

JOHNSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE
TRANSFER INFORMATION FOR
THE UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS
2009-2010 ACADEMIC YEAR

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

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TRANSFER ADMISSION PROCEDURES/QUALIFICATIONS

Application:

- Online applications may be found at www.admissions.ku.edu.
- \$30 nonrefundable application fee must be mailed with the application. Students applying electronically can pay by check or credit card when submitting the application online.
- Request official transcripts from all previous colleges or universities be sent directly to the University of Kansas Office of Admissions and Scholarships by mail.
- Application deadline for admission to the University: Fall - May 1; Spring - December 1; Summer - May 1. Applications received after the deadline will be placed on an admissions wait list. Wait list applicants are not guaranteed admission. See the KU catalog or individual transfer sheets for eligibility requirements and admission deadlines for the professional schools at KU.

International Students:

- Must apply using international student application and meet appropriate deadline depending on school.

Readmit Students:

- Any student who has earned a grade in at least 1 hour of credit at KU and not attended for one or more semesters must submit an application for readmission meeting appropriate deadline. Students who withdrew from all classes during their first semester and did not earn any grades must complete the transfer application.
- Application fee: None for readmits.
- Transfer students who applied to KU and were accepted, but never attended must reapply using the transfer application. Admission offers are valid only for the semester specified in the admission letter.

Transfer Qualifications:

- Effective Spring 2008, Kansas residents who have completed 24 credit hours or more when they apply must have a 2.0 or higher GPA from a community college, college or university.
- Non-residents who have completed 24 credit hours or more when they apply must have a 2.5 or higher GPA from a community college, college or university.
- For admission purposes, KU will accept the GPA as calculated on the transcript of the transfer institution.
- Admission requirements for the professional schools (allied health, architecture and urban design, business, education, engineering, fine arts, journalism and mass communications, nursing, pharmacy, and social welfare) are more stringent. See the individual transfer sheets or KU catalog for requirements.
- Transfer students will be evaluated for admission solely on their college grades after completing 24 hours of postsecondary work, not including courses in progress. Students applying to transfer with less than 24 credit hours will be evaluated based on a combination of their college GPA's, their high school record, and test scores.

ACT/SAT Scores:

- Not required for admission to the University for transfer students with 24 or more credit hours completed. Some programs may require these test scores.

Qualified Admissions: • Effective Fall 2001, transfer students with fewer than 24 transferable credit hours must meet the conditions for high school graduates as shown in the KU catalog and achieve a cumulative college GPA of 2.0 if the student is a Kansas resident. If the student is a non-resident, he/she must achieve a cumulative college GPA of 2.5.

Transcript Evaluations: • Transfer students who have been admitted to KU receive an official credit evaluation. Transfer course equivalencies can be viewed on CredTran, the KU Transfer Equivalency System, at www.admissions.ku.edu. Select Transfer Credit.

Early Registration/
Campus Visits: • Admitted transfer students are invited to a special early orientation and enrollment program in April. Campus visits are available upon request by calling (785) 864-3911 or register online at www.admissions.ku.edu/visit.

TUITION/FEES/EXPENSES FOR THE 2009-2010 ACADEMIC YEAR

Tuition and Fees: Kansas Resident: \$206.50/credit hour Non-Resident: \$542.40/credit hour
Some KU programs also charge differential tuition. For more information, go to www.registrar.ku.edu/fees. Select Comprehensive Schedule.

Required Campus Fees: \$846.70 annually

Room and Board: • On-campus: \$3,160-\$4,612 (estimated) per year + \$35 application fee.
• Off-campus: Varies. Information for off-campus living is available through the KU housing office or classified sections of the *Daily Kansan* at www.kansan.com and the *Lawrence Journal-World* at www.ljworld.com/classifieds.

Books: \$700-\$800 (approximately) per year

Additional Expenses: Miscellaneous living expenses for travel, social activities, sports tickets, parking permit, extra meals, etc., vary depending on the student.

FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS

Application Deadline: • Financial Aid: March 1 (priority) Scholarship: March 1

Special Requirements: • ACT scores and FAFSA. Minimum cumulative 3.25 GPA.

Scholarship Application: • There is no separate scholarship application. Students must complete the transfer admission and scholarships application, a co-curricular summary and a scholarship essay.

Transfer Scholarships: There are three competitive transfer scholarships. Students may qualify for transfer scholarship consideration if they have completed 24 college credit hours at the time of application. Students not meeting this criteria must have an official transcript sent as soon as grades are posted to be considered. See the admission/scholarship application for complete details.

- Community College Scholarship - Award varies (non-renewable). Eligible students must be transferring from a community college to KU. Minimum cumulative GPA of 3.25.
- Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship - Award varies (non-renewable). Member of Phi Theta Kappa, minimum cumulative 3.75 GPA, verification of membership from the Honors advisor required.

Scholarships are awarded on a rolling basis. Notification will be mailed within 60 days upon receipt of your completed application.

TRANSFER CREDIT/GRADING POLICIES

- Application of Credit:
- At least 30 hours of course work must be completed at a four-year school. Schools of Business and Education have additional credit hour limits.
 - Application of transfer credit toward degree requirements is determined by each major department.
- GPA Calculation:
- Calculation of GPA for the bachelor's degree includes only grades from those courses taken at KU.
 - GPA's from all previous course work completed at other colleges may be considered for admission to the professional schools or certain programs at KU.
- Pass/Fail:
- Pass/Fail (credit/no credit) policy is determined by the individual schools. See the transfer sheet for policy of a particular school/major.
 - Some schools, scholarship committees and honorary societies do not look favorably on ungraded course work.
- Repeat Policy:
- All grades shall be included in the GPA calculation.
- "D" Grades:
- The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, School of Architecture and Urban Planning, School of Business, School of Engineering, School of Fine Arts, and School of Journalism and Mass Communications will not accept grades of "D".
 - The individual schools determine if grades of "D" are acceptable and what course work would be eligible.
- Non-Residence Courses:
- Students planning to take courses at other colleges or universities after their initial enrollment at KU should complete KU's standard form Request for Tentative Evaluation of Transfer Credit which may be obtained from their dean's office or the CLAS Student Academic Services. After completing the course work, students must request an official transcript be sent to KU.
- Time Limit on Credit:
- Credit will transfer as long as the college/university was regionally accredited at the time courses were completed.
- Credit Given for:
- Credit given for some military courses, independent study, Advanced Placement, International Baccalaureate, and limited credit for CLEP. For additional information, check the website at www.admissions.ku.edu. Select AP/IB and other credit.