

Bay de Noc Community College Transfer Guide

General Admission Criteria

To be admitted to this degree program, transfer students with fewer than 12 transferable credits at the time of application, must meet the current freshman admission criteria. The application will be considered for admission based upon the high school academic record. Transfer students with 12 or more transferable credits at the time of application (including both English and Algebra) must have a minimum GPA of 2.0 (“C” or better on 4.0 scale). Students without an English and Algebra Class will be required to submit an ACT/SAT score. Official transcripts from all accredited colleges/universities must be submitted with the Ferris application.

Course Requirements

| Bay de Noc Community College | | | | Ferris State University | | | |
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| Course | Ferris Equiv. | Ferris Course Title | Cr. Hrs. | Course | Ferris Course Title | | Cr. Hrs. |
| ENGL 101 | ENGL 150 | English 1 | 3 | ENGL 321 | Advanced Composition | | 3 |
| ENGL 102 | ENGL 250 | English 2 | 3 | PSYC 210 | Statistics for Psychological Science | | 3 |
| COMM 103 | COMM 105 | Interpersonal Communication | 3 | PSYC 280 | Psychological Research | | 3 |
| or | or | or | | PSYC 406 | Cognitive Psychology | | 3 |
| COMM 104 | COMM 121 | Fundamentals of Public Speaking | | or | or | | |
| <i>Bay de Noc</i> | <i>VARIES</i> | Lab Science | 4 | PSYC 410 | Behavior Modification | | |
| <i>Bay de Noc</i> | <i>VARIES</i> | Lab or Non-Lab Science | 3-4 | PSYC 480 | Directed Research Experience | | 3 |
| MATH 105 | MATH 115 | Intermediate Algebra | 3 | or | or | | |
| <i>Bay de Noc</i> | <i>VARIES</i> | Cultural Enrichment Electives (One must be 200+ level) | 9 | PSYC 491 | Human Services Internship | | |
| PSYC 201 | PSYC 150 | Introduction to Psychology | 3 | PSYC 360 | Physiological Psychology | | 3 |
| PSYC 220 | PSYC 226 | Lifespan Human Development | 3 | or | or | | |
| PSYC 206 | PSYC 325 | Social Psychology | 3 | PSYC 365 | Sensation & Perception | | |
| | | | | PSYC 482 | Senior Seminar | | 3 |
| | | | | <i>FSU</i> | Academic minor required (see advisor) | | 18-24 |

Students transferring to Ferris with the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) and entering a degree program will have met a 30-hour block of lower-level general education courses. However, this does not exempt students from completing program specific prerequisites or higher-level general education course requirements. Students should contact their advisor regarding classes that meet the MTA.

Choose 15 Credit Hours from the following:

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| PSYC 241 | Exceptional Child |
| PSYC 310 | Educational Psychology |
| PSYC 326 | Industrial/Organizational Psychology |
| PSYC 345 | Psychology of Death and Dying |
| PSYC 350 | Introduction to Forensic Psychology |
| PSYC 370 | Principles of Learning |
| PSYC 415 | Measurement and Assessment in Psych. |
| PSYC 430 | Interpersonal/Cultural Perspective |
| PSYC 444 | Psychology of Gender |
| PSYC 470 | Counseling Theories and Techniques |
| PSYC 472 | History of Systems of Psychology |
| PSYC 478 | Guided Research with Animals |
| <i>VARIES</i> | Independent Study |

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| Credits Required for Degree | 120 |
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Contact Information

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Delivery Locations

This degree and the Ferris courses are offered at the following locations:

- Ferris State University, Big Rapids Campus, Big Rapids MI
- Select courses may be delivered online and/or in a mixed delivery format (i.e. a mix of online and face-to-face instruction at the Ferris Main Campus or at an off-campus location)

Transfer Student Orientation

All new students to Ferris State University are required to complete an orientation. Orientation for incoming freshmen is a one-day session that occurs on campus and includes class registration. Eligible transfer students have the option of completing an online orientation or attending an on campus session.

Advising Notes

It is recommended that potential students meet with an advisor to review the degree, course schedule, and have any questions answered prior to completing an application. **Students who are completing the MTA may have different general education course requirements for the particular degree selected. Meeting with a Ferris advisor prior to the selection of any electives or general education classes shown above could reduce the chance of completing a course that will not apply toward the selected degree.** Once admitted, students must continue to meet with an advisor as they work towards graduation.

Online Learning

Orientation is required for students who register for an online *course* or are completing an online *degree*. Students must demonstrate competency in FerrisConnect skills. This may be done by taking a tutorial and quiz, or, for students who have already taken and passed online courses, they can submit a waiver request. Students should check with the department that offers the class to determine its particular needs and/or the Ferris advisor regarding registration for online course work.

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)

Ferris participates in the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA). This agreement will facilitate the transfer of general education requirements from one Michigan institution to another. Students may complete the MTA as part of a degree program or as a stand-alone package. The MTA consists of a minimum of 30 general education credit hours as identified by the college or university.

Disclaimer

This is a guide for students who plan to transfer to Ferris State University. This guide is not intended to be a contract with Ferris. The information on this guide is subject to change. Students should contact their community college or Ferris to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student. Please refer to the effective and/or revised date on the bottom of the guide.