



Mount Saint Mary's University

LOS ANGELES

ARTICULATION AGREEMENT with COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS

This articulation agreement has been developed to help the prospective student plan a course of study that will facilitate a more effective transfer into Mount Saint Mary's University.

Mount Saint Mary's University accepts completion of either the CSU General Education Breadth Requirements (CSU GE-Breadth) or Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) to fulfill the LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements) with the exception of the upper division Integrative Scholarship (6 units) and the Capstone (1-3 units) which may be fulfilled by the major Capstone requirement.

Mount Saint Mary's University accepts a maximum of 70 transferable lower division units toward the baccalaureate degree and 36 units towards the associate degree. All community college coursework is considered lower division. No community college coursework will be counted as upper division units. No courses within the LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements) may double count for any other area of the LACE requirements. Courses fulfilling the LACE written communication, reasoning, and language requirement may double count towards a student's major and/or minor.

For a complete list of all of Mount Saint Mary's degree requirements, visit the [online academic catalog](#)

This agreement contains three sections:

Section I - lists relevant information about LACE- Liberal Arts Core Education (MSMU General Education Requirements). The LACE requirements listed on this agreement include Written Communication, Reasoning: Math & Critical Thinking, Language, and the Central Core: Spirit of the Founders, Community, Global Awareness & Understanding and Women & Gender. Listed under each area are equivalent courses offered at College of the Canyons.

Section II - lists lower division courses within all majors offered at the Mount with the exception of Liberal Studies. Liberal Studies majors should refer to Section III.

Section III- lists lower division courses within the Liberal Studies major, selected by the Education Department for articulation. Students interested in a Liberal Studies major should disregard Section II.

SECTION I

LACE General Education Requirements

MSMU REQUIREMENT	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION: ENG 1A (3 units with a grade of C or better)	ENGLISH 101, 101H
WRITTEN COMMUNICATION: ENG 1B (3 units with a grade of C or better)	ENGLISH 102, 102H, 103, 103H
REASONING: Math (3 units)	ECONOMICS 291, MATHEMATICS 102, 103, 104, 111, 130, 140, 140H, 211, 240, PSYCHOLOGY 104
REASONING: Critical Thinking (3 units)	PHILOSOPHY 106, 230, SOCIOLOGY 108
LANGUAGE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Required for Bachelor of Arts degree only • A student who begins a language must complete course 1 and 2 of the same language • Students whose native language is not English may demonstrate academic proficiency in English as a second language by passing the TOEFL examination with scores above 550. • To meet the requirement students must demonstrate proficiency at the second semester level. If they have knowledge, and test into the second semester of the language, they need only take the second semester course, i.e., Span 2. • Language courses must be college-level courses.
<p>Central Core: 12 units of course work with 3 units completed in each category. Courses may not be taken directly within, or cross-listed within, a student's major department. No more than 2 courses may be taken within a single department.</p>	
CENTRAL CORE: Spirit of the Founders (3 units)	PHILOSOPHY 101, 101H, 110, 130, 225
CENTRAL CORE: Community (3 units)	ANTHROPOLOGY 103, 103H, ECONOMICS 201, 201H, 202, 202H, GEOGRAPHY 102, HISTORY 130, MUSIC 105, 107, PHILOSOPHY 102, 120, 130, 220, 240, 250, POLITICAL

	SCIENCE 150, 150H, PSYCHOLOGY 172, 172H, SIGN LANGUAGE 110, SOCIOLOGY 101, 101H, 103, 103H, 105
CENTRAL CORE: Global Awareness & Understanding (3 units)	ANTHROPOLOGY 103, 103H, 105, 210, ART 110, 111, 115, 205, BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES 130, COMMUNICATION STUDIES 256, CINEMA 123, DANCE 100, ENGLISH 280, ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES 101, 103, GEOGRAPHY 104, HISTORY 101, 101H, 102, 191, 192, HUMANITIES 115, 116, MUSIC 108, PHILOSOPHY 130, 220, 250, POLITICAL SCIENCE 250, 270, SOCIOLOGY 101, 101H, 106, 205, 207
CENTRAL CORE: Women & Gender (3 units)	COMMUNICATION STUDIES 260, ENGLISH 280, HISTORY 120, 120H, 130, POLITICAL SCIENCE 290, PSYCHOLOGY 230, 235, SOCIOLOGY 103, 103H, 104, 130, 200, 200H, 230

Please Note:

Other courses not listed in the above sections may be approved for LACE credit. For MSMU applicants, an official transcript evaluation is completed as part of a student's admission into the Mount. For current MSMU students, a Transfer Credit Clearance form must be completed before registering for the course to ensure transferability.

SECTION II

Major Equivalents

- Major course evaluations are based on our traditional baccalaureate program's major requirements. The Weekend and Evening program's major requirements may vary from the list. All students should consult with advisors for requirement variations.
- All possible lower division courses for each major are listed. Please note some majors have multiple course options for fulfilling the same degree requirement. Consult the current college catalog to determine if your specific major has "either/or" options with the courses listed below.

AMERICAN STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BUS 4	Business Foundations & Analysis	BUS 100
BUS 5/POL 5	Business Law I	BUS 211
BUS 92/PHI 92	Business Ethics	
ENG 20	Great Works in American Literature	ENGL 261

ENG 26	Literature of the American West	ENGL 262
HIS 6	American Cultural History	
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLISC 150 or 150H

APPLIED ETHICS

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHI 5	Introduction to Logic	
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOS 106
PHI 15	Introduction to Philosophy	PHILOS 101 or 101H
PHI 16	Philosophy through Popular Culture	
PHI 21	Moral Values and Ethical Decisions	PHILOS 120 or 240
PHI 24	Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle	
PHI 92	Introduction to Business Ethics	

ART

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 1	Drawing I	ART 124A
ART 2	Two-Dimensional Art and Design: Global Perspectives	
ART 4	Painting I	ART 227
ART 7	Experiences in the Visual Arts	
ART 12	Ceramics I: Handbuilding	
ART 13	Ceramics – Beginning Wheel Throwing	
ART 19	3D Printing and Rapid Prototyping	
ART 24	Wood: Material & Methods	

GRD 2	Two-Dimensional Design and Art: Global Perspectives	
GRD 15	Computer Graphics 1	
GRD 19	3D Printing and Rapid Prototyping	

BIOCHEMISTRY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 1/L	Biological Dynamics	BIOSCI 106 or 106H
BIO 2/L	Biological Dynamics	BIOSCI 107 or 107H
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 201 or 201H
CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 202
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 255
CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 256
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 211
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 212
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	ECON 291 or MTH 140 or 140H
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSIC 110
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSIC 111
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYSIC 220
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism and Optics	PHYSIC 221

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 1/L	Biological Dynamics/Lab	BIOSCI 106 or 106H
BIO 2/L	Biological Dynamics/Lab	BIOSCI 107 or 107H
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Discussion/Lab	CHEM 201
CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 202
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 255
CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 256

MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	ECON 291 or MTH 140 or 140H
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCH 104
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 211
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 212
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSIC 110
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSIC 111
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYSIC 220
PHY 11B/L	Electricity Magnetism and Optics	PHYSIC 221
BIO 50A/L	Human Anatomy/Lab	BIOSCI 201 or 204
BIO 50B/L	Human Physiology/Lab	BIOSCI 202 or 205

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUS 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUS 211
BUS 15A/16A	Accounting Principles I	BUS 201
BUS 15B/16B	Accounting Principles II	BUS 202
BUS 18	Professional Development and Presentations	
BUS 21	The Essentials of Business Writing and Presentation	
ECO 1	Microeconomics	ECON 202 or 202H
ECO 2	Macroeconomics	ECON 201 or 201H
MTH 28	Mathematical Analysis for Business	MATH 240
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	ECON 291 or MTH 140 or 140H

CHEMISTRY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
CHE 1A/L	General Chemistry/Discussion/Lab	CHEM 201
CHE 1B/L	General Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 202
CHE 6A/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 255

CHE 6B/L	Organic Chemistry/Lab	CHEM 256
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 211
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 212
MTH 5C	Calculus III	MATH 213
PHY 1A	Introductory Physics IA	PHYSIC 110
PHY 1B/L	Introductory Physics IB/Lab	PHYSIC 111
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYSIC 220
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism, and Optics	PHYSIC 221

CHILD DEVELOPMENT

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 10	Health Science	
EDU 32	Early Childhood Education: Observation and Curriculum Planning	
EDU 33	The Visual & Performing Arts for the Young Child	ECE 144 or 151
EDU 37	Infant/Toddler Development and Care	ECE 130
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCH 101 or 101H
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCH 172 or 172H
PSY 13	Child Development	
SOC 6	The Family, Child and Community	ECE 102 or SOCI 103

CRIMINOLOGY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 101 or 101H

ENGLISH

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ENG 1A	Freshman English	ENGL 101 or 101H
ENG 1B	Freshman English	ENGLISH 102 or 102H or 103 or 103H
ENG 5H	Freshman Honors English	
ENG 18	Great Works in World Literature	ENGL 274
ENG 28	Contemporary Issues in World Literature	
ENG 70	Western Literary Heritage	
ENG 73	Shakespeare	ENGL 275
HIS 1A	Western Civilization	HIST 101 or 101H
HIS 1B	Western Civilization	HIST 102

FILM, MEDIA AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 10	Photography I	
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUS 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUS 211
BUS 15A	Accounting Principles I	BUS 201
BUS 21	The Essentials of Business Writing and Presentation	
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOTO 155
PHO 6	History of Photography	PHOTO 140
PHO 8	Lighting Principles	
PHO 30	Studio Product Photography	PHOTO 190
MUS 3	Discovering Music Fundamentals	
MUS 13	Applied Music: Instrumental/Vocal for Non-Music Majors	MUSIC 189
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	SOCI 137

FRENCH STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
FRE 1	Elementary French I	FRNCH 101
FRE 2	Elementary French II	FRNCH 102
FRE 3	Intermediate French III	FRNCH 201
FRE 4	Intermediate French IV	FRNCH 202

GEOSPATIAL CRIMINOLOGY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 101 or 101H
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	SOCI 137

GLOBAL POLITICS

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 67	Environmental Science	BIOSCI 130
ECO 2	Macroeconomics	ECON 201 or 201H
HIST 25	Cultural and Historical Geography	
POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLISC 250
RST 23	Spiritual Journeys of Women	

HEALTHCARE POLICY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 5	Life Sciences	
BIO 10	Health Science	
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLISC 150 or 150H
POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLISC 250
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCH 101 or 101H

HISTORY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
HIS 1A	Western Civilization	HIST 101 or 101H
HIS 1B	Western Civilization	HIST 102
HIS 3	World History	HIST 161

JOURNALISM AND NEW MEDIA

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOTO 155

MATHEMATICS

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
CIS 2	Introduction to Programming	
MTH 5A	Calculus I	MATH 211
MTH 5B	Calculus II	MATH 212
MTH 5C	Calculus III	MATH 213
MTH 8	Transition to Higher Math	
PHY 1BL	Introductory Physics Laboratory	PHYSIC 111
PHY 11A	Mechanics	PHYSIC 220
PHY 11B	Electricity, Magnetism, and Optics	PHYSIC 221

MUSIC

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MUS 1AB	Musicianship I	MUSIC 101
MUS 1CD	Musicianship I	
MUS 2AB	Musicianship II	MUSIC 102
MUS 5	Music Practicum	
MUS 11	Functional Keyboard Skills	

MUS 13	Applied Music	MUSIC 189
MUS 15	Applied Music	
MUS 19	Mount Chorus	
MUS 21	Mount Singers	
MUS 23	Chamber Music	
MUS 24A	Surveys of the History and Literature of Music	
MUS 24B	Surveys of the History and Literature of Music	
MUS 26	Brass and Percussion Instruments: Introductory Techniques	
MUS 27	Woodwind Instruments: Introductory Techniques	
MUS 29	String Instruments: Introductory Techniques	
MUS 42	American Musical Theatre	
MUS 60	Mount Orchestra	
MUS 70	Percussion Ensemble	

NURSING (Prerequisite courses)

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
BIO 3/L	General Microbiology/Lab	BIOSCI 221
BIO 50A/L	Human Anatomy/Lab	BIOSCI 201 or 204
BIO 50B/L	Human Physiology/Lab	BIOSCI 202 or 205
ENG 1A	Freshman English	ENGL 101 or 101H
ENG 1B	Freshman English	ENGLISH 102 or 102H or 103 or 103H
CHE 3/PHS 1 or CHEM 1A/L*	Chemistry	CHEM 110 or 151 or 151H or 201 or 201H or PHYSICI 101
MTH 10	Quantitative Reasoning and Mathematical Ideas	
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOS 106
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCH 101 or 101H
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCH 172 or 172H
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 101 or 101H
SPE 10	Introduction to Communication	COMS 105 or 105H or 190 or 246

*dependent upon nursing program at MSMU.

PHILOSOPHY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
PHI 5	Introduction to Logic	
PHI 10	Critical Thinking	PHILOS 106
PHI 15	Introduction to Philosophy	PHILOS 101 or 101H
PHI 16	Philosophy Through Popular Culture	
PHI 21	Moral Values and Ethical Decisions	PHILOS 120 or 240
PHI 24	Socrates, Plato, and Aristotle	
PHI 92	Introduction to Business Ethics	

POLITICAL SCIENCE

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLISC 150 or 150H
POL 2	Introduction to World Politics	POLISC 250

PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 10	Photography I	
BUS 4	Business Foundations and Analysis	BUS 100
BUS 5	Business Law I	BUS 211
BUS 15A	Accounting Principles I	BUS 201
PHO 2	Foundations of Photography	PHOTO 155
PHO 4	Digital Asset Management and Workflow	

PHO 6	History of Photography	PHOTO 140
PHO 8	Lighting Principles	
PHO 30	Studio Product Photography	PHOTO 190
PHO 34	Photoshop and Digital Printing	PHOTO 157

PSYCHOLOGY (or Applied Psychology)

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	ECON 291 or MTH 140 or 140H
PSY 1	Introduction to Psychology	PSYCH 101 or 101H
PSY 12	Child/Human Development	PSYCH 172 or 172H
PSY 13	Child Development	
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCH 104
PSY 52/L	Biological Psychology/Lab	PSYCH 102

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
RST 15	Introduction to New Testament	
RST 21	Contemporary Catholicism	
RST 41	Introduction to Christian Ethics	

SOCIAL WORK

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
MTH 38	Elements of Probability and Statistics	ECON 291 or MTH 140 or 140H
PSY 40	Basic Statistical Methods	PSYCH 104
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 101 or 101H

SW 3	Fundamentals in APA Style	
SW 4	Professional Development for Social Work Practice	
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	SOCI 137

SOCIOLOGY

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SOC 1	Introduction to Sociology	SOCI 101 or 101H
SOC 38	Statistics for Social Science	SOCI 137

SPANISH STUDIES

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
SPA 1	Elementary Spanish I	SPA 101 or 101H
SPA 2	Elementary Spanish II	SPA 102
SPA 3	Intermediate Spanish III	SPA 201
SPA 3A	Accelerated Spanish III/Spanish for Heritage Speakers	
SPA 4	Intermediate Spanish IV	SPA 202
SPA 44	Spanish-speaking Civilizations and Cultures in the Americas and Spain	

MULTIMEDIA COMMUNICATION MINOR

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
GRD 15	Computer Graphics	
SOC 30	Human Communication	

SECTION III

LIBERAL STUDIES

Students planning to major in Liberal Studies at Mount Saint Mary's University may take the following courses to meet selected subject matter content requirements.

*No community college coursework counts as upper division units at MSMU. Students who transfer a lower division course toward an upper division requirement must still complete a total of 45 upper division units at MSMU.

Other courses may transfer towards major requirements for Liberal Studies; however, the courses must be evaluated by the Liberal Studies Director.

MSMU Course #	MSMU Course Title	COLLEGE OF THE CANYONS Course # (Please refer to catalog for course title)
ART 2	Two Dimensional Art and Design: Global Perspectives	
BIO 10	Health Science	
BIO 67	Environmental Science	
ENG 34	Literature for the Young Child	
HIS 3	World History	
HIS 25	Cultural and Historical Geography	
*HIS 188	California History	*HIST 210
MTH 50	Elementary Number Systems	
MTH 51	Elements of Geometry and Statistics	
MUS 6	The Music Community: Exploring Sound and Meaning	
MUS 17	Women and Gender in Music	
MUS 42	American Musical Theater	
PHS 1 or PHS 2A *Study of Physics *Study of Chemistry	General Physical Science	
PHS 2B	General Physical	

*Study of Astronomy *Study of Geology *Study of physics, chemistry, geology and astronomy is required. One course must include Lab.	Science	
POL 1	American Government and Institutions	POLISC 150 or 150H
PSY 12	Lifespan Development Psychology	PSYCH 172 or 172H

Mount Saint Mary's University, Los Angeles (MSMU) offers a concurrent program of Teacher Preparation. Students take courses toward their baccalaureate degree (in Liberal Studies) and courses in education concurrently. The Liberal Studies Major is a California Commission on Teacher Credentialing-approved Elementary Subject Matter (ESM) Program which waives the CSET (California Subject Matter Examination for Teachers). The courses listed in this articulation agreement under the Liberal Studies Major *are accepted as part of the ESM (waiver) program.*

The Mount Saint Mary's University Elementary Teacher Preparation Program is a California Commission on Teacher Credentialing-approved program for the preparation of students for the Preliminary Multiple Subject Teaching Credential as defined by SB 2042.

Transfer students are encouraged to obtain a passing score on the CBEST (California Basic Education Skills Test). Passing scores on CSET provide greater flexibility in course selection for the Liberal Studies Major and is recommended for transfer students. Contact the Liberal Studies Director for additional information, 213-477-2628.

California Credential requirements are subject to change pending direction from the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CCTC). These changes take precedence over the MSMU catalog, as well as any other MSMU information.