

**Mount Mercy University**  
**Transfer Plan for Secondary Education**



1. Complete your A.A. degree. *Students who transfer to Mount Mercy with an A.A. degree from an Iowa Community College will have all Core Curriculum requirements waived except the Mercy Capstone and one course in the Ultimate Questions domain. These two requirements must be taken at Mount Mercy. (See Transfer Guide at [www.mtmercy.edu/transferguide](http://www.mtmercy.edu/transferguide) for all core classes.)*
2. Consider major courses below as part of your electives toward your A.A. degree. A maximum of 63 credits can be transferred from a two-year institution.

**Major Requirements (33 semester hours)**

<b>Mount Mercy Major Courses</b>	<b>Community College Equivalent</b>
ED 102 Foundations of Education	EDU 212 Educational Foundations EDU 810 Field Experience
ED 106 An Invitation to Teaching	
ED 234 Principles of Secondary Education	
ED 253 Educational Psychology	EDU 240 Educational Psychology
ED 263 Educating the Exceptional Person	EDU 248 Exceptional Persons EDU 805 Literacy Tutor Experience
ED 322 Secondary General Methods with Reading	
ED 354 Student Teaching in the Secondary School <b>or</b> ED 355 Student Teaching in the Secondary School	
ED 370 Education Leadership Seminar	
ED 375 Classroom Management for Education Majors	
ED 379 Human Relations	
PS 124 Developmental Psychology	PSY 121 Developmental Psychology
<b>AND one of the following:</b>	
ED 323 Art Methods Art Majors (5-12, with reading)	
ED 324 Music Methods Music Majors (5-12, with reading)	
ED 325 Methods – Business (5-12, with reading)	
ED 326 Methods – English Language Arts (5-12, with reading)	
ED 327 Methods – Mathematics (5-12, with reading)	
ED 328 Methods – Science (5-12, with reading)	
ED 329 Methods – Social Sciences (5-12, with reading)	

### Endorsement Areas:

Students must maintain a minimum 2.70 GPA in the endorsement. Courses in the endorsement must be completed with minimum grade of C (2.0). See [catalog.mtmercy.edu](http://catalog.mtmercy.edu) for more information.

Art-Education	Mathematics - Education	Social Science – American Government
Business - All	Music – Education	Social Science – American History
English – Language Arts	Science - Biological	Social Science - Psychology
History	Social Science - All	Social Science – Sociology
		Social Science – World History

### Mount Mercy University Graduation Requirements:

1. A minimum of 123 semester hours credit earned toward the degree.
2. A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 for all credits earned at Mount Mercy.
3. Completion of the core curriculum requirements.
4. Completion of a major program of study.
5. At least 12 semester hours, above course number of 200, in the major must be completed at Mount Mercy.
6. Minimum of 30 consecutive semester hours completed at Mount Mercy immediately preceding graduation.
7. If graduating with a minor or endorsement, nine (9) semester hours of the minor must be taken at Mount Mercy.

*Note:* The plan of study is intended to be used as a guide and changes to curriculum may occur. For specific course information and degree information, please visit MMU’s catalog at [catalog.mtmercy.edu](http://catalog.mtmercy.edu).

### To apply:

- Apply online at [www.mtmercy.edu/apply](http://www.mtmercy.edu/apply) (no application fee required)
- Send official transcripts from all colleges attended. If you do not have an associate degree, also please send high school transcripts to:

Office of Admissions  
1330 Elmhurst Drive NE  
Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52402-4797

### For additional information, please contact:

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