

PUBLIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION ARTICULATION AGREEMENT GUIDE

Oakland Community College – AAS in Fire Fighter Technology

Eastern Michigan University – BS in Public Safety Administration

Oakland Community College Courses:**Eastern Michigan University Courses:****Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA) Requirements (30 credits)**

Students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one Perspectives on a Diverse World course, one Learning beyond the Classroom experience, and a writing intensive course in the major. Courses listed below for the MTA also satisfy program requirements at EMU and/or OCC. For OCC approved MTA courses go to [OCC's website](#).

1. A course in English Composition

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 3 General Transfer Credit..... 3

2. A course in English Composition or Communication

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 3 General Transfer Credit..... 3

3. A course in Mathematics

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 4 General Transfer Credit..... 4

4. Two courses in Natural Sciences from different disciplines (one lab required)

Choose one from the approved MTA list..... 7-8 General Transfer Credit..... 7-8

5. Two courses in Humanities and Fine Arts from different disciplines

Choose two from the approved MTA list 6 General Transfer Credit..... 6

6. Two courses in Social Sciences from different disciplines¹ POL 1510 American Government3 PLSC 112 American Government (Restricted Elective)..... 3

SOC 2510 Sociology (pre-requisite for SOC 2530)3 SOCL 105 General Transfer Credit..... 3

If needed, complete additional credits in any of the above categories to meet the 30 credit minimum for the MTA.**EMU's Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement:** Complete one course from the following list:**These courses also satisfy an MTA area:** **Communication:** COM 2290; **Natural Science:** BIO 1500; **Humanities:** ENG 1610, 2540, 2570; HIS 1520; MUS 1585; **Social Sciences:** ANT 1540; GEO 1520; HIS 1520, 1550, 2620; POL 2530, 2610; SOC 2620**These courses apply, but do not satisfy the MTA:** BUS 2150; PSY 2730; SOC 2530, 2560**OCC Fire Fighter Technology Program Requirements (42-49 credits)**

FFT 1510 Introduction to Fire Protection..... 3 HSEM 000 General Transfer Credit 3

FFT 1520 Fundamentals of Fire Prevention..... 3 HSEM 000 General Transfer Credit 3

¹ FFT 2510 Fire/EMS Vehicle Management and Hydraulics ...3 HSEM 000 sub for Restricted Elective 3¹ FFT 2520 Fire Service Administration..... 3 HSEM 412 Admin of Public Safety Agencies (Rest Elect) 3¹ FFT 2530 Building Construction for Fire Service 3 HSEM 000 sub for Restricted Elective 3¹ FFT 2540 Fire Fighting Tactics and Strategies 3 HSEM 000 sub for Restricted Elective 3¹ FFT 2560 Legal Considerations for the Fire Service..... 3 HSEM 000 sub for Restricted Elective 3

CRJ 1400 Introduction to Homeland Security..... 3 HSEM 000 General Transfer Credit 3

CRJ 1402 Homeland Security and First Responders 3 HSEM 000 General Transfer Credit 3

CRJ 1405 Integrating EM & Homeland Security..... 3 HSEM 000 General Transfer Credit 3

Choose one from: PER 2540 or EMS 1010+1020+1100 ...4-11 HLED 210 or HSEM 000 4-11

Required Support Course: Choose 8 credits..... 8 General Transfer Credit..... 8

EMU Requirements and Electives that may be Taken at OCC or EMU (16-22 credits)^{*1} CRJ 1010 Introduction to Criminal Justice..... 3 CRM 300 Criminal Justice (prereq for CRM 431 & RE)..... 3^{*} POL 2520 Urban and State Politics 3 PLSC 202 State and Local Government 3^{2*} SOC 2530 Racial and Ethnic Group Relations 3 SOCL/ANTH 214 US Racial and Cultural Minorities 3

Open Electives 7-13 General Transfer Credit..... 7-13

*Elective credit to be selected in consultation with an OCC Counselor to ensure their transferability***Credits at OCC:94 Credits that transfer to EMU..... 94**^{*} Required for EMU's BA in Public Safety Administration program. If not transferred, must be completed at EMU.¹ Applies to the required 21 Restricted Electives for the Public Safety Administration program.² Fulfills EMU's Perspective on a Diverse World requirement.**Sign up with us:** If you let us know you are using this articulation agreement, we can stay in touch with you and provide information and advising to you while you are still at your community college.

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Completion of the BS in Public Safety Administration at EMU

Foundation Courses	(6 credits)
CRM 431 Policing in Society.....	3
Choose one from the following:	3
COMM 352 Communication in Negotiation	
COMM 354 Organizational Communication	

Administration Group	(15 credits)
PLSC 270 Public Administration	3
PLSC 334 Public and Nonprofit Personnel Admin	3
PLSC 352 Politics of Public and Nonprofit Budgeting	3
PLSC 431W Theories of Public and Nonprofit Org.....	3
PLSC 450 Managing Public Safety Agencies.....	3

Note: If PLSC 202 (POL 2520) and ANTH 214/SOCL 214 SOC 2530 are not transferred from OCC, (PLSC 202 or 330) and (ANTH 214 or SOCL 214 or PLSC 215) must be completed at EMU.

Note - PLSC 450 is the “capstone” course and should be taken in or near the student’s final semester in the program. It is normally offered in the winter semester.

Open Electives	(6 credits)
Choose 6 EMU credits not previously taken or transferred in. Credits must be in non-remedial coursework, 100 level or higher. See advisor for recommendations.	

Academy or Internship/Co-op Experience (3-6 credits)
 Pre-service students must complete an internship or cooperative education placement or an accredited academy program; in-service students may substitute credits from an accredited academy program, or upon submission of an academy certificate may take three credits of related electives with advisor approval.

- PLSC 480L4 Field Seminar in Political Sci/Public Admin
- PLSC 486L4 Internship in Political Science/Public Admin
- PLSC 488L4 Internship in Political Science/Public Admin

Credits at EMU:	30
Transfer Credits	94
Minimum Credits to Graduate:	124

Sample Sequence for completing the program:

Courses are not offered every semester; consult the program advisor to develop a program of study.

The following prerequisite courses must be transferred or completed at EMU before beginning the sequence:

COMM 124 (COM 1600 at OCC) is prerequisite to COMM 352 & 354)

6 credits of PLSC courses below 300 level is a prerequisite for the administrative group courses (satisfied by OCC POLS 2510 and 2520).

First Semester	(12 credits)
CRM 431 F,W,S, prereq: CRM 300.....	3
COMM 352 or 354 F,W, prereq: COMM 124	3
PLSC 270 F,W.....	3
Restricted Elective.....	3

Second Semester	(12 credits)
PLSC 334 W, prereq: 6 cr in PLSC below 300 level	3
PLSC 352 F, W, prereq: 6 cr in PLSC below 300 level.....	3
PLSC 431W F, W.....	3
Restricted Elective.....	3

Third Semester	(6-9 credits)
PLSC 450 F,W, pre-req: PLSC 431W	3
Academy/Internship/Co-op Experience	3-6

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1. Each institution will determine the satisfaction of their individual program and degree requirements. Both institutions agree to accept transferrable courses from each other and from other regionally accredited institutions. OCC courses indicated with an * are required for EMU's BS in Public Safety Administration. Substitutions for these courses must be approved by the EMU program coordinator.
2. Prospective transfer students with the MTA endorsement on their community college transcript have satisfied EMU's General Education Core Requirements and will be required to complete only the General Education Application Requirements of one "Perspectives on a Diverse World" course, one "Learning Beyond the Classroom" experience, and a "Writing Intensive" course in the major. The Perspectives on a Diverse World requirement may be transferred to EMU.
To use the Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA), students must have an official community college transcript, with the "MTA Satisfied" endorsement sent to EMU's Admissions Office. Students who do not have "MTA Satisfied" on their community college transcript, will be required to satisfy EMU's general education requirements as applied to transfer students. The MTA may be completed after admission to EMU, however, students should inform their advisors or they may be advised to complete additional courses for the general education program. If already on the transcript, the MACRAO designation will be accepted at EMU after August 2019.
3. Only courses with a grade of "C" or better (2.0 on a 4.0 scale) will be considered for transfer credit, non-germane and remedial courses may not qualify for transfer credit to either institution.
4. Under this agreement, EMU will waive the 60-hour rule and require that a minimum of 30 credit hours must be completed in EMU courses, with at least 15 hours in the program at the 300-level or above. Of the last 30 hours completed before graduating, a minimum of 10 credit hours must be in courses offered by EMU. A minimum of 124 credit hours, completed in-residence or accepted in transfer, is required for graduation.
5. Prospective transfer students must satisfy all admission requirements at the time of application for admission to EMU, including submitting transcripts from all previously attended colleges. OCC students will receive equal consideration with other students for course registration and financial aid.
6. Prospective transfer students are encouraged to contact EMU's BS in Public Safety Administration program coordinator before applying to EMU. To facilitate advising and the evaluation of transcripts, [sign up for this articulation agreement](#) and bring a copy of this articulation guide to all advising sessions.

Effective Date: September 1, 2020 until August 31, 2023.

This is a renewal of an agreement made in September 2007 and renewed in September 2010 and September 2016. This agreement is consistent with the EMU 2020-2021 catalog. Students have until Summer 2028 to graduate from Eastern Michigan University following this agreement. In the event that a student does not complete the program within seven years, they may be required to have their credits reevaluated using the requirements of the current articulation guide

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