

FALL 2017: CHANGES TO TRANSFER CREDIT DISPLAY IN SSC



IMPORTANT CHANGES — HOW DO THEY AFFECT THE STUDENT RECORD?

- Transfer GPA will no longer be calculated and included in the Overall GPA
- Only hours that can be used toward a degree will count towards the Earned Hours total.
- Non-degree applicable courses will no longer appear on the student record
This type of coursework includes:
 - Coursework with Transfer Grades below “C-”
 - Technical Coursework
 - Remedial Coursework
 - Non-regionally Accredited Coursework
- *Military coursework is evaluated on a case-by-case basis*



Currently, all coursework receives an equivalent – regardless of whether or not the course can be applied toward a degree (technical, remedial, non-transferable grade).

Transfer							Equivalent				
Group	Primary Ind	Subject	Course	Credit Hours	Grade	Articulate Ind	Level	Subject	Course	Credit Hours	Grade
<div><div></div></div>	<div><div></div></div>	AHS	101	3.000	A	Successful	UG	TECH	001T	3.000	A
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<div><div></div></div>	<div><div></div></div>	MAT	140	3.000	A	Successful	UG	MATH	141	3.000	A
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<div><div></div></div>	<div><div></div></div>	HIS	101	3.000	C	Successful	UG	HIST	101	3.000	C
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<div><div></div></div>	<div><div></div></div>	PSY	201	3.000	A	Successful	UG	PSYC	101	3.000	A



TRANSFER CREDIT ACCEPTED BY INSTITUTION -Top-

Fall 2009: York Technical College

Subject	Course	Title	Grade	Credit Hours	Quality Points
ENGL	000T	REME Intro to Composition	A	0.000	
MATH	122	Calculus for BA & Soc Sciences	A	3.000	
TECH	001T	TECH- Intro Health Professions	A	3.000	

Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points
6.000	6.000	6.000	6.000	

Current Term:

Unofficial Transcript

Spring 2010: York Technical College

Subject	Course	Title	Grade	Credit Hours	Quality Points	F
ENGL	101	Critical Reading & Comp	A	3.000	12.00	
REME	000T	REME-College Skills	C	3.000	6.00	
TECH	001T	TECH- Patient Care Relations	D	3.000	3.00	

Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
9.000	9.000	9.000	9.000	21.00	2.333

Current Term:

Unofficial Transcript

Fall 2010: York Technical College

Subject	Course	Title	Grade	Credit Hours	Quality Points	F
ENGL	102	Rhetoric and Composition	S	3.000	0.00	
MATH	141	Calculus I	A	3.000	12.00	
PSYC	000T	REME - Intro to Personality	B	0.000	0.00	
SOCY	101	Introductory Sociology	D	3.000	3.00	

Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
9.000	9.000	9.000	6.000	15.00	2.500

Current Term:

Unofficial Transcript

Fall 2011: York Technical College

Subject	Course	Title	Grade	Credit Hours	Quality Points	F
HIST	101	Eur Civ: Ancient -Mid 17th Cent	C	3.000	6.00	
MATH	142	Calculus II	D	3.000	3.00	
PSYC	101	Introduction to Psychology	A	3.000	12.00	
STAT	201	Elementary Statistics	U	3.000	0.00	
TECH	001T	TECH-Basic Med Lab Tech	D	3.000	3.00	

Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
15.000	12.000	12.000	12.000	24.00	2.000

Current Term:

All of the highlighted courses are non-applicable to a degree, yet they appear in SSC.



All transfer credit is factored into the Overall GPA.

Unofficial Transcript

TRANSCRIPT TOTALS (UNDERGRADUATE) [-Top-](#)

	Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
Total Institution:	89.000	85.000	85.000	85.000	337.00	3.965
Total Transfer:	39.000	36.000	36.000	33.000	84.00	2.545
Overall:	128.000	121.000	121.000	118.000	421.00	3.568

Unofficial Transcript

The earned hours column includes hours earned through technical coursework, remedial courses used toward the LIFE scholarship, and transfer grades below "C-"



**FOR STUDENTS ADMITTED SUMMER/FALL 2017
ONWARD, TRANSFER CREDIT WILL NOT AFFECT
THE GPA AND ONLY DEGREE-APPLICABLE
COURSES WILL DISPLAY ON THE RECORD**



Notice how only those courses that can apply to a USC degree have been granted an equivalent.
 Courses that are technical, remedial, and courses with a grade below C- transfer grade
 are not awarded a USC equivalent.

Transfer								Articulate				
Level	Group	Primary Ind	Subject	Course	Credit Hours	Grade	Articulate Ind	Level	Subject	Course	Credit Hours	Grade
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UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	AHS	101	3.000	A	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	ENG	100	3.000	A	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT	130	3.000	A	Successful	UG	MATH	122	3.000	A_TR
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	AHS	116	3.000	D	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	COL	103	3.000	C	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	ENG	101	3.000	A	Successful	UG	ENGL	101	3.000	A_TR
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	ENG	102	3.000	S	Successful	UG	ENGL	102	3.000	S_TR
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT	140	3.000	A	Successful	UG	MATH	141	3.000	A_TR
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	SOC	101	3.000	D	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	HIS	101	3.000	C	Successful	UG	HIST	101	3.000	C_TR
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT	120	3.000	U	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT	141	3.000	D	No equivalent					
UG		<input type="checkbox"/>	MED	113	3.000	D	No equivalent					
UG		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	PSY	201	3.000	A	Successful	UG	PSYC	101	3.000	A_TR



Self Service Carolina will only display hours that can be used toward a degree. Technical, remedial, and below C- grades have been removed.

Subject	Course	Title	Grade	Credit Hours	Quality Points	R	
ENGL	101	Critical Reading & Comp	A_TR	3.000	0.00		
ENGL	102	Rhetoric and Composition	S_TR	3.000	0.00		
HIST	101	Eur Civ:Ancient -Mid 17th Cent	C_TR	3.000	0.00		
MATH	122	Calculus for BA & Soc Sciences	A_TR	3.000	0.00		
MATH	141	Calculus I	A_TR	3.000	0.00		
PSYC	101	Introduction to Psychology	A_TR	3.000	0.00		
		Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
Current Term:		18.000	18.000	18.000	0.000	0.00	0.000



In the Transcript Totals, Earned Hours are limited only to that coursework which could be applied toward a degree.

In the Transcript Totals, there are no Quality Points and GPA calculated for Transfer Totals.

TRANSCRIPT TOTALS (UNDERGRADUATE) -Top-

	Attempt Hours	Passed Hours	Earned Hours	GPA Hours	Quality Points	GPA
Total Institution:	89.000	85.000	85.000	85.000	337.00	3.965
Total Transfer:	18.000	18.000	18.000	0.000	0.00	0.000
Overall:	107.000	103.000	103.000	85.000	337.00	3.965



Non-transferrable courses (technical and remedial) will still appear in the transfer tables but will not display an equivalent course.
<https://my.sc.edu/codes/transferequiv/index>

USC Columbia/Regional Carr			United States			lands Tech Coll		
Filter by:			Select Transfer Subject					
Transfer Course(s)			USC Equivalent Course(s)					
Group	Course	Title		Course	Title	Course Attribute		
THE 101		Introduction to Theatre	000000	THEA 200	Understanding & Apprec Theatre	AIU Aesthetic/Interpretive		
THE 103		Introduction to Theatre	000000	THEA 200	Understanding & Apprec Theatre	AIU Aesthetic/Interpretive		
THE 105		Fundamentals of Acting	000000	THEA 170	Fundamentals of Acting	AIU Aesthetic/Interpretive		
THE 125		Acting for the Camera	000000	THEA 001T	THE 125 Acting for the Camera			
THE 205		Intermediate Acting	000000	THEA 002T	THE 205 Intermediate Acting			
THE 220		Theatre Laboratory I	000000	THEA 001T	THE 220 Theatre Laboratory I			
THE 221		Theatre Laboratory II	000000	THEA 120	Lab Theatre Production			
THE 222		Theatre Laboratory III	000000	THEA 001T	THE 222 Theatre Laboratory III			
WLD 102		Introduction to Welding	000000					
WLD 103		Print Reading I	000000					
WLD 104		Gas Welding and Cutting	000000					



WHY DO SOME USC STUDENTS HAVE TRANSFER GPAS WHILE OTHERS DO NOT?

- The change will affect both students who are admitted starting Summer/Fall 2017 and currently enrolled students who bring in transient or study abroad work.
- Transfer work added to students' records prior to Summer 2017 will remain unchanged in order to preserve the transfer equivalencies associated with students' transfer coursework at the time the coursework was evaluated.
- A current or former student, who has transfer work on their record, may see their transfer GPA removed if they add transfer work to their record starting Summer 2017. This may occur if the student completes transient or study abroad coursework.



HOW WILL LIFE GPA BE CALCULATED MOVING FORWARD? DOESN'T THAT REQUIRE AN "OVERALL" GPA?

- Though the transfer GPA will no longer be displayed on the student record, a LIFE Scholarship GPA will be calculated automatically for all students enrolled on USC campuses through a custom calculator.
- The LIFE GPA will include transfer coursework including LIFE-eligible technical and remedial college coursework.
- The LIFE GPA will be displayed to students and advisors in Self Service Carolina and DegreeWorks.
- The LIFE GPA will be similar in nature to our current "Overall GPA"



WHAT ARE NON-DEGREE APPLICABLE COURSES?

Non-degree applicable transfer courses are courses which would not apply to any degree. Non-degree applicable courses include ...

- courses which have been evaluated by a USC campus as remedial or technical in nature;
- courses which have been taken at a non-accredited postsecondary institutions;
- or courses in which students earned below a grade of “C-“.

Military credit is evaluated on a case-by-case basis.



HOW DO I KNOW IF A TRANSFER COURSE HAS BEEN EVALUATED AS TECHNICAL, REMEDIAL, OR NON-ACCREDITED?

- Courses Evaluated as technical, remedial, or non-accredited will appear in the USC Course Equivalency Tables and no equivalency will be listed next to the course.
- USC Course Equivalency Tables can be found at:

<https://my.sc.edu/codes/transferequiv/index>

