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TITLE:

ORIGINATOR(S):

INITIAL ADOPTION:

REVISION DATE(S):

AUDIENCE: (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)

FACULTY

STAFF

STUDENTS

VENDORS

OTHER (SPECIFY):

PURPOSE:

SCOPE:

DESCRIPTION (INCLUDE DEFINITIONS):

Morehead State University adheres to the criteria pertaining to transfer credit set forth by the Southern Association Commission on Colleges. In accordance with these guidelines, no contractual or consortia agreement will be entered into with an institution which is not accredited or a candidate to be accredited by a regional accrediting association to offer credit at the appropriate degree or certificate level. Any exception must be approved by the Commission on Colleges in advance of the formation of or participation in the consortium. The Commission on Colleges reserves the right to prohibit the use of its accreditation to authenticate courses or programs offered under contract.

Undergraduate Students

Transfer Credit from Non-Regionally Accredited Colleges:

All transfer credit from non-regionally accredited Colleges will be individually evaluated by the Dean of the College in which the student is seeking a degree. Transfer credit will be granted only when:

1. The student has completed a minimum of 12 semester hours at Morehead State University and achieved a minimum GPA of 2.0.
2. The course being transferred corresponds to one offered in the Morehead State University undergraduate catalog in effect at the time the transfer is sought;
3. The student has earned a grade of "C" or higher in the course for which transfer credit is being sought;
4. The course was taught by an instructor whose academic credentials meet the Commission on Colleges (SACS) requirements (e.g. generally, at least the Master degree in the teaching field with 18 graduate hours in the teaching field). Credit for transfer which was earned more than 10 years before transfer is sought may not be applicable to current degree or licensure requirements. For a review, see the dean of the college in which the transfer is sought.

Transfer of Credit from Regionally Accredited Colleges:


Upon receipt of an official transcript sent directly to MSU from the transfer institution, credit earned at regionally accredited colleges will be posted to the MSU transcript as transfer credit. Morehead State University utilizes the semester calendar system and transfer credit will be converted to semester hours. Grades earned at the transfer institution will be converted to reflect Morehead State University's grading scale. Transfer credit does not compute in the MSU GPA. Course level is maintained at the same level it was taken at the transfer institution. Courses in which a grade lower than "C" was earned may not be transferred for credit in certain majors or areas of concentration.


Morehead State University supports the Block Transfer of Academic Credit Policies as defined by the Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education. Transfer students bringing Block course certification to the University from other Kentucky public institutions can be assured that these certifications will be honored.

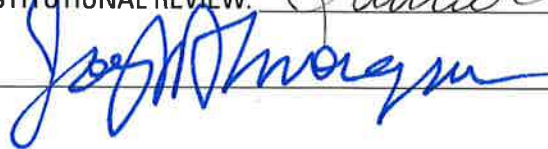
Transfer of Credit from International Colleges or Universities:

Students seeking transfer credit from an international college or university should have that institution send an official transcript to Morehead State University. In addition, the student should have his or her transcript officially evaluated by World Education Services (WES), and have a copy of the official evaluation sent from WES to Morehead State University. It is the student's responsibility to contact WES and pay all service fees associated with such transactions.

APPROVED BY:

VICE PRESIDENT:  DATE: 7/12/18

APPROPRIATE INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW:  DATE: 7/12/18

PRESIDENT:  DATE: 7/12/18

DESCRIPTION (CONTINUED):