

Ozarks Technical Community College — Missouri S&T

Biological Sciences BS

Transfer Guide Effective as of Fall 2026

Students are not required to complete all courses on this guide before transferring to Missouri S&T.

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Communication Skills

Take all courses.

ENG 101	Composition I	3	ENGLISH 1120	Exposition and Argumentation	3
ENG 102 or ENG 150	Composition II or Technical Writing	3	ENGLISH 1160 or ENGLISH 3560*	Writing and Research or Technical Writing*	3
Total Hours		6	Total Hours		6

Mathematics and Sciences

Take all courses.

BIO 100 or BIO 160	Life Science or General Biology I	4	BIO SCI 1113, 1219	General Biology and Lab	4
MTH 140	Analytic Geometry and Calculus I	5	MATH 1214	Calculus I	4
CHM 160, 161	General Chemistry I and Lab	5	CHEM 1310, 1319	General Chemistry I and Lab	5
CHM 170	General Chemistry II	4	CHEM 1320	General Chemistry II	3
CHM 242	Organic Chemistry I	5	CHEM 2210, 2219	Organic Chemistry I and Lab	4
CHM 243	Organic Chemistry II	5	CHEM 2220, 2229	Organic Chemistry II and Lab	4
PHS 120 or PHY 220	General Physics I (4) or Physics for Engineers and Scientists I (5)	4	PHYSICS 1145 or PHYSICS 1135	College Physics I or Engineering Physics I	4
PHS 130 or PHY 222	General Physics 2 (4) or Physics for Engineers and Scientists II (5)	4	PHYSICS 2145 or PHYSICS 2135	College Physics II or Engineering Physics II	4
Total Hours		36	Total Hours		32

Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences General Education Requirements

From the options listed in each group below, select 15 hours to include
6 hours Humanities and Fine Arts from at least two specific disciplines and
6 hours Behavioral and Social Sciences from at least two specific disciplines.

*At least one course must be selected from HISTORY 1200, 1300, 1310, or POL SCI 1200 to satisfy the State of Missouri government requirement.

Humanities and Fine Arts

Select 6 hours from at least two specific disciplines.

ENG 240 or ENG 241 or ENG 270 or ENG 271 or ENG 260 or HST 120* or HST 130* or ART 100 or MUS 105 or THR 101 or Literature	Survey of English Literature I or Survey of English Literature II or Survey of American Literature I or Survey of American Literature II or Survey of World Literature I or US History I: to 1865* or US History II: 1865-Present* or Art and Experience or Western Music Appreciation or Intro to Theater or Any literature with prerequisite of no more than English Composition I. *Satisfies the State of Missouri government requirement.	6	ENGLISH 1211 or ENGLISH 1212 or ENGLISH 1221 or ENGLISH 1222 or ENGLISH 1231 or HISTORY 1300* or HISTORY 1310* or ART 1180 or MUSIC 1150 or THEATRE 1190 or Literature	British Literature I: The Beginnings to 1800 or British Literature II: 1800 to Present American Literature: 1600 to 1865 or American Literature: 1865 to Present or World Literature I: Beginnings to the Renaissance or American History to 1877* or American History Since 1877* or Art Appreciation or Music Appreciation or Theatre via Video or Any literature with prerequisite of no more than ENGLISH 1120. *Satisfies the State of Missouri government requirement.	6
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Behavioral and Social Sciences

Select 6 hours from at least two specific disciplines.

HST 105 or HST 106* or GRY 101 or PHL 101 or PLS 101* or PSY 110 or ECO 275 or ECO 270 or Foreign Language	Ancient and Medieval World History or Modern World History* or World Geography or Intro to Philosophy or American Government and Politics* or Intro to Psychology or Principles of Microeconomics or Principles of Macroeconomics or Elementary or Intermediate Foreign Language *Satisfies the State of Missouri government requirement.	6	HISTORY 1100 or HISTORY 1200* or HISTORY 2110 or PHIL 1105 or POL SCI 1200* or PSYCH 1101 or ECON 1100 or ECON 1200 or Foreign Language	Early Western Civilization or Modern Western Civilization* or World Regional Geography or Self and World: Intro to Philosophy or American Government* or General Psychology or Principles of Microeconomics or Principles of Macroeconomics or Elementary or Intermediate Foreign Language *Satisfies the State of Missouri government requirement.	6
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Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences

Select 3 hours.

HASS Elective	Humanities, Arts, Social Sciences Elective: Any history, art, music, theater, English and technical communication, philosophy, political science, psychology, economics, etymology, or foreign language.	3	HASS Elective	Humanities, Arts, Social Sciences Elective: Any history, art, music, theater, English and technical communication, philosophy, political science, psychology, economics, etymology, or foreign language.	3
Total HASS Hours		15	Total HASS Hours		15

Additional Degree Requirements

Select additional courses to total up to the maximum transfer credit hours shown below.

BIO 170	General Biology II	4	BIO SCI 1223, 1229	Biodiversity and Lab or Principles of Biology II equivalent	4
BIO 250	Genetics	4	BIO SCI 2223	General Genetics	3

Maximum credit hours to be transferred to Missouri S&T degree requirements.

60

Missouri S&T residency requirements: The last 60 hours of any Missouri S&T degree must be completed at Missouri S&T.
Students must receive special permission from Missouri S&T to apply more than the maximum credit hours listed above toward the Missouri S&T degree.
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