

TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Kennebec Valley Community College & University of Maine Farmington

Statement of Purpose

The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate student academic transfer and provide a smooth transition from Kennebec Valley Community College (KVCC) to the University of Maine Farmington (UMF). It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at KVCC for admission eligibility to University of Maine Farmington and the degree program indicated.

Terms & Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer

To: Bachelor of Arts in Psychology, UMF
From: Associate in Science in Psychology, KVCC

The evaluation and transfer of earned college credits shall be in compliance with state and federal education policies and institutional and academic program accreditation standards pertaining to undergraduate academic transfer. Current students and graduates who have earned degrees from Kennebec Valley Community College shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.

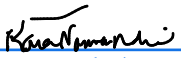
Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as UMF students. All applicants accepted to University of Maine Farmington's Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices A, B & C.

Articulation Implementation and Agreement Review

The Chief Academic Officer designee of the collaborating institutions shall be responsible for implementing this agreement, for identifying and incorporating any changes into subsequent agreements, and for conducting a periodic review of this agreement.

Signatures to this Agreement

This agreement becomes effective September 1, 2023 and will be reviewed Spring 2026 for renewal discussion.


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APPENDIX A

Admission & Graduation Requirements of the Receiving Institution

This agreement includes specific requirements for admission into a program, outlines requirements, and indicates which degree or diploma can be used to meet program prerequisites as well as general education, major or program, and graduation requirements.

Admissions Requirements

Successful completion of the KVCC Associate in Science in Psychology, submission of a completed admission application, application fee (currently waived), official transcripts from all colleges attended, and other supporting materials. For coursework to transfer to UMF, a student must earn a grade of C- or better.

For a list of application instructions and checklist: <https://www.umf.maine.edu/admissions-aid/>

Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts in Psychology

(See Appendix C)

The information contained in Appendices A, B & C is accurate for:

KVCC catalog year 2023-2024: [KVCC Catalog](#)

UMF catalog year 2023-2024: [UMF Catalog](#)

Residency Requirement

All students in baccalaureate degree programs must earn the following from the University of Maine at Farmington:

- 1) a minimum of 18 of the credits required by their major program(s) at the 200 level or above*
- 2) a minimum of 30 of the total required credits

*An academic program may require that more than 18 credits of advanced coursework and/or specific coursework, such as a capstone course, be completed at UMF.

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APPENDIX B

Side by Side Course Equivalency Tables

If courses in Appendix B are not taken at KVCC, the sequence represented in Appendix C might not be observed. Only courses in which a student has earned a grade of C- or higher are considered for transfer.

A.S. in Psychology at KVCC Required Major Courses			B.A. in Psychology at UMF		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
PSY 101/102	Introduction to Psychology & Psychology Seminar	4	PSY 101 PSY 1XX	General Psychology Psychology Elective	3 1
PSY 200	History of Psychology	3	PSY 2XX	Psychology Elective	3
PSY 204	Abnormal Psychology	3	PSY 209	Abnormal Psychology	3
PSY 209	Biopsychology	3	PSY 2XX	Psychology Elective	3
PSY 215	Developmental Psychology	3	PSY 225	Child Development and Adolescence	3
SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3	SOC 101	Introduction to Sociology	3
ENG 218	Advanced Academic Writing	3	ENG 205	Advanced Writing	3
PSY 224	Statistics for Psychology	4	PSY 275 PSY 2XX	Statistical Applications to Psychology Psychology Elective	3 1
PSY 234	Research Methods	4	PSY 2XX	Psychology Elective	4
PSY 213	Social Psychology (Pathway Elective*(See note below)	3	PSY 208	Social Psychology	3
	Pathway Elective	3		Elective	3
	Pathway Elective	3		Elective	3
	Pathway Elective	3		Elective	3
PSY 2XX	Psychology Elective	3	PSY 2XX	Psychology Elective	3
Total Major Requirements		45	Total Credits Accepted		45
A.S. in Psychology at KVCC General Education Requirements			B.A. in Psychology at UMF		
Course	Title	Credits	Course	Title	Credits
ENG 101	College Composition	3	ENG 100	First-Year Writing Seminar	3

MAT 111	Quantitative Reasoning	3	MAT 100	Introduction to Mathematics	3
COM 104 or COM 105	Introduction to Communication or Interpersonal Communication	3	GEL 1XX	General Elective	3
BIO 101, BIO 115, or BIO 119	Biology I with Lab Human Biology with Lab Survey of Anatomy & Physiology with Lab	4	BIO 142, BIO 110, or BIO 1XX	The Living Earth: Introductory Biology Biology Elective	4
ENG 121	Introduction to Literature	3	ENG 181	Literary Analysis & Interpretation	3
	Fine Arts Elective	3		Arts Gen Ed	3
Total General Education Credits		19	Total Credits Accepted		19
Total KVCC Credits		64	Total Credits Accepted		64

Note: *Pathway electives include courses in Mental Health, Psychology, and Sociology

APPENDIX C

Remaining UMF Degree Requirements

Year Three Fall at UMF		Year Three Spring at UMF	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
Natural Science (Not Bio)	4	PSY 284 Professional Seminar	3
PSY Elective 300+ level	3	PSY Elective 300+ level	3
Social Science Gen Ed (Not PSY or SOC)	3	Arts & Science Elective	3
Open Elective	3	Open Elective	3
Open Elective	3	Open Elective	3
Semester Credits	16	Semester Credits	15

Year Four Fall at UMF		Year Four Spring at UMF	
Course	Credit	Course	Credit
PSY 400 Research Methods	3	PSY 484 Senior Seminar	3
PSY 401 Research Laboratory	3	Open Elective	3
PSY Elective 300+ level	3	Open Elective	3
Open Elective	3	Open Elective	3
Open Elective	3		
Semester Credits	15	Semester Credits	12
Total KVCC credits: 64 Total UMF credits: 58 Total CC and UMF credits: 122			

Note: A student must earn a minimum of 120 credits to earn the UMF degree.