



Transfer Credit

For CAS students exploring external credit

Students can search for external courses through two websites:

Transferology

Transferology sorts all previously evaluated transfer courses by the BU equivalent. For example, you can search for CAS EC 101 equivalents only.

Transfer Equivalency Site

The Transfer Equivalency Site (TES) is a database of all transfer courses previously evaluated for BU credit. It's sorted by institution.

Are you taking the transfer credit for...

A major?

Be sure to confirm with your major advisor if the specific requirement can be fulfilled via transfer credit.

A minor?

Be sure to confirm with the department of the minor if the specific requirement can be fulfilled via transfer credit.

CAS Language Requirement?

Great! Please review the language requirement, and confirm the transfer course is equivalent to one of our approved language courses.

Elective units?

Keep in mind, transfer courses do not fulfill Hub units.

Please submit a Transfer Course Pre-Screen Request Form for any transfer course you are considering.



Explore our External Credit website for more details & the links!

Transfer Credit Policy FAQs

- Transfer courses do not fulfill Hub requirements.
- You must earn a C or higher; Pass/Fail or Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grades will not be accepted.
- The transfer course grades will not factor into your BU GPA.
- Non-BU international courses must adhere to a different process and policy. You can find more information on our [website](#).
- Credits will be awarded based on the external institution (e.g., 3 units at a semester system will be 3 units at BU; 3 units at a quarter system will be 2 units at BU).
- CAS students may not be enrolled at another institution while enrolled at BU in the fall and spring semesters.
 - Courses taken over the summer or while on a leave of absence are accepted.
- Official transcripts must be sent from the external institution directly to BU's Credit Evaluation Office.

Still have questions?

Stop by CAS Advising's drop-in hours, held Monday - Friday from 1pm - 4pm, during the fall & spring semesters:



Virtual:

Monday & Tuesday
via [Zoom](#)

In Person:

Wednesday - Friday
100 Bay State Rd., Room 401

Once you've completed the transfer course:

Have an official transcript sent directly from the external college/university to BU's Credit Evaluation Office.



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