

Technical College System of Georgia (TCSG) and Georgia Independent Colleges Association (GICA) Transfer Articulation Agreement

Introduction

This agreement formally recognizes that TCSG, GICA and its 24 member institutions, are active educational partners in providing educational opportunities for currently enrolled and prospective students of both TCSG and GICA member institutions. Agreement to this partnership requires a commitment by all entities to serve and to facilitate a student's ability to transfer select coursework without jeopardizing the intended mission and stated goals of any participating entity.

Agreement on Communication

TCSG and GICA agree to cooperate in communicating with each other concerning this articulation agreement between the two agencies and the institutions they represent. Communications may include common publications and announcements concerning their affiliation. Announcements of this articulation agreement and its updates will have a coordinated release to the public from both agencies. GICA will provide TCSG annually the name and contact information of the primary contact for this agreement at each participating institution. TCSG and GICA's member institutions will encourage the dissemination of information about programs in this agreement with interested and qualified students, with both agencies providing advising and counseling to prospective students.

Agreement of Admission

A TCSG student having a minimum 2.5 GPA for all academic work *attempted* at a SACSCOC accredited TCSG institution *and* an Associate of Applied Science or Associate of Science degree from a TCSG institution will be admitted to participating GICA member baccalaureate degree granting participating institution according to Appendix B. GICA member baccalaureate degree-granting participating institutions may deny admission only if coursework beyond the two-year degree falls below minimum admission standards or applicants are not in good standing.

Admission to the GICA participating institution does not guarantee admission to specific majors or programs. Students must meet minimum admission requirements specific to select majors or programs to be considered for admission into such majors or programs. Students who have not completed pre-requisites for admission to specific majors will be required to complete the pre-requisites at the transferring GICA institution.

This agreement, as outlined in Appendix B, is open to all students of SACSCOC accredited TCSG institutions regardless of race, color, religion, gender, age, creed, national origin, or disability except where noted below:

- a. Agnes Scott College – Women's College

- b. Covenant College - Faith Commitment Required
- c. Shorter University – Faith Commitment Required
- d. Spelman College – Women’s College
- e. Toccoa Falls College - Faith Commitment Required
- f. Wesleyan College - Women’s College

Agreement on Articulated Courses

This agreement ensures transferability of selected courses from a SACS accredited TCSG college to participating GICA colleges and universities. A student having earned a grade of “C” or better in a course identified in the attached matrix from a SACS accredited TCSG institution is ensured that course will transfer as indicated in Appendix A. Transfer credit will not be granted for sub 100 level coursework. Transferred courses cannot exceed 60 semester hours or the equivalent quarter hours. Additional credits may be accepted if the four-year institution approves the courses to meet other program requirements or to satisfy elective credits.

The General Education/CORE requirements at the below institutions will be fulfilled for students who have earned an Associate of Science degree at a SACSCOC accredited TCSG institution.

- a. Brenau University
- b. LaGrange College
- c. Paine College
- d. Wesleyan College

This agreement replaces any former agreements and applies to all courses in the attached matrix.

Agreement on Maintenance and Review

At least one administrative or faculty member will be appointed from TCSG, GICA, and from each GICA participating institution to act as a primary point of contact for the agreement, to speak for the agency, and to communicate details and modifications to respective faculty, administrators, and advisors at the institutions involved. This agreement will be in effect from the date of administrative endorsement. Either party may elect to terminate this agreement by sending a written statement to the other party with at least one term prior notice of the cancellation.

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Course Prefix	Course Number	Course Title	Agnes Scott College	Andrew College	Berry College	Brenau University	Brewton-Parker College	Clark Atlanta University	Covenant College	Emmanuel College	LaGrange College	Life University	Mercer University	Oglethorpe University	Paine College	Piedmont College	Point University	Reinhardt University	Shorter University	Spelman College	Thomas University	Toccoa Falls College	Wesleyan College	Young Harris College	Total
MGMT	1120	Introduction to Business	x	x		x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	19
MUSC	1101	Music Appreciation	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21
PHSC	1111	Physical Science (no lab)		x				x	x			x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x	15
PHYS	1111	Introductory Physics I	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
PHYS	1111L	Introductory Physics I Lab	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
PHYS	1112	Introductory Physics II	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
PHYS	1112L	Introductory Physics II Lab	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
POLS	1101	American Government	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21
POLS	2401	Global Issues	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	20
PSYC	1101	Introduction to Psychology	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
PSYC	2103	Human Development	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21
PSYC	2250	Abnormal Psychology	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21
SOCI	1101	Introduction to Sociology	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
SOCI	2600	Introduction to Social Problems	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21
SPAN	1101	Elementary Spanish I	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
SPAN	1102	Elementary Spanish II	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	22
SPCH	1101	Public Speaking	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x			x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	20
THEA	1101	Theater Appreciation	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x		x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	21

Appendix B

A TCSG student having a minimum 2.5 GPA (unless otherwise noted below) for all academic work *attempted* at a SACSCOC accredited TCSG institution *and* an Associate of Applied Science or Associate of Science degree from a TCSG institution will automatically be admitted to any participating GICA member baccalaureate degree granting GICA participating institution as indicated below:

Will Automatically Accept

Agnes Scott College (3.0 GPA required)
Andrew College
Berry College (3.0 GPA required)
Brenau University
Brewton-Parker College
Clark Atlanta University
Emmanuel College
LaGrange College
Life University
Mercer University
Oglethorpe University
Paine College
Piedmont College
Point University
Reinhardt University
Shorter University
Spelman College
Thomas University
Toccoa Falls College
Wesleyan College
Young Harris College

Will Not Automatically Accept

Covenant College