

Transfer Guide between Mohave Community College and Grand Canyon University



Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts– Bachelor of Arts in Government with an Emphasis in State and Public Policy

General Education requirements, excluding University Foundations and Christian Worldview, will be considered fulfilled in the event a student has completed one of the following Associate degrees:

- Associate of Arts (AA)
- Associate of Science (AS)
- Associate in Business (ABUS)
- Associate General Education Curriculum (AGEC – A, B or S)

In the event a student has not earned one of the aforementioned Associate level degrees, all general education coursework will be required to complete GCU's Baccalaureate degree.

The following table outlines the requirements needed to receive an Associate in Arts in Liberal Arts from Mohave Community College. Within the tables below are preferred courses from Mohave Community College that are applicable towards Grand Canyon University's transfer-oriented Bachelor of Arts degree programs. The General Education courses outlined below are not course to course equivalencies, however they will fulfill the requirements for each competency. If the General Education GCU course has a (+) symbol, it indicates that the transferring course must be a direct course equivalency. All Program Major Transferrable Courses must be a direct course equivalency.

Mohave Community College– Associate of Arts (AA) in Liberal Arts	Credits	Grand Canyon University – Bachelor of Arts in Government with an Emphasis in State and Public Policy	GCU Applied Semester Credits
General Education Requirements			
Effective Communication (13 - 16 Credits)			
ENG-101: English Composition I	3	+ ENG-105: English Composition	3
ENG-102: English Composition II	3	ENG-106: English Composition II	3
		UNV-104: 21 st Century Skills: Communication and Information Literacy	
		ENG-240: Writing for the 21st Century Workplace	
Critical Thinking (3 - 4 Credits)			
MAT-142: College Mathematics	3	+ MAT-144: College Mathematics	3
Physical and Biological Sciences	8	Elective Credit	8
Global Awareness (10 - 12 Credits)			
Arts and Humanities	6	PSY-102: General Psychology	6
Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	SOC-100: Everyday Sociology	3
Social and Behavioral Sciences	3	INT-244: World Religions	3

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Additional Mohave Community College Requirements			
General Education Electives – Choose 2 courses to reach 35 General Education credits	6	Elective Credit	6
Elective Credits – Choose 27 transferrable courses in order to reach 62 credits for degree completion	27	Select a minimum of 27 credits (to optimize transfer to GCU major, reference “Program Major” table for applicable coursework)	27
Bachelor of Arts in Government with an Emphasis in State and Public Policy: Program Major Transferrable Courses			
POS-120: American National Government	3	GOV-140: American Government and Politics	3
Credits completed at Mohave Community College may exceed 60 if students choose to take all courses listed above.			
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts at Mohave Community College			62 Credits

All students must meet 36 Upper Division credit requirement, as well as 30 GCU credits to meet residency requirement. Students must meet Upper Division credit requirement even if content of an Upper Division course requirement is met with a Lower Division course.

Symbol Key	
+	Symbol indicates the Mohave Community College course must meet specific content requirements (or higher) in order to fulfill GCU’s course.
^	Symbol indicates the Mohave Community College course meets the content requirement but does not fulfill GCU’s upper division requirements.

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Course #	Bachelor of Arts	Semester Credits
Non-transferable GCU General Education: 8 Credits		
UNV-303	University Success	4
CWV-301	Christian Worldview	4
Bachelor of Arts in Government with an Emphasis in State and Public Policy: Program Major		
GOV-210	Introduction to Comparative Government and International Politics	4
GOV-378	American Constitution	4
GOV-366	State and Local Government	4
GOV-358	Research Methods in Government and Politics	4
GOV-364	Public Policy Analysis	4
GOV-307	Introduction to Political Theory	4
GOV-376	Municipal Government and Administration	4
GOV-351	Public Administration	4
GOV-467	Special Topics in Federal-State-Local Relations	4
GOV-459	Government Capstone	4
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete an Associate of Arts in Liberal Arts – Mohave Community College		62 Credits
Credits Completed at Grand Canyon University		58 Credits
Credits completed at Grand Canyon University may fluctuate contingent upon coursework successfully completed at the transferring institution. Courses are not listed twice on the transfer guide, so any courses not completed at the transferring institution will still be required as part of the GCU program. Students are required to complete a minimum of 120 credits to earn the Bachelor of Arts degree. If the student completes additional courses at the transferring institution, credits may not apply to their GCU program.		
Remaining open elective credits needed to earn Bachelor of Arts degree at Grand Canyon University varies based on program major requirements.		
Total Credit Hours Needed to Complete Bachelor of Arts in Government with an Emphasis in State and Public Policy at Grand Canyon University		120 Credits

For additional graduation requirements, please see the <https://www.gcu.edu/sites/default/files/media/Documents/Academic-Catalog/University-Policy-Handbook.pdf>. Students with transfer credit that applies to this program will shorten the time to completion from that stated on this transfer guide. Please contact your Counselor for more information. <https://www.gcu.edu/sites/default/files/media/Documents/Academic-Catalog/University-Policy-Handbook.pdf>

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