ENVS 2000 (3)				

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German 'A' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Athabasca	GERM 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	GERM 210 (6)
	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)	U of C	GERM 221/223 (6)	UofA	GERM 1xx/211 (6) ¹⁰
	UofL	GERM 2000/2300 (6)				
German 'A' (standard)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	GERM 210 (6)	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)
	UofA	GERM 1xx (6) ¹⁰	UofL	GERM 2000/2300 (6)		
German 'B' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	GERM 210 (6)	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)
	U of C	GERM 221/223 (6)	UofA	GERM 1xx/211 (6) ¹⁰	UofL	GERM 2000/2300 (6)
German 'B' (standard)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	GERM 210 (6)	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)
	UofA	GERM 1xx (6) ¹⁰	UofL	GERM 1500/2000 (6)		
Greek (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	GRK 101/102 (6)	King's UC	GREK 2xx (6)
	UofA	GREEK 101/102 (6)	UofL	Special Assessment		
History (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (3)	Athabasca	HIST 2xx (6)	Canadian UC	HIST 111/112 (6)
	Concordia UC	HIS 111/112 (6)	King's UC	HIST 2xx (6)	U of C	Jr. HTST (6)
	UofA	HIST 120 (6)	UofL	HIST 1000 (3)		
History-Islamic (HL)	UofA	HIST 1xx (3) ¹¹				
I.B. Diploma	U of C	Graduates are eligible for up to 5 full-course equivalents in transfer credits.	UofA	100-level Open elective (3) ¹²		
Italian 'A' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Athabasca	HUMN 2xx (6)	U of C	Jr. ITAL (6) ⁸
	UofA	Advanced Placement ²				
Japanese 'B' (higher level)	UofA	Advanced Placement				
Latin (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Athabasca	HUMN 2xx (6)	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)
	U of C	LATI 301/303 (6)	UofA	LATIN 101/102 (6)	UofL	Special Assessment
Latin (standard)	King's UC	Option 2xx (6)	UofL	Special Assessment		
Mathematics (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (3)	Canadian UC	MATH 161 (4)	Concordia UC	MAT 114/115 (6)
	U of C	MATH 251 or AMAT 217 (3) ¹⁵	UofA	MATH 100 or 114 (3) ¹⁶	UofL	MATH 1560 (3)
Mathematics (standard)	UofA	Credit by Special Assessment for MATH 100 or 114 (3) ²				
Mathematics with Further Mathematics (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (3)	U of C	MATH 251 or AMAT 217 (3) ¹⁵	UofL	MATH 1560/2560 (6) ¹⁷
Mathematics with Further Mathematics (SL)	UofA	MATH 100/101 (6) or MATH 114/115 (6)				
Music (higher level)	UofA	MUSIC 102/1xx (6) ¹⁸				
MUSIC (higher level)	U of C	Advanced Placement ¹³	UofL	MUSI 2xxx (6) ¹⁴		
Philosophy (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (3)	U of C	Jr. PHIL (3)	UofA	PHIL 1xx (3) ¹⁹
	UofL	Special Assessment				
Physics (higher level)	ACAD	UNNS 2xx (6)	Athabasca	PHYS 2xx (6)	Canadian UC	PHYS 111 (3)
	UofA	PHYS 124/126 (6)	UofL	PHYS 1000 or 1050 (3)		
Physics (higher Level)	U of C	PHYS 211/213 (6)				
Physics (SL)	UofA	PHYS 124 (3)				
Psychology (higher level)	ACAD	UNSS 2xx (3)	Canadian UC	PSYC 160 (3)	Concordia UC	PSY 104 (3)
	U of C	Jr. PSYC (3)	UofL	PSYC 1000 (3) ²⁰		
Psychology (standard)	UofL	PSYC 1000 (3) ²⁰				
Psychology (subsidiary)	Canadian UC	PSYC 160 (3)				
Social Anthropology (higher level)	ACAD	UNSS 2xx (3)	Athabasca	ANTH 275/276 (6)	Canadian UC	ANTH 205 (3)
	UofA	Advanced Placement (Social ANTHR areas only) ²	UofL	ANTH 1000 (3)		
Spanish 'A' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Athabasca	SPAN 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	SPA 101/102 (6)
	U of C	Jr. SPAN (6) ⁸	UofA	Advanced Placement ²	UofL	SPAN 2000/2300 (6)
Spanish 'A' (standard)	Concordia UC	SPA 101/102 (6)	UofA	Advanced Placement ²	UofL	SPAN 2000/2300 (6)
Spanish 'B' (higher level)	ACAD	UNHU 2xx (6)	Concordia UC	SPA 101/102 (6)	U of C	Jr. SPAN (6) ⁸
	UofL	SPAN 2000/2300 (6)				
Spanish 'B' (standard)	Concordia UC	SPA 101/102 (6)	UofL	SPAN 1500/2000 (6)		
Theatre Arts (HL)	UofA	DRAMA 101 (3)				

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- ¹ Student will receive credit for CHEM 201/203 (6) or CHEM 209 (3) [Engineering] at UofC.
- ² At UofA, students given "Advanced Placement" will be permitted to register in a senior course. Students entering the Faculty of Arts who are given Advanced Placement will be admitted to a senior course after determination of their background qualifications for that course (interview, placement test, etc.). They may also "challenge" a junior or senior course for credit via the "Credit by Special Assessment" route, if they have appropriate qualifications and are eligible within the regulations.
- ³ Student will receive credit for either CPSC 231/Jr. CPSC (6) or ENGG 233 (3) at UofC.
- ⁴ At Uof A students will receive credit for CMPUT 101 if Computing Science (HL) is taken prior to 2006, or CMPUT 114/115 if Computing Science (HL) is taken 2006 onwards.
- ⁵ At U of A students will receive credit for CMPUT 101 if Computing Science (SL) is taken prior to 2006, or CMPUT 101 or CMPUT 114 if Computing Science (SL) is taken 2006 onwards.
- ⁶ Student will not also receive credit for ECON 204 at UofA.
- ⁷ Student will receive credit for ENGL 199 and complementary studies elective (3) in the Faculty of Engineering at UofA.
- ⁸ Not acceptable towards program requirement of majors or minors in French, Italian or Spanish at UofC.
- ⁹ Student will not also receive credit for FREN 111/112 at UofA.
- ¹⁰ Student will not also receive credit for GERM 111/112 at UofA.
- ¹¹ Student will not also receive credit for HIST 117 at UofA.
- ¹² Upon successful completion of all components of the IB Diploma program.
- ¹³ Audition/placement tests required. Students may be given advanced placement and permitted to take selected Music courses by "Special Assessment" at UofC.
- ¹⁴ Two unspecified Music credits may be applied to specific Music requirements after interview and assessment by the Division of Music at UofL.
- ¹⁵ Credit only in Faculty of Engineering programs at UofC.
- ¹⁶ Student may also challenge MATH 101 or MATH 115 for credit via the 'Credit by Special Assessment ' route at UofA.
- ¹⁷ Credit for MATH 1560 will be awarded if grade of "5" is presented. Credit for MATH 1560/2560 with grade of "6" or "7" at UofL.
- ¹⁸ Student will not also receive credit for MUSIC 101 at UofA.
- ¹⁹ Student will not also receive credit for PHIL 101 or 102 at UofA.
- ²⁰ A grade of "4" or higher is required.