

Central Texas College A.A. General Studies Bachelor of Science in Liberal Arts

This program plan outlines how students may apply their Central Texas College to Excelsior University's B.S. in Liberal Arts degree program.

This is only a guide in how credits will transfer into an Excelsior University degree program.

Actual transferability of credits are dependent upon current Excelsior University degree requirements and policies upon the date a student is admitted to Excelsior. All students will be reviewed individually as it relates to the transferability of credits into an Excelsior University degree program.

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Central Texas College	Semester Hours	Excelsior University Requirements	Semester Hours
ENGL 1301 Composition I	3	Written English Requirement	3
HIST 1301 United States History I	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
ELEC Life/Physical Science Selection	4	Natural Sciences Requirement	4
Elective	3	Applied Professional /Arts & Sciences Elective	3
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SPCH 1315, 1318 or 1321	3	Humanities Requirement	3
HIST 1302 United States History II	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
MATH 1314, 1332, 1342, 1414, 2412+ or 2413+	3	Math Requirement	3
ELEC Language, Philosophy, Culture	3	Humanities Requirement	3
GOVT 2305 Federal Government	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
ELEC Life/Physical Science Selection	4	Natural Sciences Requirement	4
ELEC Social/Behavioral Selection	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
Elective	3	Applied Professional /Arts & Sciences Elective	3
Elective	3	Applied Professional /Arts & Sciences Elective	3
GOVT 2306 Texas Government	3	Social Sciences Requirement	3
ELEC Creative Arts	3	Humanities Requirement	3
ELEC Component Area Option	4	Applied Professional /Arts & Sciences Elective	4
Elective	3	Applied Professional /Arts & Sciences Elective	3
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TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED	60	TOTAL CREDITS ACCEPTED	60

Additional Credits That May Be Transferred OR Taken With Excelsior

Central Texas College	Semester Hours	Excelsior University Requirements	
ENG 1302 Composition II	3	Written English Requirement	
PHIL 2306 Introduction to Ethics	3	Ethics Requirement	
Applied Professional <u>OR</u> Arts & Sciences Electives	23	Applied Professional/Arts & Sciences Requirement	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CREDITS			29

*Applied Professional refers to Arts & Sciences as well as other degree level coursework (e.g., Business, Computer Science, Education, etc.). Excelsior requires at least 60 credits in the arts & sciences which includes 21 credits at the upper level.

Credits To Be Taken With Excelsior University

Excelsior University Credit Requirements		
INL 102: Information Literacy	1	
IND 301: Cornerstone B (Pathways)	3	
Upper Level Arts & Sciences	18	
Upper Level Electives	6	
LA 498: Liberal Arts Capstone	3	
TOTAL CREDITS		31

EVALUATION SUMMARY

	Semester Hours	
Credits Accepted from Central Texas College Training/Program	60	
Additional Credits That May Be Transferred <u>OR</u> Taken With Excelsior	29	
Credits To Be Taken With Excelsior	31	
TOTAL CREDITS REQUIRED		120

*All credits with the exception of the cornerstone, information literacy, and capstone may be transferred into Excelsior University degree program from other sources of credit.

*This guide is only a sample scenario. Excelsior University reviews each student individually and actual requirements needed will depend on what a student has already completed and will transfer in.



*Excelsior University's BS in Liberal Arts program requires students complete a minimum of 12 credits in any two different arts and sciences distribution areas and 9 in the remaining distribution area: humanities, social sciences/history, and natural science/mathematics.

What are Arts & Sciences?

We offer the following definitions to help you make these determinations? Remember, however, before you register to take a course or examination you consult with your advisor to make sure it will help meet your degree requirements.

Humanities

Humanities subjects focus on developing knowledge and skills in critical reading, logical thought, and esthetic appreciation.
Here are some subject areas typically classified as Humanities:

Art, Philosophy, Music, Foreign Language, Literature, Theater, Ethics, Speech, Religion, Communication

Social Sciences and History

Social Sciences and History subjects focus on individuals and society and the processes individuals use to order their world.
Here are some subject areas typically classified as Social Sciences and History:

Psychology, Economics, Sociology, Geography, Political Science, History, Anthropology

Natural Sciences and Mathematics

Natural Sciences and Mathematics subjects focus on understanding the natural world and problem-solving processes.
Here are some subject areas typically classified as Natural Sciences and Mathematics:

Anatomy and Physiology, College Algebra, Microbiology, Calculus, Chemistry, Genetics, Biology, Physics