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Oklahoma City Community College to The University of Oklahoma

TRANSFER PATHWAY

Associate in Arts in Sociology at Oklahoma City Community College to Bachelor of Arts in Criminology at the University of Oklahoma

Credit Hours: Oklahoma City Community College (62) + Credit Hours at OU (60) = 122* Total Hours**

Transfer Map Catalog Year: 2025-2026 (1 of 3 years)

Note to students: This transfer map provides a semester-by-semester guide to how an Oklahoma City Community College associate in sociology transfers to OU bachelor's criminology degree program. This transfer map is based on a full-time schedule (minimum 12 hours each fall and spring semester) and is just one example of how a student may successfully complete degree requirements for both degree programs. Taking fewer than 12 credit hours per semester will lengthen your time to complete a degree. Students should work with an Oklahoma City Community College advisor and their respective OU Transfer Admissions Counselor to ensure they are on-time and on-track for transfer.

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE – Semester One		
OCCC Course	**OU Course Equivalent**	**Credit Hours**
ENGL 1113 English Composition 1	ENGL 1113 Principles of English Comp 1	3 hours
Foreign Language I (Support course) ±	Foreign Language I (Support course)*	5 hours
SOC 1113 Intro to Sociology	SOC 1113 Intro to Sociology	3 hours
Biological Science (Core II – Natural Sciences) *Recommend taking requirement without a lab.*	Biological Science Core II – Natural Sciences	3-4 hours
SCL 1001 Success in College and Life	TRF 1999 Elective hours	1 hour
Semester Credit Hours at Oklahoma City Community College:		**15-16 hours**

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE – Semester Two		
OCCC Course	**OU Course Equivalent**	**Credit Hours**
ENGL 1213 English Composition II	ENGL 1213 Principles of English Comp II	3 hours
Foreign Language II± (Support course)*	Foreign Language II± (Support course)*	5 hours
HIST 1483 U.S. History to 1877 (Civil War) *or* HIST 1493 U.S. History 1877 to Present	HIST 1483 United States to 1865 *or* HIST 1493 United States 1865 to Present	3 hours
SOC 2023 Social Problems *General Education - Western Culture*	SOC 1523 Social Problems *Will be counted as a General Education course at OU.*	3 hours
MATH 1483 Functions and Modeling *or* MATH 1503 Contemporary Mathematics *or* MATH 2013 Introduction to Statistics	MATH 1643 Functional/Modeling *or* MATH 1473 Math for Critical Thinking *or* COMM 2513/PSY 2003/ECON 2843	3 hours
Semester Credit Hours at Oklahoma City Community College:		**17 hours**

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OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE – Semester Three±		
OCCC Course	**OU Course Equivalent**	**Credit Hours**
SOC 2063 Intro to Criminology*	SOC 3523 Criminology *OCCC's SOC 2063 will count as lower-division hours while fulfilling this OU upper-division course degree requirement.*	3 hours
GENED – General Education Elective±	GENED – General Education Elective	3 hours
PSY 1113 General Psychology *General Education – Social Science*	PSY 1113 General Psychology *General Education – Social Science*	3 hours
POLSC 1113 American Federal Government	P SC 1113 American Federal Government	3 hours
Physical Science (Core II – Natural Sciences) *Recommend taking requirement with a lab.*	Physical Science Core II – Natural Sciences	3-4 hours
Semester Credit Hours at Oklahoma City Community College:		**15–16 hours**

± OU's College of Arts & Sciences has an additional general education requirement that students demonstrate foreign language proficiency through testing *or* complete one foreign language course at the intermediate 2000-level or higher. OCCC Sociology majors should consult with their academic adviser about how best to complete OU's foreign language requirement. While the intermediate course *could* be completed at OU, 1000- and 2000-level language courses are encouraged to be taken at OCCC as general education and/or support course credit can be earned toward the completion of an OCCC Sociology degree.

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE – Semester Four		
OCCC Course	**OU Course Equivalent**	**Credit Hours**
SOC 1203 Intro to Criminal Justice*	SOC 3533 The System of Criminal Justice	3 hours
SOC 2143 Race and Ethnicity in the US*	SOC 3623 Race and Ethnicity	3 hours
GENED – General Education Elective±	GENED – General Education Elective±	3 hours
Humanities Elective (approved list)	Varies depending on selected course	3 hours
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Semester Credit Hours at Oklahoma City Community College:		**15 hours**

* Transfers to OU as lower-division sociology credit hours.

University of Oklahoma – Semester Five***	
SOC 3123 Social Statistics	3 hours
SOC Criminology Substantive Area Major Requirement**	3 hours
College of Arts & Sciences upper-division Humanities (3000-4000-level outside major)	3 hours
Free Elective (lower- or upper-division) NOTE: *OCCC hours might be considered to fulfill some lower-division elective hours.*	3 hours
Free Elective (lower- or upper-division)	3 hours
Semester Credit Hours at OU:	**15 hours**

** *Complete 12 credit hours from the criminology substantive courses list and six hours of additional major elective coursework.*

*** Students matriculating into the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education in Fall 2021 forward who do not complete an Associate of Arts or an Associate of Science degree prior to transferring to OU, will also need to complete a First Year Experience GenEd course (3 hours).

University of Oklahoma – Semester Six	
SOC 3133 Methods of Social Research	3 hours
SOC Criminology Substantive Major Requirement	3 hours
College of Arts & Sciences upper-division Humanities (3000-4000-level outside major)	3 hours
Free Elective (lower- or upper-division)	3 hours
Free Elective (upper-division)	3 hours
Semester Credit Hours at OU:	**15 hours**

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University of Oklahoma – Semester Seven	
SOC Sociology/Criminology Elective Major Requirement	3 hours
SOC Criminology Substantive Major Requirement	3 hours
Free Elective (lower- or upper-division)	3 hours
Free Elective (lower- or upper-division)	3 hours
Free Elective (upper-division)	4 hours
Semester Credit Hours at OU:	**16 hours**

University of Oklahoma – Semester Eight	
SOC 4843 Capstone in Criminology	3 hours
SOC Sociology/Criminology Elective Major Requirement	3 hours
Free Elective (upper-division)	3 hours
Free Elective (upper-division)	3 hours
Free Elective (upper-division)	3 hours
Semester Credit Hours at OU:	**15 hours**

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE Milestones and Recommended Actions:

- ❑ **Consider Summer Courses:** Summer courses at **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** can help accelerate your time to transfer and help you stay on track. Talk to your advisor about planning summer courses.

- ❑ **During or After Year One at OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE:** Consider a campus tour of OU-Norman and connect with an OU transfer admissions counselor, to ensure you are on track to transfer.

- ❑ **During Year Two at OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE:** During or right after semester three coursework, apply for admission at OU-Norman as a transfer student https://www.ou.edu/admissions/apply/transfer.

- ❑ **Final Semester at OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE:** Congratulations you are about to earn your associate degree! Be sure to apply for graduation at OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE https://onbaseweb.occc.edu/AppNet/UnityForm.aspx?key=UFKey.

- ❑ **Transcripts:** After your final semester, submit an official **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** transcript to OU with all grades earned posted https://www.TRANSFER INSTITUTION.edu/records/transcripts/. Make sure OU has a final transcript from all institutions where you have received college-level credit. Learn more about how to submit your final transcript to our Registrar's Office.

- ❑ **Reverse Transfer:** Students who transfer to a university before completing an associate degree and who have earned at least 15 credit hours from **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** may be eligible to complete their **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** degree through Reverse Transfer. Email OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE Graduation Services to see if you qualify for a degree through the Reverse Transfer program.

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University of Oklahoma Academic Notes and Information:

- Students must complete a minimum of 60 hours at OU to earn a bachelor's degree. This is an Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education policy (p. 76).
- Students must complete a minimum of 30 hours at OU, fifteen hours must be upper-division (3000-& 4000-level) major courses. This is an Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education policy (p. 76).
- The General Education category of Humanities is defined as any course selected from Understanding Artistic Forms, Western Civilization or World Culture. Students must complete at least 3 hours of an approved Artistic form, 6 hours Western Culture in which 3 hours must be either HIST 1483 or HIST 1493, and 3 hours of World Culture - for a total of 12 credit hours.
- At least one General Education category course must be at the upper-division level (3000 or 4000 level) and outside a student's major.
- A Natural Science that qualifies as physical science includes those courses from one of the following departments: AGSC, ASTR, CHEM, GEOG, GEOL, GPHY, METR, or PHYS; Biological Science departments: BIOL and HES.
- Some OU courses are only offered once per year.

OU College Specific Program Notes and Information:

- The College of Arts & Sciences requires 6 hours of upper-division General Education humanities outside of the major department and in addition to the Core IV requirement.
- College of Arts & Sciences Foreign Language Requirement:
  a) Students must complete a minimum of one course at the intermediate/2000+ level in any foreign language. This requirement is waived for students who successfully complete a language skills assessment (FLRA). Students who have not completed this requirement may petition to have the requirement waived if they have completed at least 12 credit hours in a single foreign language. CLEP credit is also a possibility to receive at least 12 credit hours in a single foreign language. Otherwise, students must meet the requirement with either a combination of **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** and OU coursework or entirely at OCCC or OU.
  b) The following **OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY COLLEGE** course sequences will meet the OU CAS 0-13 hour requirement for foreign language:
     i. French: FR 1115, 1225, & 2113
     ii. Spanish: SPAN 1115, 1225, & 2113
     iii. German: GERM 1115, 1225 & 2113
     iv. Additional languages are available.
        i. Modern Languages https://www.ou.edu/cas/modlang
        ii. Native American Languages https://www.ou.edu/cas/nas/native-american-language-program
        iii. Ancient Languages https://www.ou.edu/cas/classicsandletters/programs/classics

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c) Students may use the CLEP exam to meet this requirement. To do so, the student must take the national CLEP exam for specific subject credit and pass with a minimum score. Read more about minimum scores required for credit, the equivalent OU course(s), and number of semester hours awarded.

ALL TRANSFER STUDENTS

Students are responsible for understanding transfer admission requirements for OU and completing requirements in the official degree sheets for their selected associate and bachelor's degrees. Transferring students can refer to OU's Course Catalog for specific degree and program information as well as the Transfer Database for specific course information. Students matriculating into the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education in Fall 2021 forward who do not complete an Associate of Arts or an Associate of Science degree prior to transferring to OU, will also need to complete a First Year Experience GenEd course.

Learn More About Programs in this Transfer Pathway

Oklahoma City Community College – Associate in Sociology
https://www.occc.edu/degree-programs/social-sciences/sociology-aa/

University of Oklahoma – Bachelors of Criminology
https://ou-public.courseleaf.com/dodge-arts-sciences/sociology/sociology-criminology-option-bachelor-arts/

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