



SAGINAW VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY
Transfer Credit Guide for
Grand Rapids Community College

Basic Skills and General Education requirements for degree programs at Saginaw Valley State University (2013-2014). This guide applies to students enrolling at SVSU Fall 2013 and after. This guide is subject to change without notice.

BASIC SKILLS

- **Composition** -- GRCC's EN 100 or 101
- **Mathematics** – **1)** 21 or higher ACT Math sub-score, **or 2)** GRCC's MA 98 (no transferable credit)
- **Reading** -- **1)** Cumulative high school GPA of 3.00 or higher and ACT Composite Score of 22 or higher, **or 2)** SVSU's Reading Waiver Scale (Transfer Credit Hours & Cumulative GPA: 30-44 cr w/ 3.25 GPA; or 45-59 cr w/ 3.00 GPA; or 60+ cr. w/ 2.75 GPA, with all completed credits posted on official transcript/s received for processing at SVSU *at least one week before* the student's SVSU Transfer Orientation Program/TOP), **or 3)** Test at SVSU, **or 4)** GRCC's RD 98.

Additional Basic Skills courses may be required depending on placement test results and/or transfer credits.

GENERAL EDUCATION - The following are Grand Rapids Community College courses that may be used to satisfy or partially satisfy the 10 General Education categories at SVSU. The guide may include courses that are currently inactive at Grand Rapids Community College, but that may appear on student transcripts. Please contact SVSU for inactive courses not included on this guide.

1. **Literature** (3 cr.) – EN 233, 235, 237, 242, 252, 270, 271, 281, 282, 284
2. **Arts** (3 cr.) – AT 271; HU 204, 205, 273; MUS 110, 111, 120, 251, 252, 253; PO 105; TH 245, 248
3. **Numerical Understanding** (4 cr.) – BA 254; MA 110, 124, 127, 129, 131, 133, 215; PY 281
4. **Natural Sciences** (7 cr. from two **SVSU** departments, including one lab science course) – AS 103, 106, 108; BI 101, 103, 104, 117, 121, 122, 126, 151, 152, 160; CHM 110, 120, 130, 131, 150, 151; GE 132; GL 101, 105, 111; PC 101, 111; PH 115, 125, 245
5. **History/Philosophy** (3 cr.) – HS 101, 102, 120, 121, 215, 230, 249, 250, 290; PL 201, 205, 206, 207, 209
6. **Social Sciences** (3 cr.) – AN 201, 210; GE 253; PY 201
7. **Social Institutions** (3 cr.) – BA 207; CJ 110; EC 251; PS 110; SO 251
8. **International Systems** (3 cr.) – BA 288; EC 290; GE 135, 210; HS 215, 240, 241, 242, 290, 295; PS 201, 202, 215, 225
9. **Oral Communication** (3 cr.) – ARA 101; COM 131, 135; FR 101, 102, 231; GR 101, 102, 231; SP 101, 102, 231
10. **Written Communication** (3 cr.) – EN 102, 249; PL 202



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- Saginaw Valley State University is a consenting (with provisions) institution of the Michigan Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers (MACRAO) transfer agreement. For more information about the MACRAO agreement, please visit www.macrao.org.
- SVSU's General Education requirements also include two Communication Intensive courses selected from Categories 2 – 8. Additional information may be required for transfer credit evaluation.
- Consideration of your SVSU major/minor requirements is strongly recommended when selecting general education courses. No courses may be counted in more than one General Education category but may be counted toward majors and minors.
- **Please note**-Category 4 requires a minimum of two **SVSU** departments.
- For additional academic information, contact Rebecca Dewald @ (989) 964-4220 or 1-800-968-9500.
- Please refer to transfer.svsu.edu for detailed information about transferability of individual GRCC courses.