

TRANSFER AGREEMENT FOR BACCALAUREATE DEGREE

Eastern Maine 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 Eastern Maine Community College (EMCC) to the University of Maine Farmington (UMF). It is recognized that this agreement shall describe the required program of study at EMCC for admission eligibility to University of Maine Farmington and the degree program indicated.

Terms & Conditions of Academic Credit Transfer

To: Bachelor of Arts in Biology - Pre Professional concentration, UMF

From: Associate in Arts in Liberal Studies, EMCC

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 Eastern Maine Community College shall be eligible for credit evaluation under the terms of this agreement.



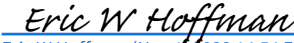

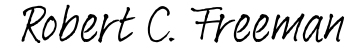

Transfer students will be accorded the same standards and criteria for admission to a major degree sequence as UMF students. All applicants accepted to University of Maine Farmington's Baccalaureate programs must fulfill the graduation requirements of the granting institution as identified in Appendices 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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| Elizabeth Russell President, EMCC | Date | Joseph McDonnell President, UMF | Date |
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| Eric Hoffman Vice President of Academic Affairs, EMCC | Date | Steven Quackenbush Co-Provost & Dean of Arts & Sciences, UMF | Date |
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| Robert Freeman Liberal Studies Department Chair, EMCC | Date | Chris Magri Science, Psychology & Math Division Chair, UMF | Date |

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 EMCC Associate in Arts in Liberal Studies, 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 Biology - Pre Professional Concentration

(See Appendix C)

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

EMCC catalog year 2023-2024: [EMCC 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.

Additional Institutional Contact Information

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APPENDIX B

Side by Side Course Equivalency Tables

| EMCC Liberal Studies Program Core Requirements | | | UMF Equivalencies | | |
|--|---|-----------|-------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Course | Title | Credits | Course | Title | Credits |
| ENG 101 | College Composition | 3 | ENG 100 | English Composition | 3 |
| ENG 112 | Introduction to Literature | 3 | ENG 1XX | English Elective | 3 |
| BCA 115 | Introduction to Computer Applications | 3 | COS 1XX | General Elective | 3 |
| PHI 101 | Ethics | 3 | PHI 1XX | Philosophy Elective | 3 |
| SOC 101 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 | SOC 101 | Introduction to Sociology | 3 |
| PSY 101 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 | PSY 101 | General Psychology | 3 |
| | Writing (English); recommend ENG 215 Business and Technical Writing | 3 | ENG 200 | Writing for the Professions (meets Advanced Writing requirement) | 3 |
| | Creative Arts Course: Any ART or MUS class | 3 | | Arts General Education | 3 |
| | Humanities (History): Any HIS class | 3 | HTY XXX | Social Science General Education | 3 |
| | Quantitative Literacy (Math): recommend MAT 163 Intro to Statistics | 3 | MAT 120 | Introduction to Statistics | 3 |
| | Diversity course, 100 level or higher | 3 | | Appropriate Discipline Elective | 3 |
| BIO 109 | Lab Science course, recommend Principles of Biology I | 4 | BIO 142 | The Living Earth: The Cellular and Molecular World | 4 |
| Total credits, Liberal Studies Core | | 37 | Total credits accepted | | 37 |

| EMCC Liberal Studies Program Electives | | | UMF Equivalencies | | |
|--|--|--------------|-------------------------------|---|--------------|
| Course | Title | Credits | Course | Title | Credits |
| BIO 209 | Principles of Biology II | 4 | BIO 141 | The Living Earth: Ecology, Evolution and Biodiversity | 4 |
| CHE 113/115 | Chemistry I and Lab | 4 | CHY 141 | Chemistry I | 4 |
| CHE 114/116 | Chemistry II and Lab | 4 | CHY 142 | Chemistry II | 4 |
| PHY 121/122 | Physics I and Lab | 4 | PHY 131 | Physics I | 4 |
| | 200-level elective, recommend a biology course | 4 | BIO 2XX | Pre-Professional biology elective | 4 |
| | Any course 200 level* | 3-4 | | Elective based on course taken* | 3-4 |
| | Any 100 level course or higher* | 3 | | Elective based on course taken* | 3 |
| Total elective credits | | 24-26 | Total credits accepted | | 24-26 |
| Total EMCC Credits | | 61-63 | Total credits accepted | | 61-63 |

* Note: If students complete a 4 credit, 200 level course, they do not need the additional 100 level elective.

APPENDIX C

Remaining UMF Requirements

| Year Three Fall UMF | | Year Three Spring UMF | |
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| Course | Credit | Course | Credit |
| BIO 252: Genetics or Pre-Professional Elective, 200+ | 4 | CHY 242: Organic Chemistry II or Pre-Professional Elective, 200+ | 4 |
| CHY 241: Organic Chemistry I or Pre-Professional Elective | 4 | PHY 132: Physics II | 4 |
| Open Elective | 3 | Open Elective | 3 |
| Open Elective | 3 | Open Elective | 3 |
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| Semester Credits | 14 | Semester Credits | 14 |

| Year Four Fall UMF | | Year Four Spring UMF | |
|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Course | Credit | Course | Credit |
| BIO 252: Genetics or Pre-Professional Elective, 200+ | 4 | CHY 242: Organic Chemistry II or Pre-Professional Elective, 200+ | 4 |
| CHY 241: Organic Chemistry I or Pre-Professional Elective | 4 | Open Elective; recommend Pre-Professional Elective** | 4 |
| Open 4-Credit Elective | 4 | Open Elective | 3 |
| Open Elective | 3 | Open Elective | 3 |
| | | Open Elective | 3 |
| Semester Credits | 15 | Semester Credits | 16 |
| Total EMCC credits: 61-63 | | | |
| Total UMF credits: 59 | | | |
| Total EMCC and UMF credits: 120-122 | | | |

** Note: Four pre-professional electives (16 credits) are required for the major, so this open elective must be a pre-professional elective if students would not otherwise meet this requirement through previous EMCC and UMF coursework.