Delaware County Community College

Special Transfer Partnerships

Dual Admissions and Core-to-Core Transfer Programs

Delaware County Community College offers Dual Admissions and Core-to-Core transfer agreements with a variety of colleges and universities within the Philadelphia and Chester County areas. These programs are designed to facilitate students’ ease of transfer into many undergraduate majors. Dual Admission entitles students to be admitted into bachelor’s degree programs at another college or university provided they earn an approved A.A., A.S., or A.A.S. degree from DCCC and meet the minimum GPA requirement. Students who choose to participate in the Dual Admissions program receive distinct advantages, such as waiving the application fee, scholarship eligibility, and invitations to college-sponsored events. Under the Core-to-Core agreement, students who complete an approved A.A. or A.S. degree will satisfy the transfer institution's general education requirements unless a specific course or two are required.

The colleges and universities that offer Core-to-Core and/or Dual Admissions programs are:

- Albright College (C/D)
- Alvernia University (D)
- Arcadia University (C/D)
- Cabrini College (C/D)
- Chestnut Hill College (C/D)
- Eastern University (D)
- Immaculata University (D)
- La Salle University (C/D)
- Neumann University (D)
- Peirce College (C/D)
- Rosemont College (D)
- St. Joseph’s University (Traditional Day & Professional Studies) (D)
- Temple University (C/D)
- Villanova University (Part-Time) (D)
- Widener University (D)
- West Chester University (C/D)

Students interested in Dual Admissions must sign an Intent to Enroll Form before earning 30 transferable credits.

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The Transfer Timetable (below) is a helpful guideline to follow within the transfer process. Adjustments can be made to suit individual needs.

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<td><strong>First semester</strong> (or up to 15 credits)</td>
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<td>Define career goals and ways to accomplish them</td>
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<td>Attend Transfer Fairs and Information Sessions</td>
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<td>Meet with a transfer counselor once you have decided on a major and have selected a few colleges or universities you are interested in attending</td>
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<td><strong>Second semester</strong> (or 15-30 credits)</td>
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<td>Gather information on transfer institutions</td>
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<td>Attend transfer workshops</td>
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<td><strong>Third semester</strong> (or 30-50 credits)</td>
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<td>Contact admissions counselors at transfer institutions</td>
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<td>Visit transfer campuses</td>
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<td>Submit applications for admissions; and, if applicable, contact financial aid office</td>
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<td><strong>Fourth semester</strong> (or 50 credits)</td>
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<td>Contact transfer institutions to ensure application is complete</td>
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Other Special Transfer Partners

In addition to the Dual Admission and Core-to-Core programs, DCCC also has special partnerships with other universities. Strayer University and Villanova University offer Guaranteed Admission programs.

Strayer University Guaranteed Admission Transfer Agreement

Strayer will transfer, in its entirety, Delaware County Community College’s A.A., A.S. or A.A.S. associate degree for students enrolling in a related degree program at Strayer University. All DCCC graduates will be able to attend every 10\(^{th}\) course taken at Strayer University at “zero tuition”.

Villanova University Guaranteed Admission Transfer Agreement

The Guaranteed Admission program is designed to facilitate the transfer of students into Villanova University’s Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies part-time degree program with a major in one of the following areas:

- General Studies
- Information Systems
- Leadership Studies
- Media & Technology

If interested in participating in this program, students should contact a Transfer Counselor in the Career and Counseling Center or Student Services at off-campus sites.

West Chester University Dual Admission Program and Core-to-Core Agreement

The Dual Admission is a program that guarantees admission to a specific program of study provided the following requirements are met:

- Complete an associate degree at DCCC
- Transfer to the major indicated within the signed Dual Admissions Agreement
- Agree to sign a new Intent to Enroll form if the major or admission date is changed from the original Intent to Enroll form
- Meet West Chester’s minimum GPA requirement or other specific requirements, which may vary according to major
- Understand that prior attendance at West Chester is disqualifying
- Enroll in the program one year before intended transfer date
- Under the Core-to-Core agreement, students who complete an approved A.A. or A.S. degree will satisfy the transfer institution’s general education requirements unless specific courses are required
- Please note that students cannot apply to the Nursing (BSN), Athletic Training or Social Work majors via the Dual Admissions program

Students interested in any of the above programs need to meet with a transfer counselor to discuss the eligibility requirements and complete the necessary paperwork. Transfer appointments should be made in the Career and Counseling Center or Student Services at off-campus sites.

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