

Stark State College– Ohio University Plan

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BRICKS is Ohio University’s general education program, and requirements must be fulfilled by all baccalaureate degree students. BRICKS includes a minimum of 38 credit hours across five categories: Foundations, Pillars, Arches, Bridges, and Capstone.

BRICKS and the Ohio Transfer 36

Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36 (OT36, formerly the Ohio Transfer Module), at another college or university prior to enrollment in a degree-seeking program at Ohio University will receive transfer credit equivalent to fulfilling Ohio University’s BRICKS general education requirements in Foundations (excluding the Advanced Writing component, which requires completion of TME 002 Second Writing), Pillars, and Arches. If you have not completed the OT36 your courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis and will apply toward general education requirements as appropriate.

Individual courses completed that meet state guaranteed equivalences for the OT36, yet have no course equivalency at Ohio University will transfer to meet select requirements for Ohio University’s BRICKS as follows:

Ohio Transfer 36 Category	BRICKS Category	BRICKS Component
TME 001 First Writing	Foundations	Written Communication
TME 002 Second Writing	Foundations	Advanced Writing
TMOG Oral Communication	Bridges	Speaking and Listening
TMMSL Mathematics, Statistics, and Logic	Foundations	Quantitative Reasoning
TMAH Arts and Humanities	Pillars	Humanities: Arts or Humanities: Texts and Contexts
TMSBS Social and Behavioral Sciences	Pillars	Social or Behavioral Sciences
TMNS Natural Sciences	Pillars	Natural Sciences

This guide lists Stark State College courses that have direct course equivalencies at Ohio University which meet BRICKS requirements. Following this guide as you plan your transfer to Ohio University will allow you to complete portions of your BRICKS General Education requirements while at Stark State College. **Please note:** This is not an exhaustive list of transfer courses. In fact, every college-level course at Stark State College is transferable to Ohio University.

HIST courses marked with an asterisk (*) will automatically equate to fill Pillars Humanities Texts and Contexts, but may alternately equate to fill Pillars Social and Behavioral Sciences and Foundations Intercultural Explorations. Work with your academic advisor to make adjustments if needed.

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Foundations

Foundations include four components and emphasize written communication, quantitative reasoning, and intercultural knowledge and competence. **Students are required to complete a total of 11 semester hours from an approved list of courses in the four component areas.**

Written Communication

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
ENG 124 College Composition	3.0	ENG 1510 Writing and Rhetoric I	3.0

Advanced Writing

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
ENG 221 Technical Report Writing	3.0	ENG 2800 Writing with Research	3.0
ENG 230 Business Communications	3.0	ENG 2800 Writing with Research	3.0
ENG 231 College Composition II	3.0	ENG 2800 Writing with Research	3.0

Quantitative Reasoning

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
MTH 118 Quantitative Reasoning	3.0	MATH 1060 Quantitative Reasoning	3.0
MTH 124 Statistics	3.0	MATH 1500 Introductory Statistics	3.0
MTH 124A Statistics Module A AND MTH 124B Statistics Module B	3.0	MATH 1500 Introductory Statistics	3.0
MTH 125 College Algebra	4.0	MATH 1200 College Algebra	4.0
MTH 125A College Algebra A AND MTH 125B College Algebra B	4.0	MATH 1200 College Algebra	4.0
MTH 130 Trigonometry	3.0	MATH 1322 Applied Elementary Mathematics II	3.0
MTH 135 Pre-Calculus	5.0	MATH 1300 Pre-Calculus	5.0
MTH 135A Precalculus A AND MTH 135B Precalculus B	5.0	MATH 1300 Pre-Calculus	5.0
MTH 223A Analytic Geometry-Calc I A AND MTH 223B Analytic Geometry-Calc I B	4.0	MATH 1350 Survey of Calculus	4.0
MTH 224 Analytic Geometry-Calculus II	4.0	MATH 2302 Calculus II	4.0

Intercultural Explorations

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 2 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
COM 227 Intercultural Communication	3.0	COMS 1100 Communication Among Cultures	3.0
HIS 222* World Civilization from 17th Century	3.0	HIST 1330 World History Since 1750	3.0



Pillars

Pillars include four components and emphasize knowledge and methods associated with the arts, humanities, natural sciences, and social sciences through distributed courses. **Students are required to complete a total of 12 semester hours from an approved list of courses in the four component areas.**

Humanities: Texts and Contexts

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
ENG 233 British Literature: Medieval to 1785	3.0	ENG 2510 British Literature I	3.0
ENG 234 British Literature: 1785 to Present	3.0	ENG 2520 British Literature II	3.0
ENG 236 American Lit: Colonial to 1865	3.0	ENG 2530 American Literature I	3.0
ENG 237 American Lit: 1865 to Present	3.0	ENG 2540 American Literature II	3.0
HIS 221* World Civilization to 17 th Century	3.0	HIST 1210 Western Civilization: Antiquity to 1500	3.0
HIS 222* World Civilization from 17 th Century	3.0	HIST 1220 Western Civilization: Modernity from 1500	3.0
PHL 122 Ethics	3.0	PHIL 1300 Introduction to Ethics	3.0

Humanities: Arts

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
No current Humanities: Arts equivalencies.		Work with an academic advisor for appropriate course selection.	

Natural Sciences

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
BIO 101 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology	3.0	BIOS 1030 Human Biology I	3.0
BIO 121 Anatomy and Physiology I	4.0	BIOS 1300 Principles of Human Anatomy and Physiology I	4.0
BIO 127 Human Biology	4.0	BIOS 1030 Human Biology I	4.0
BIO 130 Ocean Studies	3.0	GEO 2110 Introductory Oceanography	3.0
BIO 141 General Biology I	4.0	BIOS 1700 and BIOS 1705 Biological Sciences I and Lab	4.0
BIO 142 General Biology II	4.0	BIOS 1710 and BIOS 1715 Biological Sciences II and Lab	4.0
BIO 200 ECOLOGY	4.0	BIOS 2750 Ecology in the 21st Century	4.0
BIO 221 Principles of Microbiology	4.0	BIOS 2210 and BIOS 2225 Microbes and Humans and Lab	4.0
BIO 241 GENERAL GENETICS	4.0	BIOS 2250 Genetics in Human Society	4.0
BIO 242 CELL AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY	4.0	BIOS 1700 and BIOS 1705 Biological Sciences I and Lab	4.0
CHM 141 General Chemistry I	5.0	CHEM 1510 Fundamentals of Chemistry I	5.0
GEO 141 Physical Geology	4.0	GEO 1010 How the Earth Works	4.0
PHY 121 College Physics I with Algebra	4.0	PHYS 2001 Introduction to Physics I	4.0
PHY 221 General Physics I with Calculus	5.0	PHYS 2054 and PHYS 2055 General Physics 1 and Lab	5.0



Social and Behavioral Sciences

Take at least 1 course from this list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
BUS 221 Microeconomics	3.0	ECON 1030 Principles of Microeconomics	3.0
BUS 222 Macroeconomics	3.0	ECON 1040 Principles of Macroeconomics	3.0
HIS 121 US History I to 1877	3.0	HIST 2000 Survey of US History, 1600-1877	3.0
HIS 122 US History II From 1877	3.0	HIST 2010 Survey of US History, 1865-Present	3.0
HIS 221* World Civilization to 17 th Century	3.0	HIST 1320 Introduction to Introduction to World History Before 1750	3.0
HIS 222* World Civilization from 17 th Century	3.0	HIST 1330 Introduction to Introduction to World History Since 1750	3.0
PSC 121 Political Science	3.0	POLS 1010 Politics in the United States	3.0
PSY 121 General Psychology	3.0	PSY 1010 General Psychology	3.0
SOC 121 Sociology	3.0	SOC 1000 Introduction to Sociology	3.0

Arches

Arches include three, interrelated components and emphasize critical thinking, teamwork, and discipline-specific knowledge.

Students are required to complete a total of 9 semester hours from an approved list of courses in the three component areas.

Constructed World

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
MTH 223 Analytic Geometry-Calculus I	4.0	MATH 2301 Calculus I	4.0

Natural World

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
BIO 122 Anatomy and Physiology II	4.0	BIOS 1310 Principles of Human Anatomy and Physiology II	4.0
BIO 128 Climate Studies	3.0	GEOG 2060 Global Climate Change	3.0
CHM 123 Gen Organic & Biological Chem	4.0	CHEM 1205 and CHEM 1205L Survey of Chemistry for Health Sciences Lab	4.0
CHM 142 General Chemistry II	5.0	CHEM 1520 Fundamentals of Chemistry II	5.0
PHY 101 Principles of Physics	4.0	PSC 1011 Physical World	4.0
PHY 105 Astronomy	4.0	ASTR 1000 Survey of Astronomy	4.0
PHY 122 College Physics II with Algebra	4.0	PHYS 2002 Introduction to Physics II	4.0
PHY 222 General Physics II with Calculus	5.0	PHYS 2056 General Physics 2 and PHYS2057 General Physics 2 Lab	5.0



Connected World

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 3 semester hours)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
BIO 126 Science, Energy and the Environment	4.0	GEOG 2400 Environmental Geography	4.0
CJS 121 Introduction to Criminal Justice	3.0	SOC 2600 Criminal Justice	3.0
EDU 131 Introduction to Child Development	3.0	EDEC 1600 Introduction to Child Development	3.0
OTA 223 Life Span Development	5.0	PSY 2420 Educational Psychology	5.0
PSY 131 Psychology of Personality	3.0	PSY 2720 Psychology of Personality	3.0
PSY 220 Social Psychology	3.0	PSY 2510 Social Psychology	3.0
PSY 221 Abnormal Psychology	3.0	PSY 2710 Psychopathology	3.0
SOC 123 Dynamics Of The Family	3.0	SOC 2200 Introduction to the Family	3.0
SOC 221 Social Problems	3.0	SOC 2000 Contemporary Social Problems	3.0

Bridges

Bridges include four components and emphasize oral communication, ethical reasoning, integrative learning, and intercultural knowledge /competence. **Students are required to complete a total of 4 semester hours from an approved list of courses in the following four component areas.**

Speaking & Listening

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 1 semester hour)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
COM 121 Effective Speaking	3.0	COMS 1030 Public Speaking	3.0

Ethics & Reasoning

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 1 semester hour)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
COM 121 Effective Speaking	3.0	COMS 1030 Public Speaking	3.0

Diversity & Practice

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 1 semester hour)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
COM 121 Effective Speaking	3.0	COMS 1030 Public Speaking	3.0
SOC 229 African American Experience	3.0	SOC 3290 Race and Ethnic Relations	3.0



Learning & Doing

Take at least 1 course from the following list (minimum of 1 semester hour)

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
EMS 224 Paramedic IV	6.0	IHS 3934 Interprofessional Experiential Learning	6.0
MAS 226 Massage Therapy V	3.0	IHS 3934 Interprofessional Experiential Learning	3.0
SWK 121 Introduction to Social Welfare	3.0	SW 2601C Social Welfare Overview and Trends	3.0

Capstones

Capstones include one requirement and emphasize critical thinking and integrative learning. Capstones are designed to be offered at the end of a student's educational journey, and may be specific to the major, an arch requirement, or combined with a bridges course. **Students are required to complete a total of 2 semester hours.**

Stark State College Course	Sem. Hours	Ohio University Equivalent Course	Sem. Hours
No current Capstone equivalencies.		Work with an academic advisor for appropriate course selection.	

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