Mercer County Community College (MCCC) & La Salle University
Transfer Guide for Liberal Arts (A.A.) at MCCC to (but not limited to)
Art History, Economics, English, History, Philosophy, Political Science,
Psychology, Social Work and Sociology (B.A.) at La Salle University

MCCC Courses	cr.	La Salle University Courses Satisfied	cr.
CSW 100 College Success and Personal Wellness	2	Not transferable	0
ENG 101 English Composition I	3	ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion	3
LAS 101 Introduction to Liberal Arts Studies	1	Not transferable	0
MAT 125 Elementary Statistics I	3	SOC 301 Principles of Statistics	3
HIS 101, 102, 112 or 113 (History majors, take HIS 113	3	History Credit	3
to satisfy a major requirement at La Salle)			
Social Science GE elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
CMN 111 Speech: Human Communication or	3	Communication Elective credit	3
CMN 112 Public Speaking		COM 150 Presentation Skills	
ENG 102 English Composition II	3	ENG 210 College Writing II: Research	3
Historical Perspective GE elective	3	History Credit – History majors, seek advisement	3
Math elective (Psychology majors, take MAT 120 to	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
satisfy major requirement at La Salle)			
Social Science GE elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
Literature elective	3	Literature Credit – English majors, seek advisement	3
Science Lab elective (Social Work majors, take BIO	3	Science Credit	3
106) (Note: OHT 101 is not transferable)			
Social Science elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
World Language elective	3	Transferable Credit	3
Diversity and Global Perspective GE elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	
LAS 201 Liberal Arts Special Topics	0-1	Not transferable	0
Philosophy elective	3	Philosophy Credit	3
Science or Technology elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
Social Science or Humanities elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
World Language elective	3	Transferable Credit	3
Program elective	3	Credit depends on course taken – seek advisement	3
Total Minimum Credits	60		

Please NOTE: Students may complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses, which could result in extended time at La Salle.

MCCC-La Salle Dual Admission Students: Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission program must sign the Dual Admission Application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a Core-to-Core component. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University's Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Mercer County Community College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take one CORE "qualifier" at La Salle, REL 100: Religion Matters. This course must be taken at La Salle because there is no equivalent course offered at the community college.

**Non-Dual Admission students** who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, <a href="www.lasalle.edu">www.lasalle.edu</a>, to view the current course catalog.

<sup>\*</sup> When equivalent courses are worth different credit amounts, the course will be satisfied and the amount of credit earned will transfer.

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### **Notes for Dual Admission Applicants:**

- 1) Dual Admission Intent to Enroll form must be submitted before 45 college credits are earned.
- 2) When the student is within one year of completing the associate's degree, the Dual Admission application must be submitted on La Salle University's website, <a href="www.lasalle.edu">www.lasalle.edu</a>, Applications are free.
- 3) Additional courses beyond the associate degree can be taken at MCCC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 4) For admission review, MCCC transcript must be sent one semester prior to graduating, either electronically through a secure site or mailed to the Office of Transfer Admission, La Salle University, 1900 W Olney Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19141.
- 5) Final official transcripts must be sent by the student as soon as the final semester is completed and associate's degree conferred.
- 6) Students must uphold a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to qualify for Dual Admission.
- 7) All Dual Admission applicants for full-time day programs will be eligible for the Dual Admission Achievement Scholarship.

# Additional Notes for all applicants (Dual Admission and regular transfer):

- 1) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 70.
- 2) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 3) For the general Electives, please note that pre-college level courses do not meet this requirement. Please seek advisement on course selection and transferability. It's important that you take an appropriate amount of major related courses at MCCC in order to ensure that you will be able to graduate from La Salle in two years.
- 4) For admission review, official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 5) All full-time day applicants will be eligible for the merit-based Founder's Scholarship. The award amount will depend on grade point average and quality of curriculum.
- 6) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to full-time day transfer applicants who are members of PTK with a 3.5 cumulative GPA or above. Proof of membership is required to qualify for this scholarship.
- 7) Non-Dual Admission students should seek advisement on General Education Elective courses that will satisfy the La Salle Core.
- 8) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of transfer services at MCCC. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean in the School of Arts and Sciences at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at MCCC. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

# **Contact Information**

#### La Salle University

School of Arts and Sciences, 215 951 1481, Mary Carmel Etienne, Assistant Dean <a href="mailto:etienne@lasalle.edu">etienne@lasalle.edu</a>
Transfer Admission, 215 951 1500, <a href="mailto:admiss@lasalle.edu">admiss@lasalle.edu</a>

# **Mercer County Community College**

(609) 570-3307 <u>transfer@mccc.edu</u>

#### University

Per the Dual Admission Agreement, the CORE is satisfied by the associate's degree earned, except for the following CORE Qualifier(s) that must be completed:

Course(s) at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
REL 100 Religion Matters	Not applicable	Must be taken at La Salle

#### **Free Electives**

In addition to the requirements listed below for each major, students must take enough courses to fulfill graduation credit requirements for their School and major.

Majors in addition to those listed below may qualify for Dual Admission but will require the approval. Please contact La Salle University Transfer Admission to learn more. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at the two-year school. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

## **Art History**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
Choose 2 of: ARTH 150, ARTH 201,	ART 101=ARTH 150; ART 121=ARTH	Humanities Elective*
ARTH 202	201; ART 122=ARTH 202	
5 ARTH 200- or 300-level courses	ART 124=ARTH 325;	Diversity and Global
	ART 126=ARTH 270	Perspective Elective*
1 of: ART course or another ARTH 200- or	See equivalencies above and in	Program Elective*
300-level course	footnote	
ARTH 320 Topics in Contemporary Art or		
ARTH 322 Topics in American Art		
ARTH 340 Art & Culture or		
ARTH 370 Special Topics in Art History		
ARTH 380 Research Seminar		
ARTH 460 Internship or		
ARTH 480 Exhibition Seminar		

<sup>\*</sup>In addition to one Humanities and one Diversity/Global Perspective Elective, an additional course listed above can be taken to satisfy the Program Elective. Other courses that could be taken for the Program Elective – or as additional coursework – and also satisfy a major requirement for La Salle: ART 123=ARTH 319; ART 125=ARTH 320; ART 281=ARTH 370; PHO 110=ARTH 270. For the "1 ART course": choose from ART 102, 104, 130, 141, 150, 230, 232, 233, 241, 250, 280, 283, 285, 286, or 268. Note, a maximum of six transfer courses can be applied to major requirements.

# **Economics**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 15 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38 Number of major credits required for graduation: 49 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
ECN 150 Introductory Macroeconomics	ECO 111 Macroeconomics	Social Science Elective
ECN 201 Introductory Microeconomics	ECO 112 Microeconomics	Social Science Elective
ECN 213 Statistics for Econ and Pol Sci		
ECN 314 Econometrics		
ECN 221 Intermediate Microeconomics		
ECN 222 Intermediate Macroeconomics		
ECN 441 History of Economic Thought		
ECN 481 Seminar in Economics		
5 ECN electives		
MTH 114 or MTH 120	MAT 149=MTH 114; MAT 151=MTH 120	Math Elective
1 additional Social Science course*	ANT 101; POL 201; PSY 215 or 221; SOC	Social Science or
	132, 201 or 209	Diversity and Global
		Perspective Elective*

<sup>\*</sup>For the additional Social Science course, most ANT, POL, PSY, or SOC courses at MCCC will satisfy this requirement, except for SOC 230 and PSY 230. Contact Transfer Admissions at La Salle for transfer equivalencies.

# **English**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 13 Total number of courses required for graduation: 40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 39 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. No more than 5 courses taken outside the department can count toward the 13 major requirements. Such courses include AP credit, courses taken while studying abroad, and courses taken at another institution.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
ENG 180 Intro to Literary Study		
ENG 245 Survey of Brit Lit to 1798	ENG 227 English Literature I	Literature Elective
ENG 246 Survey of Brit Lit since 1798	ENG 228 English Literature II	Humanities Elective
ENG 248 Survey of Amer Lit to 1865	ENG 205 American Literature I	Program Elective
ENG 249 Survey of Amer Lit since 1865	ENG 206 American Literature II	Extra course*
ENG 324 Shakespeare		
ENG 480 Capstone		
1 course in Lit before 1900: ENG 441, 442,		
446; note: ENG 351, 567, 370-379, 437		
may meet requirement depending on		
course topic		
2 ENG courses at 400-level		
2 Lit courses at 300- or 400-level		
1-4 free ENG electives		

<sup>\*</sup>If ENG 227, 228, 205 and 206 are taken at MCCC, one would be an extra course, not required for the A.A., but would apply to the major at La Salle.

#### History

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120 The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
1 of: HIS 200, HIS 202 or HIS 205	Choose 1: HIS 105=HIS 200 or	Historical Perspective
	HIS 106=HIS 205	Elective
1 of: HIS 206, HIS 251 or HIS 255	Choose 1: HIS 113=HIS 251 or	Historical Perspective
	HIS 213=HIS 255	Elective
1 additional HIS 300- or 400-level course	See courses listed below	Program Elective
HIS 481 Seminar		
One of the following Concentrations		
Americas Concentration		
5 Americas 300-349 electives and 3 Afro-	Courses that satisfy Americas	Diversity and Global
Eurasian 350-399 electives	concentration: HIS 107, 109, 110,	Perspective Elective or
	122, 207, 210, 214, 218, 221, 226	Extra Course(s)*
Afro-Eurasian Concentration		
5 Afro-Eurasian 350-399 electives and 3	Courses that satisfy Afro-Eurasian	Diversity and Global
Americas 300-349 electives	concentration: HIS 101, 102, 215,	Perspective Elective or
	220, 225, 231, 232	Extra Course(s)*

<sup>\*</sup>For the A.A., two Historical Perspective Electives, one Program Elective and one Diversity and Global Perspective Elective are required and can be satisfied by HIS courses. Two additional HIS courses could be taken at MCCC and applied to the History major requirements at La Salle.

#### **Philosophy**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
PHL 151, PHL 152, PHL 153 or PHL 154	PHI 102=PHL 151; PHI 204=PHL 152	Humanities Elective
PHL 264 or PHL 325	PHI 113=PHL 264	Program Elective
PHL 311 or PHL 313 or PHL 323		
PHL 326 The Dawn of Reason: Ancient		
Greek Philosophy		
PHL 327 Angels & Demons: Romance of		
Medieval Phil		
PHL 328 (Early) Modern Philosophy		
PHL 329 Contemporary Philosophy		
PHL 480 Seminar		
4 Philosophy Electives (may not include	PHI 210=PHL 268	Diversity & Global
PHL 151, 152, 153 or 154)		Perspective Elective and
	PHI 205=PHL 212; PHI 209=PHL 350	extra courses*

<sup>\*</sup>Additional courses not required for A.A. can be taken and applied to major Philosophy Electives requirements at La Salle: PHI 205=PHL 212; PHI 209=PHL 350

## **Political Science**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 14 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 42 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120 The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
POL 120 European Politics		
POL 151 Principles of American Govt	POL 101 The American Political Syst	Social Science Elective
POL 171 Political Analysis		
POL 221 Politics of the Developing World		
POL 240 International Relations	POL 201 International Relations	Social Science Elective;
		Diversity & Global Persp.
POL 260 Ancient Political Theory		
POL 341 Globalization/Decision-Making		
POL 361 Modern Political Theory		
POL 480 Senior Seminar		
POL 481 Senior Seminar II		
4 POL electives: including, but not limited	POL 102=POL 301;	Social Science Elective
to: POL 301, 302, 303, 305, 310, 311, 314,	POL 205=POL 302;	Program Elec or Extra
316	POL 203= POL Elective credit	Course*

<sup>\*</sup> Additional course not required for A.A. but can satisfy major requirement at La Salle.

# **Psychology**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12 Total number of courses required for graduation: 40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 37 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
MTH 150 Mathematics Myths & Realities	MAT 120 Math for Liberal Arts	Math Elective
PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	PSY 101 Intro to Psychology	Social Science Elective
PSY 310 Stats I		
PSY 311 Stats II		
PSY 330 Research Design I		
3 of the following Psychology Electives:		
PSY 405, 410, 415, 420, 425, 430		
4 additional Psychology Electives	PSY 204=PSY 225; PSY 207=PSY 210;	PSY 206 and 207 satisfy
	PSY 210=PSY 220; PSY 215=PSY 250;	Social Science Electives; PSY
	PSY 217=PSY 265; PSY 221=PSY 255;	215 or 221 satisfy Diversity
	PSY 201, 206, 208= Psychology	& Global Persp. Elective;
	Elective	Others can be taken as
		extra courses*

<sup>\*</sup> Additional course not required for A.A. can be taken to satisfy requirements at La Salle but no more than 6 transfer courses will be applied to major requirements.

# Sociology

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 36 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120 The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	SOC 101 Intro to Sociology	Social Science Elective
SOC 151 Social Problems and Social Policy	SOC 102 Social Problems	Social Science Elective
SOC 231 Love, Relations, Family or	SOC 201 Marriage and Family or	Social Science Elective or
SOC 260 Men and Women in Cont Society	SOC 132 Intro to Women's &	Program Elective
	Gender Studies	
SOC 262 Dynamics of Race and Ethnicity	SOC 209 Racial, Ethnic & Minority	Diversity & Global
	Groups	Perspective Elective
SOC 301 Stat I	MAT 125 Elementary Stats I	Required for A.A.
SOC 302 Stat II		
SOC 310 Social Theory		
SOC 480 Methods		
4 of the following: SOC 233, 238, 265, 237,	SOC 203=SOC 237	Program Elective
270, 306, 308, 312, 481, 340; CRJ 161,	CRJ 101=CRJ 161	
340, 350, 387		

# B.S.W., Social Work - must begin at La Salle in the fall term to be able to complete the bachelor's in two years

Number of major courses required for graduation: 15 (plus 5 supporting courses)

Total number of courses required for graduation: 40 Number of major credits required for graduation: 45 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the

major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
BIO 158 Life Science: A Human Approach	BIO 106 Human Anatomy	Science Elective
POL 151 Principles of American Government	POL 101 Amer Political System	Social Science Elective
SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	SOC 101 Intro to Sociology	Social Science Elective
SOC 301 Principles of Statistics (or HSC 217)	MAT 125 Elementary Stats I	Required for A.A.
Psychology course that is not Statistics	PSY 101, 206, 207, 215 or 221	Social Science or Diversity & Global Persp Elective
SWK 160 Intro to Social Work	SWK 110 Intro to Human Svcs*	Program Elective*
SWK 280 Dynamics of Human Dev & Diversity	SWK 227+SWK 229=SWK 280	Extra courses **
SWK 281 Dynamics of People in Diverse Env		
SWK 391 Social Work & Social Policy		
SWK 340 Prep for Professional Practice		
SWK 365 Social Work Research		
SWK 341 Generalist Practice with Individuals		
SWK 381 Introductory Field Practicum		
SWK 460 Generalist Prac w Families & Groups		
SWK 461 Generalist Prac w Orgs & Communities		
SWK 480 Generalist Field Practicum A		
SWK 481 Generalist Field Practicum B		
SWK 495 Professional Considerations in SWK		
SWK Elective	CJR 212=SWK 320; or SOC	Extra course**
	102=SWK 201; or SWK	
	225=Social Work Elective	
SWK Elective		Only 1 course can transfer
		to satisfy a SWK Elective

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<sup>\*</sup>If SWK 110 is unavailable at Mercer, SWK 160 must be taken online in the summer at La Salle prior to the fall start term or in the fall semester to be able to complete the B.S.W. in two years.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Extra courses, beyond the A.A., can be taken to satisfy requirements at La Salle but no more than 7 major requirements can be satisfied by transfer coursework.