

MACRAO or MTA Comparison Sheet

MACRAO Agreement

For students who started college prior to fall 2014

Minimum Credit Requirements	Courses Completed	Min Cr	Cr
6 credits in English Composition	1.	3	
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8 credits in Science/Math (one lab science required) (two disciplines required)	1.	8	
	2.		
8 credits in Social Sciences (two disciplines required)	1.	8	
	2.		
	3.		
8 credits in Humanities (two disciplines required)	1.	8	
	2.		
	3.		
	Minimum credits required:	30	

Michigan Transfer Agreement (MTA)

For students who begin college in fall 2014 or later.

Students who started college earlier may opt for the MTA.

Minimum Course Requirements	Courses Completed	Cr
1 English Composition	1.	
1 English Composition or communication course	1.	
2 Natural science courses (one lab required) (two disciplines required)	1.	
	2.	
1 Math course	1.	
2 Social Science courses (two disciplines required)	1.	
	2.	
2 Humanities courses (two disciplines required)	1.	
	2.	
Additional courses in any category above if needed		
	Minimum credits required:	30

Provisos:

- An approved math QR course (may be transferred)*
- One perspectives on a diverse world course (may be transferred)*
- One LBC experience (must be completed at EMU)*
- A writing intensive course in the major*

General Education Application Requirements:

- One perspectives on a diverse world course (may be transferred)*
- One LBC experience (must be completed at EMU)*
- A writing intensive course in the major*

Last chance to have MACRAO awarded by a community college is summer 2019. Universities will continue to accept MACRAO if it is already on a transcript.

Other MTA Requirements

1. Grade of 2.0 required in each course
2. Refer to community colleges for approved course lists
Course lists are available on community college websites. Links are available on our website <http://www.emich.edu/ccr/trackingsystem/MTAdirectlinks.php>
3. Students must have their transcripts evaluated and endorsed as "MTA Satisfied" by a community college. Some colleges have an online form to apply for an MTA audit.
4. Minimum of one course must be taken at a community college to request an audit.

Other MACRAO Requirements

1. Some community colleges require a grade of 2.0 in each course others do not.
2. Some community colleges have printed lists of approved courses. Some do not
3. Students must have their transcripts evaluated and endorsed as "MACRAO Satisfied" by a community college. Some colleges have an online form to apply for a MACRAO audit.
4. Most community colleges have a residency requirement for MACRAO (7 credits to 20 credits)

Helpful Resources:

Community College Relations website: <http://www.emich.edu/ccr/michigantransferagreement.php>

EMU MACRAO and MTA transfer guides: <http://it.emich.edu/service/online/tranequiv> Pick a community college and select "Transfer Guides"

EMU Articulation Agreement guides: <http://www.emich.edu/ccr/artguide.php>