

Transfer Guide between Maricopa Community Colleges and Grand Canyon University



Associate of Arts – Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education

Chandler-Gilbert Community College
Estrella Mountain Community College
GateWay Community College

Glendale Community College
Mesa Community College
Paradise Valley Community College
Phoenix College

Rio Salado College
Scottsdale Community College
South Mountain Community College

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive an Associate of Arts from Maricopa Community Colleges. Within the table we have identified preferred courses from Maricopa Community Colleges that will be applicable towards Grand Canyon University's Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education. The following will be used in evaluating official transcripts.

Maricopa Community Colleges – Associate of Arts	Credits	Grand Canyon University – Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education	GCU Applied Semester Credits
General Education Requirements: 35-37 credits			
ENG101: First Year Composition OR ENG107: First-Year Composition for ESL <i>(Prerequisite placement must be met)</i>	3	ENG-105: English Composition I	3
ENG102: First Year Composition OR ENG108: First-Year Composition for ESL	3	ENG-106: English Composition II	3
Literacy & Critical Inquiry – See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists. NOTE: Both COM225 – Public Speaking and/or CRE101 – Critical College Reading fulfill Literacy & Critical Inquiry [L] requirement.	3	General Elective	3
MAT140/141/142: College Mathematics	3-5	MAT-144: College Mathematics AND General Education: Critical Thinking (0-1) (See MCCCD-GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	3-5
Computer/Statistics/Quantitative Applications – Select CS course. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course lists.	3	General Education: Critical Thinking OR General Elective (See MCCCD-GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	3
Humanities, Arts & Design – HIS103: United States History to 1865 (3) AND HIS-104: United States History 1865 to Present (0) (shared with Recommended Electives Category) AND HIS108: United States History 1945 to the Present	6	HIS-144: U.S. History Themes AND HIS-450: U.S. History Since 1945	3 3
Social-Behavioral Sciences – EDU222: Introduction to the Exceptional Learner (Recommended) AND HIS110: World History to 1500 (3) AND HIS111: World History 1500 to Present (0) (shared with Recommended Electives)	3 3	SPD-200: Survey of Education: Mild to Moderate Disabilities HIS-110: World History Themes	3 3
Natural Sciences – Select two SQ courses or one SQ and one SG course with lab. See aztransfer.com/mccd_matrix for approved course list. At least one Natural Science course must be Science Quantitative [SQ].	8	General Education: Critical Thinking (See MCCCD- GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	8

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Cultural Diversity in the U. S. (C) and Global or Historical Awareness (G or H), credits--may be shared with L, SB, HU, SQ, SG.	0	Met by courses already listed.	0
Maricopa Additional Requirements - May be shared with General Education: 0-6 credits			
CRE101: College Critical Reading OR Equivalent by assessment. NOTE: CRE101 – Critical College Reading fulfills Literacy & Critical Inquiry [L] requirement.	0-3	General Elective	0-3
Oral Communications- Select from COM100, 110, 225, or 230. NOTE: COM225 – Public Speaking fulfills Literacy & Critical Inquiry [L] requirement.	0-3	General Education: Effective Communication (See MCCCCD-GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	0-3
Recommended Electives: 18			
HIS104: United States History 1865 to Present (3) AND POS221: Arizona Constitution (1)	4	POS-301: Arizona and Federal Government AND General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (See MCCCCD-GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	3
EDU220: Introduction to Serving English Language Learners (ELL) OR EDU225: Foundations for Serving English Language Learners (ELL)	3	ESL-223N: SEI English Language Teaching: Foundations and Methodologies	3
EDU233: Structured English Immersion (SEI) and English as a Second Language (ESL) Teaching Methods OR EDU228: Reading and Decoding: Elementary	3	ESL-433N: Advanced Methodologies of Structured English Immersion	3
HIS110: World History to 1500 (0) (shared with General Education) AND HIS111: World History 1500 to Present (3)	3	HIS-110: World History Themes AND General Education: Global Awareness, Perspectives, and Ethics (See MCCCCD-GCU Course Equiv. Guide: http://www.gcu.edu/Transfer-Center/Transfer-from-a-Maricopa-Community-College/Course-Equivalency-Guides.php)	3
EDU222: Introduction to the Exceptional Learner	3	SPD-200: Survey of Special Education: Mild to Moderate Disabilities	3
PSY248: Psychology of Adolescent Development	3	SEC-201: Early Adolescent and Adolescent Psychology	3
Elective credits as needed to reach 60 credit minimum for Associate's degree			0-7
Minimum Number of Credits Required for Associate of Arts at Maricopa Community Colleges			60
Total Credits Applied Towards Grand Canyon University's Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education			52

The following table outlines the remaining courses required to fulfill the Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education program requirements at Grand Canyon University.

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Required General Education: 8 credits		

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Course #	Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education	Semester Credits
UNV-303*	University Success	4
CWV-301	Christian Worldview	4
Program Major: 60 credits		
HIS-306	Historians in Theory and Practice	4
EDU-330	Social Justice for Educators	4
SEC-345	Content Area Literacy for Middle and Secondary Teachers	4
HIS-255	Historical Research and Applied Methods	4
SEC-355	Middle and Secondary Curriculum and Assessment	4
HIS-325	Ancient Mediterranean History	4
HIS-350	Survey of Asian Empires	4
HIS-386	War and Revolution	4
SEC-450	Data-Driven Instructional Methods for Middle and Secondary Teachers	4
HIS-304	Methods of Teaching History in Secondary Schools	4
HIS-466	Southwest Borderlands	4
HIS-327	Community History	4
SEC-455	Classroom Engagement and Management for Middle and Secondary Teachers	4
SEC-490	Student Teaching for Secondary Education	8
Total Credits Completed at Grand Canyon University		68
Transfer Credits from the Associate of Arts – Maricopa Community Colleges		52 semester credits
Remaining Credits Required at Grand Canyon University		68 semester credits
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Bachelor of Arts in History for Secondary Education at Grand Canyon University		120 credits

*Traditional campus students who have transferred in a minimum of 24 college level credits and have a 3.0 GPA or higher can waive the University Foundations course, UNV-303. For additional graduation requirements, please see the <http://www.gcu.edu/Policy-Handbook.php>.
 To obtain a baccalaureate degree at Grand Canyon University (GCU), a student must earn a minimum of 36 semester credits in upper division (300 or above) courses.
 A minimum of 120 credits are required for completion of this program of study. If taking one course at a time, this program will take on average 48 months at GCU. Students with transfer credit that applies to this program will shorten the time to completion from that stated on this transfer guide. Please contact your Academic Advisor for more information.
 All Grand Canyon University programs follow a Program of Study, which can be changed by the University at any time. All Programs of Study are subject to the terms, conditions, and policies outlined in the University's enrollment application and the <http://www.gcu.edu/Policy-Handbook.php>.

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