

# TRANSFER GUIDE FOR OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY

**Major Offered Through:**

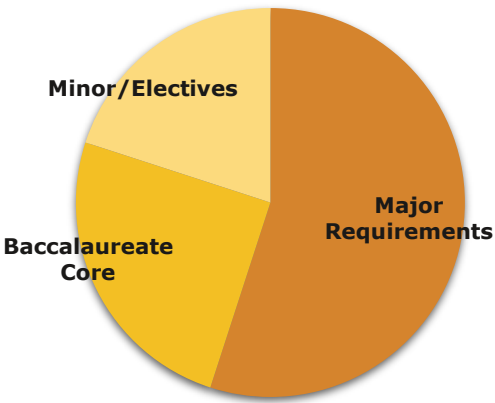
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## Portland Community College

## Creative Writing

You will hone your expertise in reading literature as well as in the craft of writing. We begin with an introduction to the primary genres of fiction, poetry, and creative nonfiction. From these, you will identify areas of focus in either one or two genres, pursuing courses in craft development and workshop intensives. You will also complete introductory and advanced literary studies, with course offerings that represent a range of eras, continents, cultural representations, and sensibilities.

## Your Bachelor’s Degree (BA) in the College of Liberal Arts



- A minimum of 180 credits are required for graduation; 60 must be upper division (300 and 400-level courses).
- A maximum of 135 credits earned at a community college may be applied toward a bachelor’s degree at OSU.
- Only courses with letter prefixes and numbers above 100 can be accepted.
- Some courses can count towards your major and the Baccalaureate Core. Check with your advisor.
- Options available. See “Important Notes”.
- See the OSU Catalog for a list of courses required for your major and option: [catalog.oregonstate.edu](http://catalog.oregonstate.edu)

## Courses for this Major (offered at Portland Community College)

*Priority courses to complete before transferring are distinguished by <sup>P</sup>*

Requirement	Portland CC Course	OSU Courses	Notes
WR 240 Intro to Non Fiction	WR 240, WR 248	WR 240	
WR 241 Intro to Poetry	WR 242, WR 245	WR 241	
WR 224 Intro to Fiction	WR 244	WR 224	
WR 341 Intermediate Poetry			

## Important Notes & Resources

### Important Notes for the College and Major:

- Grade requirements can vary; refer to your OSU advisor.
- See a sample degree plan by searching "Creative Writing" at [admissions.oregonstate.edu/find-your-major](https://admissions.oregonstate.edu/find-your-major)
- Other similar majors to explore: English, History, Theatre Arts
- Talk with an OSU advisor about your specific timeline for the best time to transfer.
- It is important to speak with your OSU advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

### Resources and OSU Information:

- Students do not have to complete a transfer degree in order to transfer to OSU.
  - If you've completed the Oregon AAOT, all requirements of the Baccalaureate Core are complete except for Synthesis Courses and Writing Intensive Courses.
- Preparing to apply to OSU? See admissions info: [oregonstate.edu/admissions/transfer.html](https://oregonstate.edu/admissions/transfer.html)
- Want to take classes at both OSU and an Oregon community college simultaneously? Check out the Degree Partnership Program: [partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students](https://partnerships.oregonstate.edu/students)
- Visit OSU for a campus tour and meet with an advisor; schedule your visit at [visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus](https://visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus)

## General Education Courses (called the Baccalaureate Core)

- Complete one course in each Perspectives category with no more than two in the same department.
- For full listing of courses that fulfill Baccalaureate Core, please refer to <https://admissions.oregonstate.edu/baccalaureate-core-course-equivalencies-portland-community-college>

<b>SKILLS COURSES</b>	Math Writing I Writing II Speech (Writing III) Fitness	Many options, see BaccCore link above WR 121Z. Required to transfer Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above HPE 295
<b>PERSPECTIVE COURSES</b>	Biological Science Physical Science Additional Biological or Physical Science Cultural Diversity Literature and the Arts Social Processes and Institutions Western Culture	Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above Many options, see BaccCore link above
<b>DPD COURSE</b>	Difference, Power, & Discrimination	Many options, see BaccCore link above
<b>SYNTHESIS COURSES</b>	Contemporary Global Issues Science, Technology, & Society	Upper division course, take through OSU Upper division course, take through OSU

## Liberal Arts Core

- Additional 15 credit minimum core of classes for all Liberal Arts majors.
- For full listing of courses that fulfill Liberal Arts Core, please refer to your advisor.

<b>FINE ARTS CORE</b>	At least 3 credits	Refer to advisor
<b>NON-WESTERN CORE</b>	At least 3 credits	Refer to advisor
<b>HUMANITIES CORE</b>	At least 3 credits	Refer to advisor
<b>SOCIAL CORE</b>	At least 3 credits	Refer to advisor

## BA Degree Requirements

**BA Requirement:** Second-year proficiency in a second language (including ASL) at the college level with at least a C-.

For more details and a full list of courses, visit <https://catalog.oregonstate.edu/college-departments/liberal-arts/#collegerequirementstext>

## Advising Contacts

It is important to speak with your OSU academic advisor early on, and often, to ensure correct course selection and sequencing.

Academic advisors at your community college and OSU are available to answer your questions and assist you in creating a transfer plan. **See your community college advisor first and use this Transfer Guide to help you plan.** Also, consider visiting OSU to take a campus tour and meet with an advisor. See [visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus](https://visitosu.oregonstate.edu/visit-campus) to schedule your personalized visit.

<b>Portland Community College</b>	<a href="https://www.pcc.edu/advising/">https://www.pcc.edu/advising/</a>
<b>OSU Creative Writing</b>	<a href="https://liberalarts.oregonstate.edu/wlf/undergraduate-programs/ba-creative-writing">https://liberalarts.oregonstate.edu/wlf/undergraduate-programs/ba-creative-writing</a>
<b>OSU College of Liberal Arts Main Office</b>	<a href="mailto:liberalarts@oregonstate.edu">liberalarts@oregonstate.edu</a>