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MACRAO TRANSFER AGREEMENT

will be replaced by the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) effective prior to Fall 2014.

This distribution of courses fulfills the MACRAO Transfer Agreement and will satisfy the University Program portion of the CMU bachelors' degree for students who started following the MACRAO Transfer Agreement at their Michigan community college **prior to Fall 2014**. Please see your community college Registrar and request to have your transcript reviewed and designated as "MACRAO Satisfied". *Students may elect to follow the MTA*.

English Composition: 6 Semester Credits

Two Written Communication courses

Science/Math: 8 Semester Credits

One Science course with a lab

Intermediate and/or College Algebra, and/or Geometry

Humanities: 8 Semester Credits

A minimum of 8 hours from at least two different disciplines

Social Sciences: 8 Semester Credits

A minimum of 8 hours from at least two different disciplines

MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA)
The MTA replaces the MACRAO Agreement

effective Fall 2014 and beyond.

This distribution of courses fulfills the MTA and will satisfy the University Program portion of the CMU bachelors' degree at CMU for students who begin attending a Michigan community college **beginning Fall 2014**. Please see your community college Registrar and request to have your transcript reviewed and designated as "MTA Satisfied". Only courses with a grade of "C" or better may be applied to the MTA requirements.

Communication: 2 Courses

One Written Communication course

One Written or Oral Communication course

Natural Sciences: 2 Courses

Two natural science courses from two different disciplines. One course must be a lab science course.

Humanities and Fine Arts: 2 Courses

Two humanities courses from two different disciplines (excluding studio and performance classes)

Social Sciences: 2 Courses

Two social science courses from two different disciplines

Mathematics: 1 Course

One entry-level college course as defined by the three pathways.

Minimum hours required to complete MACRAO Agreement: 30 Minimum hours required to meet MTA: 30

An official transcript that is designated as being "MACRAO Satisfied" or "MTA Satisfied" will have satisfied the University Program portion of the General Education Requirements. A portion or all of the Competency Requirements may also be satisfied by an official transcript designating MACRAO Satisfied" or "MTA Satisfied".

Central Michigan Writing Intensive & Quantitative Reasoning Requirements

Effective Fall 2014, CMU has implemented a Writing Intensive (12 semester hours) and Quantitative Reasoning requirement (3 semester hours). Please note that these requirements are for both transfer and incoming Freshman students.

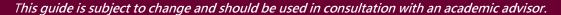
Any Michigan community college student transferring to CMU with their transcript designated as "MACRAO Satisfied" or "MTA Satisfied" will be given six (6) semester hours of Writing Intensive course work. The remaining six (6) semester hours **must** be completed at CMU. The Quantitative Reasoning requirement may be satisfied through transfer credit.

General Notes

- A grade of C- or better is required for a course to transfer.
- A bachelor's degree requires a minimum of 124 semester hours of credit. CMU will accept community college transfer credits beyond the
 recommended 64 semester hours; however students will need to complete a minimum of 60 semester hours from an accredited 4-year-degree
 granting institution. A minimum of 40 hours must be completed at the 300 level or above. A minimum of 30 semester hours of credit must be earned
 from CMU.
- The University Program Requirements and competencies may be fulfilled by students who satisfy the MACRAO Agreement or the MTA
- Students are required to meet CMU Competency Requirements prior to reaching 56 credit hours. Competency requirements consist of: two Written English (composition) courses, one Oral English (communication) course, and one Mathematics course be completed with a grade of "C" or above.

Any remaining required and elective courses for a bachelor's degree will be selected in consultation with an academic advisor to ensure that CMU degree requirements are being met.

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Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College	CMU Equivalents	Central Michigan University GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS English/Composition (9) */***ENG 101 Composition I (3) */***ENG 102 Composition II (3) */***ENG 130 Public Speaking (3)	ENG 101 ENG 201 COM 357	COMPTENCIES (24) Writing Competency (18) ENG 101 Freshman Composition (3) ENG 201 Intermediate Composition (3) Writing Intensive (12)
Group I Humanities: (6) Students may choose two courses from Art, English, History, Philosophy, or Spanish. Native American studies courses cannot count for the humanities requirement. MACRAO requires at least 8 credits from two subjects MTA requires two courses from two subjects***	Various Humanities Course Credits	Quantitative Reasoning (3) See CMU Admissions for courses that can be used to meet QR requirements Oral English Competency (3) Select one of the following: COM 101, 267, 269, 357, TAI 170, 302
Group II Social Sciences: (6) Students may choose two courses from Anthropology, Economics, Sociology, Political Science, or Psychology. Native American studies courses cannot count for the social sciences requirement. MACRAO requires at least 8 credits from two subjects MTA requires two courses from two subjects***	Various Social Science Course Credits	UNIVERSITY PROGRAM (UP) REQUIREMENTS (27) Group I – Humanities (6) IA – Human Events and Ideas (3) IB – The Arts (3) Group II – Natural Sciences (6)
Group III Natural Sciences: (4 - 5) Students must complete a course (with laboratory requirement) from Biology, chemistry, Earth Science, Environmental Science, or Physics. MACRAO requires at least 4 credits from one lab science course.	Various Natural Science Course Credit	IIA – Descriptive Sciences (3) IIB – Quantitative and Mathematical Sciences (3) Group III – Social Sciences (6) IIIA – Behavioral Sciences (3) IIIB – Studies in Social Structures (3) Group IV – Studies in Global Cultures and Diversity (6) IVA – Bulletins prior to Fall 2014 only IVB – Studies in Global Cultures (3) IVC – Studies in Racism & Cultural Diversity in the US (3) UP Elective (3)
MTA requires two courses from two subjects. At least one must be a lab science course*** Mathematics: (3 - 5) Students must pass Math 105, Intermediate Algebra, or a higher-level mathematics class with a grade of C or better. Note: MATH 120 and MATH 230 will transfer to CMU as a quantitative reasoning (QR) course. Students may not use the same course to meet math competency and QR competency at CMU. Students should plan to take an additional math or QR course at CMU.	Varied MTH Credit	
Native American Studies (6) NAS 260 Anishinaabe History (3) NAS 263 Contemporary Native American Issues.	HIS Credit ANT 365	
Additional Notes: Student must take ENG 101 Composition I (3), ENG 102 (3) or ENG 130 Public Speaking; Science w/Lab (5), Science w/lab (5) *Must be in a different discipline, Humanities (3) *Non NAS Course, Social Science (3) * Non NAS Course; MTH 120 Quantitative Reasoning (3)		
Students pursuing an Associate Degree should consult an academic advisor at Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College to ensure that SCTC degree requirements are being met.		

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*CMU competency course requires a grade of "C" or better to satisfy the requirement.

**Preferred course selection and a required graduation requirement.

***MTA applicable courses require a grade of "C" or better to satisfy the requirement.

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IMPORTANT NOTES:

- It is strongly recommended that transfer students contact CMU early in their college career to ensure proper course sequencing for their major, optimizing course scheduling, and timely degree completion at CMU.
- University Program requirements can be fulfilled by completing MACRAO or MTA, verified with a transcript stamped MACRAO Satisfied or MTA Satisfied.
- CMU competencies, except Quantitative Reasoning, may be fulfilled by completing equivalent courses for ENG 101, ENG 201, MTH 107 or higher, and COM 101 or 357 with a C or higher. QR requirements may be fulfilled at CMU.
- Credit for 6 hours of Writing Intensive coursework will be awarded by completing MACRAO or MTA, verified with a transcript stamped MACRAO Satisfied or MTA Satisfied. The remaining 6 hours must be completed at CMU.

COUNSELOR/ADVISOR NOTES