



- Ottawa University (OU) will accept up to 80 hours of JCCC credit toward a bachelor’s degree as outlined in the Transfer Advantage agreement.
- This degree qualifies for the Transfer Advantage program. This program reduces the cost per credit hour to \$350 for Associate degree graduates.
- In order to graduate from OU, a student must have 120 semester credits, 42 of which must be upper-division, and a minimum of 30 credits must be taken at OU.
- In order to graduate from OU, each student is required to complete at least 28 credits in the major, of which 12 credits must be upper-division courses from OU. Additionally, to graduate, students must complete eight credits in the Liberal Arts Core; six credits in each of the four breadth areas (see II below); and UNV 30001 Academic Success and Personal Significance.
- Credits taken as Activity and/or Skill building courses (i.e. typing, tennis, band, HVAC, etc.) will transfer as electives with a limit of four credit hours being accepted per activity.

Ottawa University Requirements	JCCC Substitutions
I. Liberal Arts Sequence (8 credit hours)	
LAS 30012 Writing and Critical Thinking in the Liberal Arts	No substitutions – must be completed at OU
LAS 45012 Global Issues in the Liberal Arts	
UNV 30001 Academic Success and Personal Significance	
II. Breadth Area Courses (6 credit hours in each area)	
Art/Expression (6 credit hours) Examples: Performance Art, Foreign Language, Composition/Creative Writing, Speech, Communication, Music or Dance	***
Social/Civic (6 credit hours) Examples: Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, Economics or History	***
Science/Description (6 credit hours) Examples: Accounting, Math, Statistics, Natural Science, or Health and Nutrition	***
Value/Meaning (6 credit hours) Examples: Literature, Theory of Art, Theory of Music, Ethics, Religion, Philosophy, or Critical Thinking	***

*** See [Ottawa General Education Requirements Transfer Advising Guide](#) for a list of JCCC courses that meet these requirements.

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III. Required Major Courses	
COM 11023 Speech Preparation and Delivery OR COM 10163 Introduction to Human Communication	COMS 121 Public Speaking
COM 20165 Media Writing	JOUR 122 News Writing & Reporting
COM 24003 Critical Listening	No substitution
COM 38000 Online Communication Strategies	No substitution
COM 27501 Media Literacy	JOUR 120 Mass Media and Society
COM 30163 Interpersonal Communication	COMS 120 Interpersonal Communication
COM 30263 Small Group Communication	No substitution
COM 30363 Organizational Communication	No substitution
COM 30563 Visual Communication	No substitution
COM 40163 Communication Law and Ethics	No substitution
COM 40164 Intercultural and International Communication	COMS 180 Intercultural Communication
COM 49100 Seminar in Applied Communication (Capstone Course)	No substitution
Six credits of Communication Electives	

* JCCC course has a prerequisite or corequisite.

This transfer guide is applicable to Ottawa University Adult, Professional and Graduate programs only and is invalid if the requirements for this major and/or Bachelor's degree are revised.

It is the STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY to check for updates to all transfer information. This transfer guide is provided as a service and is updated as needed. Degree requirements at the four-year colleges are subject to change by those institutions. To ensure you have the most accurate up to date information about the program, it is imperative you meet with an advisor at the transfer institution.