



TRANSFER GUIDE

Milwaukee Area Technical College to B.S. – Word Languages Spanish Education - School of Education

Admission Guidelines

Transfer admission is a holistic and selective process, and no single criterion guarantees admission. The following factors are taken into consideration when reviewing applications:

- Demonstrated satisfactory academic progress
- Successful completion of college-level math and English courses
- Total credit hours completed
- Academic standing at your previous institution

If you have fewer than 12 transferable credits, we will also review your high school academic records.

Please keep in mind that some academic programs within the Peck School of the Arts, School of Architecture and Urban Planning, College of Engineering & Applied Science, and College of Nursing may have additional requirements for direct admission into their majors.

We encourage students to utilize this guide to plan their coursework for their first and second semesters at MATC. We highly recommend that students who are interested in transferring contact a UWM Transfer Advisor for more information about additional requirements of specific academic programs.

Admission to Second Language Education Major Requirements

- **English Composition:** Achieve a placement level of 4 or higher on the English Placement Test, or complete [ENGLISH 102](#) or an equivalent with a grade of C or better.
- **Mathematics Skills:** Achieve a placement level of 30 or higher on the Math Placement Test, or complete [MATH 102](#), [MATH 103](#), [MATH 105](#), [MATH 108](#), [MATH 175](#), or an equivalent, with a grade of C or better. Note: [MATH 103](#) or [MATH 105](#) are recommended as they also meet core curriculum requirements.
- **Completion of [CURRINS 300](#)** with a grade of C or better.
- **Completion of [COMMUN 103](#)** with a grade of C or better.
- **A 2.75 minimum GPA** in all World Language content courses completed prior to program admission.
- **A 2.5 minimum GPA** in all UWM and transfer courses at time of admission application.
- **A minimum of 48 credits** (UWM and transfer credits) at the time of admission application. It is not required to have all content area courses completed at the time of application.
- The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction requires that all applicants to a professional education preparation program pass a **Criminal Background Check (CBC)** prior to admission.
- Applications must be received by December 15 for spring and July 15 for fall

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| | MATC coursework | | UWM coursework |
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| GER requirements | | | |
| Oral and Written Part A | ENG-202 (minimum C grade) | 3 | ENGLISH 102 |
| Oral and Written Part B | ENG-208 | 3 | ENGLISH 206 |
| Quantitative Literacy Part A | MATH-135 (minimum C grade) | 3 | MATH 102 |
| Quantitative Literacy Part B | MATH-189 or 260 | 3 | MTHSTAT 215 |
| Art (3 credits) | Various options* | 3 | Various options* |
| Humanities (6 credits) | SPEECH-201 (minimum C grade) | 3 | COMMUN 103 |
| | Literature course—various options* | 3 | CURRINS 233 or other lit course* |
| Social Science (6 credits) | HIST-211 or 212 | 3 | HIST 151 or 152 |
| | Various options* | 3 | Various options* |
| Natural Science (6 credits) (one course must have a lab) | Biology course—various options* | 3+ | Biology course—various options* |
| | Various options* | 3+ | Various options* |
| Cultural Diversity (3 credits) | HIST-218, 219 or ENG-220 | 3 | HIST 263, 262, or ENGLISH 276 |
| Foreign Language Requirement | | | Met by major requirements |
| Spanish Language Content Area Courses - Courses vary for other world languages | | | |
| Spanish 1 | FLANG-202 | 4 | SPANISH 103 |
| Spanish 2 | FLANG-203 | 4 | SPANISH 104 |
| Spanish 3 | FLANG-213 | 3-4 | SPANISH 203 |
| Spanish 4 | FLANG-214 | 3-4 | SPANISH 204 |
| Advanced Writing and Reading | | 3 | SPANISH 308 |
| Introduction to Hispanic Linguistics | | 3 | SPANISH 341 |
| Introduction to Literacy Analysis | | 3 | SPANISH 350 |
| Topics in Hispanic Culture | | 3 | SPANISH 461 |
| Adv Speaking & Listening or Adv Speaking & Listening for Heritage Speakers | | 3 | SPANISH 318 or SPANISH 319 |
| Select two: Survey for Hispanic Literature; Survey of Spanish-American Lit; Survey of Spanish Literature | | 6 | SPANISH 470, SPANISH 472, and/or SPANISH 474 |
| Upper-Division Spanish Electives | | 9 | 300+ level SPANISH courses |
| Professional Education Coursework | | | |
| Intro to Learning and Development | PSYCH-270 | 3 | ED PSY 330 |
| Introduction to Teaching | EDF-255 | 3 | CURRINS 300 |
| The Exceptional Individual, Survey of Exceptional Education or Child, Learner, Disabilities | | 3 | EXCEDUC 300, EXCEDUC 600, or EXCEDUC 605 |
| Reading in the Content Areas | | 3 | CURRINS 545 |
| History & Politics of Second Language Education | | 3 | CURRINS 542 |
| Developing Biliteracy | | 3 | CURRINS 543 |
| Language, Content, & Comprehensible Input | | 3 | CURRINS 546 |
| World Lang Methods & Materials | | 3 | CURRINS 637 |
| Applied Educational Linguistics | | 3 | CURRINS 655 |
| Student Teaching in World Language (first placement) | | 3 | CURRINS 438 |
| Student Teaching in World Language (second placement) | | 7-9 | CURRINS 438 |
| Seminar in Language Education | | 3 | CURRINS 445 |
| Total credits = 120 minimum | | 120 | |

A maximum of 72 credits may transfer from MATC to UWM.

*Discuss GER options with advisor to see which are transferable.

**Can be satisfied by satisfactory placement exam score or coursework. Foreign language may be met by 2 years of HS study.