



STATEMENT OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN
THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA AND VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

Effective Date: August 16, 2016

Statement of Intent: The purpose of this agreement is to facilitate the transfer of graduates of Vincennes University who earn an Associate of Science (Transfer) or Associate of Arts to the baccalaureate programs at the University of Southern Indiana.

Principles Upon Which Articulation is Based: This agreement, which is between Vincennes University and the University of Southern Indiana, provides a written record of a continuing relationship centered on a mutually beneficial commitment to serving students.

The University of Southern Indiana recognizes for transfer Vincennes University's University Core Curriculum models for the Associate of Arts and the Associate of Science (Transfer) degrees as outlined in the 2015-2016 VU Catalog. The specific details of the articulation between Vincennes University and the University of Southern Indiana are described in this agreement.

It is the intention of both parties to extend articulation agreements at the program level. It is understood that these agreements may involve Vincennes University and/or its individual campuses as appropriate.

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Dr. Linda L.M. Bennett, President
University of Southern Indiana

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Dr. Charles Johnson
Vincennes University

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Dr. Ronald S. Rochon, Provost
University of Southern Indiana

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Dr. Laurel Smith
Vincennes University



The University Core Curriculum

Policies for Articulating General Education Programs with Vincennes University

Effective Date: August 16, 2016

VINCENNES UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE-TRANSFER TO USI'S BACHELOR OF SCIENCE OPTION

Vincennes University students who complete the Associate of Science-Transfer University Core Curriculum requirements will satisfy USI's Core 39 requirements for the Bachelor of Science option with the following exceptions:

1. Foundation Skills: Physical Activity and Wellness requirement [1 credit hour]
2. Bachelor of Science Track: Natural Science requirement [3 credit hours]
3. Bachelor of Science Track: Social Science requirement [3 credit hours]
4. Bachelor of Science Track: World Language and Culture requirement [3 credit hours]
5. Embedded Experiences: Global course requirement [3 credit hours]
6. Embedded Experiences: Diversity course requirement [3 credit hours]
7. Embedded Experiences: Writing Intensive courses at the 200+ and 300+ level [6 credit hours]

VINCENNES UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE-TRANSFER TO USI'S BACHELOR OF ARTS OPTION

Vincennes University students who complete the Associate of Science-Transfer University Core Curriculum requirements will satisfy USI's Core 39 requirements for the Bachelor of Arts option with the following exceptions:

1. Foundation Skills: Physical Activity and Wellness requirement [1 credit hour]
2. Embedded Experiences: Global course requirement [3 credit hours]
3. Embedded Experiences: Writing Intensive courses at the 200+ and 300+ level [6 credit hours]
4. World Languages requirement [12 credit hours]

The World Languages requirement can be completed either on the community college campuses (with appropriately articulated courses) or at the University of Southern Indiana. Students earning a BA at USI must successfully complete a four-course sequence in the same language through Language 204 or higher. The VU equivalent would be a four-course language sequence through Language 203 [FRE 203, SPA 203, or GRMN 203]. Students who complete three hours of a world language will meet USI's Diversity Embedded Experience requirement.

VINCENNES ASSOCIATE OF ARTS TO USI'S BACHELOR OF SCIENCE OPTION

Vincennes University students who complete the Associate of Arts University Core Curriculum requirements will satisfy USI's Core 39 requirements for the Bachelor of Science option with the following exceptions:

1. Foundation Skills: Physical Activity and Wellness requirement [1 credit hour]
2. Bachelor of Science Track: Natural Science requirement [3 hours]



3. Embedded Experiences: Global course requirement [3 hours]
4. Embedded Experiences: Writing Intensive courses at the 200+ and 300+ level [6 credit hours]

VINCENNES ASSOCIATE OF ARTS TO USI'S BACHELOR OF ARTS OPTION

Vincennes University students who complete the Associate of Arts University Core Curriculum requirements will satisfy USI's Core 39 requirements for the Bachelor of Arts option with the following exceptions:

1. Foundation Skills: Physical Activity and Wellness requirement [1 credit hour]
2. Embedded Experiences: Global course requirement [3 credit hours]
3. Embedded Experiences: Writing Intensive courses at the 200+ and 300+ level [6 credit hours]
4. World Languages requirement [6 credit hours]

The World Languages requirement can be completed either on the community college campuses (with appropriately articulated courses) or at the University of Southern Indiana. Students earning a BA at USI must successfully complete a four-course sequence in the same language through Language 204 or higher. The VU equivalent would be a four-course language sequence through Language 203 [FRE 203, SPA 203, or GRMN 203]. Students who complete three hours of a world language will meet USI's Diversity Embedded Experience requirement.

ADDITIONAL POLICIES FOR TRANSFER STUDENTS FROM VINCENNES UNIVERSITY

1. This articulation agreement applies to the University of Southern Indiana's Core 39 general education curriculum which went into effect in Fall 2014.
2. The effective date for this agreement is August 16, 2016. The agreement will be reviewed in five years (i.e., the 2021 Spring Semester).
3. Vincennes University students who transfer to USI may transfer an unlimited number of credit hours from the community college but must meet the minimum residence, core requirements, upper division requirements and other degree requirements in effect at the University to receive a degree.
4. Program-specific course requirements found within Core 39 must be satisfied to complete the program.
5. Vincennes University students must complete one of the following articulated courses to receive credit for USI's foundational mathematics requirement: MATH 102, MATH 103, MATH 115, or MATH 118.
6. Vincennes University students will need to complete the equivalent of USI's KIN 192 or KIN 281 to fulfill the University's Physical Activity and Wellness requirement.
7. All students must complete six hours of writing intensive embedded experiences. The 200-level writing intensive course may be completed on either the community college campus (with an appropriately articulated course from VU's list of designated writing/reading intensive courses) or at USI. The 300+ writing intensive course must be taken at USI or at another four-year institution.
8. All students must complete a three credit hour global embedded experience and a three credit hour diversity embedded experience. Vincennes University students who complete their foreign language requirement for the Associate of Arts degree will receive credit for the diversity embedded experience.
9. For the following similar courses, students can receive Core 39 credit for only one of the two courses: CHEM 103 or CHEM 107; and GEOL 151 or GEOL 161.

CORE CURRICULUM CHECKSHEET: VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER TO USI BACHELOR OF SCIENCE TRACK

VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER COURSES	HOURS	USI FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 101	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 1
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 112 <u>or</u> ENGL 102	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 2
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 102, MATH 103, MATH 115, <u>or</u> MATH 118	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: MATHEMATICS
<input type="checkbox"/> COMM 143 <u>or</u> COMM 148	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMMUNICATION
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	12	

VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER COURSES	HOURS	USI WOK AND BS TRACK REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> LAB SCIENCE (3 +1L HOUR)	4	USI BS TRACK: NSL REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL SCIENCE	3	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI <u>or</u> HI)
<input type="checkbox"/> HUMANITIES	3	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (WLC <u>or</u> CAE)
<input type="checkbox"/> A.S. GEN ED ELECTIVES (SS/MATH/SCIENCE/HUM/WRITING)	8	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI/SMI/MER)
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	18	

ADDITIONAL COURSES TO FULFILL USI'S CORE 39 REQUIREMENTS		
<input type="checkbox"/> USI BS TRACK: NATURAL SCIENCE	3	USI BS TRACK: NS REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI BS TRACK: SOCIAL SCIENCE	3	USI BS TRACK: SS REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI BS TRACK: WORLD LANG AND CULTURE	3	USI BS TRACK: WLS REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: KIN 192 <u>or</u> USI 281	1	USI FOUNDATIONS: PAW REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: GLOBAL EE COURSE	3	USI: GLOBAL EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: DIVERSITY EE COURSE	3	USI: DIVERSITY EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: WI, 200+ <u>and</u> 300+ LEVEL	6	USI: WI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
TOTAL HOURS TO COMPLETE CORE 39	22	

For the following similar courses, students can receive Core 39 credit for only one of the two courses: CHEM 103 or CHEM 107; AND GEOL 151 or GEOL 161.

Students may complete their 200+ level writing intensive experience at Vincennes University by successfully completing one of VU's designated writing/reading intensive (WR) courses at the 200+ level.



CORE CURRICULUM CHECKSHEET: VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER TO USI BACHELOR OF ARTS TRACK

VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER COURSES	HOURS	USI FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 101	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 1
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 112 <u>or</u> ENGL 102	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 2
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 102, MATH 103, MATH 115, <u>or</u> MATH 118	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: MATHEMATICS
<input type="checkbox"/> COMM 143 <u>or</u> COMM 148	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMMUNICATION
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	12	

VINCENNES AS-TRANSFER COURSES	HOURS	USI WOK AND BA TRACK REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> LAB SCIENCE (3 + 1L HOUR)	4	USI BA TRACK: NSL REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL SCIENCE	3	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI <u>or</u> HI)
<input type="checkbox"/> HUMANITIES	3	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (WLC <u>or</u> CAE)
<input type="checkbox"/> A.S. GEN ED ELECTIVES (SS/MATH/SCIENCE/HUM/WRITING)	8	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI/SMI/MER) USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI/SMI/MER)
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	18	

ADDITIONAL COURSES TO FULFILL USI'S CORE 39 REQUIREMENTS		
<input type="checkbox"/> 12 HOURS FOREIGN LANGUAGE	12	USI BA TRACK: LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: KIN 192 <u>or</u> USI 281	1	USI FOUNDATIONS: PAW REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: GLOBAL EE COURSE	3	USI: GLOBAL EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: DIVERSITY EE COURSE	0	EARNED WITH FOREIGN LANGUAGE COURSE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: WI, 200+ <u>and</u> 300+ LEVEL	6	USI: WI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
TOTAL HOURS TO COMPLETE CORE 39	22	

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CORE CURRICULUM CHECKSHEET: VINCENNES AA TO USI BACHELOR OF SCIENCE TRACK

VINCENNES AA COURSES	HOURS	USI FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 101	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 1
<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 112 <u>or</u> ENGL 102	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 2
<input type="checkbox"/> MATH 102, MATH 103, MATH 115, <u>or</u> MATH 118	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: MATHEMATICS
<input type="checkbox"/> COMM 143 <u>or</u> COMM 148	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMMUNICATION
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	12	

VINCENNES AA COURSES	HOURS	USI WOK AND BS TRACK REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> LAB SCIENCE (3 + 1L HOUR)	4	USI BS TRACK: NSL REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL SCIENCE	6	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI) USI BS TRACK: SS REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> HUMANITIES	6	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (CAE) USI WOK REQUIREMENT (MER)
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN LANGUAGE	8	USI BS TRACK: WLS REQUIREMENT USI WOK REQUIREMENT (WLC) USI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE: DIVERSITY
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	24	INCLUDES ELECTIVE CREDIT

ADDITIONAL COURSES TO FULFILL USI'S CORE 39 REQUIREMENTS		
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: KIN 192 <u>or</u> USI 281	1	USI FOUNDATIONS: PAW REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: NATURAL SCIENCE COURSE	3	USI BS TRACK: NS REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: WI, 200+ <u>and</u> 300+ LEVEL	6	USI: WI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: GLOBAL EE COURSE	3	USI: GLOBAL EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
TOTAL HOURS TO COMPLETE CORE 39	13	

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<input type="checkbox"/> ENGL 101	3	USI FOUNDATIONS: COMPOSITION 1
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TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	12	

VINCENNES AA COURSES	HOURS	USI WOK AND BA TRACK REQUIREMENTS
<input type="checkbox"/> LAB SCIENCE (3 + 1L HOUR)	4	USI BA TRACK: NSL REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> SOCIAL SCIENCE [TAKE ONE SOCIAL SCIENCE & ONE HISTORY]	6	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (SI) USI WOK REQUIREMENT (HI)
<input type="checkbox"/> HUMANITIES [ASSUMES 10-LEVEL LANGUAGE COURSE]	6	USI WOK REQUIREMENT (CAE) USI WOK REQUIREMENT (WLC)
<input type="checkbox"/> FOREIGN LANGUAGE	8	USI BA TRACK: LANGUAGE 1 & 2 USI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE: DIVERSITY
TOTAL HOURS FROM VINCENNES	24	

ADDITIONAL COURSES TO FULFILL USI'S CORE 39 REQUIREMENTS		
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: KIN 192 <u>or</u> USI 281	1	USI FOUNDATIONS: PAW REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: FOREIGN LANGUAGE, 200-LEVEL	6-8	USI BA TRACK: LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT
<input type="checkbox"/> USI OR VU: WI, 200+ <u>and</u> 300+ LEVEL	6	USI: WI EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
<input type="checkbox"/> USI: GLOBAL EE COURSE	3	USI: GLOBAL EMBEDDED EXPERIENCE
TOTAL HOURS TO COMPLETE CORE 39	16-18	

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