

Southern Illinois University
TRANSFER GUIDE
2022-2023

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Tuition: \$15,426 per year
Room & Board: \$10,622 per year
Enrollment: 11,366

THIS TRANSFER GUIDE CONTAINS IMPORTANT TRANSFER INFORMATION THAT CAN IMPACT A STUDENT'S ABILITY TO TRANSFER AND COMPLETE THEIR STUDIES IN A TIMELY MANNER.

The information on this sheet is subject to frequent change; students should contact the four-year school to keep informed of changes. Final responsibility for verifying all transfer information lies with the student.

TRANSFER OPTIONS

Complete AA or AS* Degree

Students planning on transferring to Southern Illinois University who complete the AA or AS* degree can benefit from the Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI). By completing Harper's 1998 or later AA or AS* degree with a 2.0 GPA in Groups 1-5, SIU's general education requirements will be considered met.

Individual majors may have additional prerequisites and/or requirements that are not covered by this agreement.

Transfer without completing AA or AS Degree

Students who choose to transfer prior to completing an AA or AS* degree can still benefit from Illinois Articulation Initiative (IAI) by completing Groups 1-5 of the AA or AS* with a cumulative 2.0 GPA. This completes the General Education Core Curriculum (GECC) which will meet SIU's general education requirements.

Students who do not complete the AA or AS or the GECC will need to meet SIU's general education requirements. See the transfer grid on page 5 of this guide. Students who have earned 30 hours of transferable credit toward the IAI GECC may have the option to complete the GECC after transfer, instead of SIU's general education requirements. Students should check with an SIU advisor to determine the best option.

* On September 18, 2015 the Illinois Community College Board approved the changes to the AS degree. The changes are effective beginning with the 2016-2017 academic year. The new AS model requires fewer humanities and fine arts and social and behavioral sciences and requires additional mathematics and science. Effective the 2016/2017 catalog the AS will no longer include the IAI GECC package. **Although the AS no longer includes the IAI GECC, SIU will accept the AS in the same manner as the AA.**

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS

Students with 26 transferable hours or more need:

- Cumulative GPA of 2.0/4.0 for all post-secondary work as calculated by SIU
- Must be eligible to continue enrollment at the last institution attended (not on suspension)

Students with less than 26 transferable hours need:

- Cumulative GPA 2.0/4.0 as calculated by SIU
- Must be eligible to continue enrollment at the last institution attended (not on suspension)
- Must submit high school transcript and ACT and meet freshman admission requirements. These students are reviewed on a case by case basis.

SIU offers a Capstone Option for students who have earned an AAS degree. For a list of participating majors, visit transfer.siu.edu/capstone/index.html.

UNIVERSITY CENTER AT HARPER COLLEGE

Southern Illinois University offers three Bachelor of Science programs on site at Harper College through the University Center.

- Bachelor of Science in Accounting
- Bachelor of Science in Paralegal Studies
- Bachelor of Science in Public Safety Management

For more information go to www.harpercollege.edu/university

ONLINE PROGRAMS

The following programs are available online:

- Accounting*
- Business Administration*
- Communications
- Criminology and Criminal Justice*
- Dental Hygiene
- Electrical Engineering Technology
- Health Care Management*
- Industrial Management and Applied Engineering
- Information Systems Technology
- Journalism
- Mortuary and Funeral Science
- Public Safety Management
- Psychology*
- Radiologic Sciences*
- Technical Resource Management

*Available through the Saluki Step Ahead program: <https://admissions.siu.edu/apply/transfer/saluki-step-ahead.php>

SELECTIVE ADMISSIONS

The programs listed below have a selective admissions process and requirements beyond admission to the university:

- Automotive Technology
- Aviation Flight
- Aviation Management
- Business Administration
- Dental Hygiene
- Engineering (all majors)
- Music
- Physical Therapist Assistant
- Radiologic Sciences

Additional admission information about these programs can be found at:

<http://admissions.siu.edu/apply/high-school/additional-materials.html>.

Contact a Harper counselor or academic specialist for more information.

ADDITION INFORMATION FOR BUSINESS, ENGINEERING AND EDUCATION MAJORS

Students planning on majoring in Business, Engineering or Education should consult the Business Packet or the Engineering Packet or the Education Packet found at www.harpercollege.edu/transfer for additional transfer requirements.

ADDITIONAL PROGRAM INFORMATION

College of Education and Human Services

- Elementary Education is a large major at SIU. It is very important that students have all application materials into Undergraduate Admissions and the Teacher Education Program as far in advance as possible.
- Students must have an overall grade point average of at least 2.75 (4.0 scale) to be admitted.
- Complete ENG 101 and 102
- Students must have a minimum of 30 semester hours of completed college work prior to admission.

- Teacher candidates must receive a grade of C or better in all education courses and all courses in one's major and endorsement area(s) to receive recommendation for entitlement to teacher licensure.
- Admission to the College of Education and Human Services does not guarantee admission to the Teacher Education Program. ALL teacher candidates seeking state teacher licensure must first be admitted to the Teacher Education Program.
- Special Education requires a total of 128 hours for graduation with 71 of these hours completed at SIU. This usually means that a student will spend two and one-half years at SIU after community college. It can be done in two years if a student is willing to start in the summer.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

Students in the College of Liberal Arts must satisfy the foreign language graduation requirement by having a minimum of one year (two semesters) or higher of one foreign language. The requirement can be satisfied by college coursework or exam. Students pursuing the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Musical Theater or Art, the Bachelor of Music, or the Bachelor of Arts in Music Business are exempt from this requirement.

INTERNATIONAL COURSEWORK REQUIREMENT (COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS ONLY)

Students in the College of Liberal Arts must successfully complete 2 courses providing a global or comparative perspective prior to graduation. Courses can be completed prior to transfer or once the student is enrolled at SIU. The following Harper College courses will meet the requirement:

ANT 101, 202, 205; ART 130, 132; GEG 100, 101, 103, 104, 210; HST 141, 142, 245; PSC 250, 280; SOC 120

Students pursuing the Bachelor of Fine Arts in Musical Theater or Art, the Bachelor of Music, or the Bachelor of Arts in Music Business are exempt from this requirement.

SALUKI TRANSFER PATHWAYS

Saluki Transfer Pathways is a dual admission program intended for students who plan to start at the community college and then transfer to SIU. The program helps students prepare to transfer to SIU and make a smooth transition.

To Qualify for STP

- Have at least 2 semesters (minimum 30 semester hours) remaining at community college
- Meet admission requirements for SIU and maintain at least a 2.0 cumulative GPA
- Attend an Illinois Community College (or eligible Missouri or Kentucky community college)
- Declare a specific major at SIU

For more information go to <https://admissions.siu.edu/apply/transfer/dap.php>

CAPSTONE OPTION

If you are graduating from a two-year occupational program or with an Associate in Applied Science degree, you can be considered for the Capstone Option, which offers transfer students an opportunity to build on already marketable occupational skills. Capstone reduces the University Core Curriculum (UCC) requirement from 41 to 30 semester hours. Go to <https://articulation.siu.edu/capstone/> for more information.

TRANSFER CREDIT

SIU has no ceiling on the number of credit hours that can be transferred and evaluated toward degree requirements. Community college students are affected only by the requirement that 42 hours of the degree must be earned at the 300-400 level from a four-year institution and that the last 30 semester hours of an SIUC degree be earned at SIUC.

CALCULATION OF ADMISSION GRADE POINT AVERAGE

The calculation method used to determine the GPA depends on when the courses were taken.

If Courses Taken Summer 2013 or later

- Only the last grade earned in a repeated course will be calculated in the GPA even if it is an F grade. The repeated course must be done in the same institution and can only be taken two times.

If Courses Taken Summer 2003 through Spring 2013

- All earned grades are calculated into the GPA, including each earned grade in all repeated courses.

If Courses Taken Summer 1996 through Spring 2003

- Only the last grade earned in a repeated course will be calculated in the GPA even if it is an F grade. The repeated course must be done in the same institution.

If Courses Taken Prior to Summer 1996

- All earned grade are calculated into the GPA, including each earned grade in all repeated courses.

If a student has earned an AA or AS degree from Harper, and SIU's grading calculations cause the student's GPA to fall below a 2.0, he or she will still be admitted to the University as long as the student has not taken any additional college work since graduating from Harper.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

The application process should be started as early as possible.

Fall: Priority Deadline is December 1

Final Deadline is May 1

Applications may be accepted after these dates on a space-available basis. Several programs require application one year in advance.

TRANSFER SCHOLARSHIPS

Provost's Scholarship

- Covers tuition and mandatory fees for two years
- 3.5 transfer GPA
- 30 transferable hours

Transfer Achievement Scholarship

- \$6,000/year for two years
- 3.5 transfer GPA
- 30 transferable hours

Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship

- \$3,000 for first year
- 3.5 transfer GPA and 30 transferable hours
- One-year membership in PTK

Dean's Transfer Scholarship

- \$4,000/year for two years
- 3.5 GPA and 30 transferable hours

Please see www.scholarships.siu.edu for more information.

ARTICULATION

The Associate in Arts and Associate in Science degrees from Harper College will fulfill the University Core Curriculum requirements required for general graduation purposes at SIU. Students should refer to the SIU Undergraduate Catalog to determine if their major requires any specific University Core Curriculum courses.

Up-to-date information can be found at <http://admissions.siu.edu/apply/transfer/>

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANCE

Advising Services

Building A, Room A-364

847-925-6220

Southern Illinois University Transfer Guide

Below are University Core Curriculum (general education) requirements for admission to Southern Illinois University.

Individual majors may require additional course work for admission and/or additional general education course work for graduation.

Students transferring with an AA or AS (1998-2015) degree or the IAI General Education Core (IAI GECC) will have met the requirements listed below.

AREA	SEMESTER HOURS REQUIRED	EQUIVALENT HARPER COURSES
English Composition <i>C or better required in ENG 101 and ENG 102</i>	6	ENG 101, 102 or 201
Mathematics	3	MTH 162 or 165 or 225; MTH 101, 103, 124, 131, 134, 140, 200, 201, 202, 203, 212, 220, 265
Speech	3	SPE 101, 102, 200
Science <i>One course from each group</i>	6	Group 1 (Physical Science): AST 100, 101, 112, 115; CHM 100, 103, 105, 110, 121; ESC 110, 111, 112, 113, 121; GEG 111, 121, 150; PHS 101, 105, 111, 112, 115; PHY 100, 121, 122, 201, 202 Group 2 (Biological Sciences): BIO 101, 104, 110, 115, 116, 120, 130, 140, 150, 160, 161
Social Science <i>Students may take no more than one course in history to satisfy this area requirement. Students must chose two different areas.</i>	6	ANT 101, 202, 205, 206; ECO 200, 211, 212; EDU 211; GEG 100, 101, 103, 104, 108, 210; HST 111, 112, 121, 141, 142, 212, 231, 232, 245; PSC 101, 220, 250, 270, 280; PSY 101, 216, 217, 218, 228; SOC 101, 120, 205, 215
Humanities <i>Three semesters of a single foreign language or one semester of Latin or Classical Greek will satisfy one course requirement.</i>	6	ART 130, 131, 132; CHN 201, 202; FRN 201, 202, 210; GER 201, 202, 210; HST 105 or HUM 105, HST 241, 242, 243; HUM 101, 102, 104, 106, 120, 125; JPN 201, 202; LIT 105, 110, 115, 206, 207, 208, 210, 220, 221, 222, 231, 232, 241; PHI 101, 102, 105, 115, 120, 160, 220, 225, 231, 232; SGN 202, 210; SPA 201, 202, 210
Fine Arts	3	ARC 223; ART 105, 114, 121, 122, 133; ENG 220; HUM 110; LIT 112; MCM 200; MUS 103, 106, 108, 120; THE 111, 121
Human Health	2-3	BIO 135, 161; DIT 101; HED 200; KIN 200, 203
Multicultural: Diversity in the U.S.	3	DIV 101; EDU 220; HST 111, 210, 214; LIT 223, 224; MUS 104; PHI 205, 215; SOC 120, 230, 235; SPE 107

*Courses listed in multiple categories can only be used once.

Not all of courses above fulfill the requirements of the AA or AS degrees at Harper College. Please see a Harper Academic Advisor for more information.

The College of Liberal Arts requires one year of college credit in a single foreign language which is not satisfied by the IAI. Note: The College of Science has a “supportive skills” requirement which is not satisfied by the IAI. See an academic advisor for more information. Other courses may transfer to SIU but do not satisfy the general education requirements. Check with Harper’s Advising Services in A-364 (847-925-6220) for a complete list of courses.

PROGRAMS OF STUDY AT SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

Accounting (UC)	Computer and Electrical Engineering (dual degree)	- Geographic Information Science
Africana Studies	Computer Science	Geology
Agribusiness Economics	Criminology and Criminal Justice	- Environmental Geology
Agricultural Systems and Education	Crop, Soil, and Environmental Management	- Geophysics
- Agricultural Communications	- Crop Production and Management	- Resource Geology
- Agricultural Education	- Soil Science	German Studies*
- Agricultural Systems Technology Management		- International Public Service
- Agriculture Production Management	Dental Hygiene	Health Care Management
- Food and Process Engineering Technology	Design	Health Education*
- General Agriculture	Early Childhood*	- Community Health Education
Animal Science	- Child and Family Services	History*
- Equine Science	- Preschool/Primary	Horticulture
- Production	Economics	- Production Horticulture
- Science & Pre-Veterinary	- Financial Economics	- Landscape Horticulture
Anthropology	- General Economics	- Turf Management
Architectural Studies	- International Economics	Hospitality & Tourism Administration
Art*	- Law Economics	- Event Planning and Management
- Art History	Electrical Engineering	- Food Service Management
- Ceramics	Electronic Systems Technologies	- Lodging Management
- Communication Design	- Electronics Management	- Tourism Management
- Drawing	Elementary Education*	Human Nutrition & Dietetics
- General Studio	Engineering Technology	Industrial Technology
- Glass	- Electrical Engineering	- Manufacturing Technology
- Industrial Design	English*	Information Systems Technologies
- Metalsmithing	- Creative Writing	Interior Design
- Painting	- Literature	International Studies
- Printmaking	- Pre-professional	- Africa and the Middle East
- Sculpture	Exercise Science	- Asia and the South Pacific
Automotive Technology	Exploratory Student Advisement	- Europe
Aviation Flight**	Fashion Design and Merchandising	- Latin America and the Caribbean
Aviation Management	- Fashion Design	Journalism
Aviation Technologies	- Fashion Merchandising	- Advertising/Integrated Marketing Communications
- Aircraft Maintenance	- Fashion Stylist	- New Media News Production
- Aviation Electronics	Finance	- News-Editorial
- Helicopter Maintenance	- Financial Institutions	- Photojournalism
Biological Sciences*	- Financial Management	- Sports Media
- Biomedical Science	- Investments	Linguistics
- Ecology	Foreign Language & International Trade	- English as a New Language
Business and Administration	- Chinese	Management
Business Economics	- French	- Entrepreneurship
Chemistry	- German	- Global E-Business
- American Chemical Society Certification	- Japanese	- Management of Health Care Enterprises
- Biochemistry	- Spanish	- Personnel Management
- Business	Forestry	- Supply Chain Management
- Comprehensive Chemistry	- Forest Hydrology	Marketing
- Environmental Chemistry	- Forest Recreation and Park Management	Mathematics*
- Forensic Chemistry	- Forest Resources Management	Mechanical Engineering
Cinema & Photography	- Urban Forest Management	Microbiology
- Cinema	- Wildlife Habitat Management and Conservation	Mining Engineering
- Photography	French*	- Geological Engineering
Civil Engineering	- International Public Service	Mortuary Science & Funeral Service
- Environmental Engineering	Geography & Environmental Resources	Music*
Classics	- Climate and Water Resources	- Liberal Arts - Music
Communication Disorders and Sciences*	- Environmental Sustainability	- Music Business
Computer Engineering		- Music Education
		- Music Theory-Composition
		- Performance-Guitar
		- Performance-Instrumental

- Performance-Keyboards	- Digital Media Arts and Animation	- Persuasive Communication
- Performance-Voice	- Electronic Journalism	- Public Relations
- Piano Pedagogy	- Electronic Sports Media	Sport Administration
- Studio Jazz Performance	- Media Industries	Technical Resource Management
Musical Theater	- Production-Radio/Audio, TV/Video	- Health and Safety Management
Paralegal Studies (UC)	Radiologic Sciences**	- Professional Construction
- Pre-Law	- Diagnostic Medical Ultrasound	Management
Philosophy	- Magnetic Resonance	Theater
- Pre-Law	Imaging/Computed Tomography	University Studies
Physical Education*	- Radiation Therapy Technology	Workforce Education & Development
Physical Therapist Assistant**	Recreation	- Business, Marketing & Computer
Physics	- Leisure Services Management	Education*
- Biomedical Physics	- Outdoor Recreation Leadership	- Career & Technical Education*
- Computational Physics	and Management	- Education, Training & Development
- Materials and Nanophysics	- Therapeutic Recreation	- Family & Consumer Sciences*
Physiology	Rehabilitation Services	- Health Careers*
Plant Biology	Social Science*	- Technology Education*
- Ecology	Social Work	Zoology
- Molecular and Biochemical	Sociology	- Animal Biology
Physiology	Spanish*	- Environmental Biology
- Systematics and Biodiversity	- International Public Service	- Fisheries Biology and Aquatic
Political Science	Special Education*	Conservation
- International Affairs	- Special Education/Elementary	- Pre-Veterinary Medicine
- Pre-Law	Speech Communication	- Wildlife Biology and Conservation
- Public Service	- Intercultural Communication	
Psychology	- Interpersonal Communication	
Public Safety Management*** (UC)	- Organizational Communication	
Radio, Television, and Digital Media	- Performance Studies	

Key:

* =Teacher certification program available

** =Associate's degree program; can lead toward a Bachelor's degree or third year specialization beyond Associate's.

*** =Offered off-campus only

UC = Available at the University Center at Harper College