

**YOU WORK HARD TO EARN
YOUR CREDITS, AND YOU
DESERVE TO TAKE THEM WITH
YOU. BUT UNLESS YOU PLAN
CAREFULLY, IF YOU DECIDE
TO TRANSFER TO ANOTHER
COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY, YOU
COULD END UP REPEATING
COURSES YOU ALREADY
TOOK—COSTING YOU BOTH
TIME AND MONEY.**

**PENNSYLVANIA NOW HAS
AN INNOVATIVE STATEWIDE
TRANSFER SYSTEM THAT ALLOWS
UP TO 30 FOUNDATION CREDITS
TO BE TRANSFERRED FROM
ONE PARTICIPATING COLLEGE
OR UNIVERSITY TO ANOTHER,
ANYWHERE IN THE STATE.
PACOLLEGETRANSFER.COM
OFFERS ALL THE INFORMATION
YOU NEED TO MAKE FULL USE
OF THIS TRANSFER SYSTEM.**

Contact Information

For more information about the Pennsylvania
statewide college transfer system

visit www.PAcollegetransfer.com



TAKE YOUR CREDITS WITH YOU.



What is PAcollegetransfer.com?

PAcollegetransfer.com is an interactive website where students and their advisors can find all the information they need to transfer their credits, as well as a complete list of participating institutions and the foundation courses that transfer between them.

By visiting the site, you'll have the ability to figure out how courses you've already taken – or are about to take – will be applied toward your future degree. And you'll be able to find a wealth of other resources that will make the complicated task of transferring much easier.

When should I visit the site?

It's never too early...to start thinking about the possibility of transferring.

Think of it as an insurance policy on the thousands of dollars and countless hours you're going to pour into your college career. Even if you don't end up transferring, it's important to visit the site before you register for classes so that you have peace of mind in knowing that if you ever choose to transfer, you can take your credits with you.

It's never too late...to think about transferring.

Even if you've already started your college career, there are still ways to protect yourself from having to repeat courses at another college. Use the site to select future courses. Or learn how previous coursework transfers to any of the participating institutions. You can then use this information to ensure that you know exactly where you can take your credits without losing a single one.

How do I know which colleges and universities accept my credits?

In 2006, the Pennsylvania Department of Education (PDE) created a statewide college transfer and articulation system for Pennsylvania's 14 community colleges and 14 state universities. The participating institutions, which now also include several private and state-related institutions, work together to identify foundation courses that transfer easily between them. These courses are collectively called the Transfer Credit Framework. For a list of participating colleges and Framework courses, visit PAcollegetransfer.com.

Will all of my credits transfer to the participating institutions?

Students who successfully complete courses listed on the Transfer Credit Framework may transfer up to 30 credits and have them count towards graduation at any of the participating colleges and universities. The Framework includes courses in English, public speaking, math, science, art, humanities, history and the behavioral and social sciences. In addition, the participating colleges and universities offer a variety of general and major-specific courses that are also transferable but are not listed on the Framework. Working with an advisor will help ensure you select appropriate courses for your major and transfer institution.

Do I still need an advisor for my transfer?

Yes! PAcollegetransfer.com is an immensely useful tool for both students and advisors, but the system is not intended to replace the role of your advisor. We suggest using the website in addition to meeting with your advisor regularly to make sure all of the necessary details of transferring are taken care of.

