Transfer Guide
Elgin Community College to Wheaton College

This document is intended to help students who begin at Elgin Community College choose courses that will meet Wheaton College requirements.

**Core Competencies**

- **Foreign Language** - Wheaton College requires completion through the Intermediate Level to meet competency. (We do have competency exams for students who are proficient in another language.) Foreign Language courses must be taken in person—not online.

- **Oral Skills** - CMS 102 or 216. Oral Communication courses must be taken in person—not online.

- **Writing** - ENG 101 and 102. Both courses are required to fully meet Wheaton’s Writing competency.

**Thematic Core**

A maximum of 4 themes can be met with transfer credit. Courses on the list beyond 4 themes would come in as elective credit. (Transfers with 60+ credits transfers may bring in 6 Themes.)

- **AAQR (Math)** - MTH 190 if Calculus is needed for your intended major, otherwise MTH 102, MTH 125 or MTH 126.

- **Scientific Practice (Lab Sciences)** - BIO 110, CHM 112, GLY 112 or PHY 101

If majoring in Biology, Chemistry or Applied Health Science, take BIO 113 & 114 and CHM 142 & 143. We do not recommend taking Anatomy & Physiology courses because they will not meet the requirement for the major at Wheaton. Engineering & Physics majors should take PHY 211-213. Must be taken with a 3 hour per week, in-person lab.

- **Literary Explorations** - LIT 201, 2020, 2013, 2015, 210 216, 217

- **Visual & Performing Arts** - ART 115 and MUS 100 or 105 (need an ART and a MUS to complete the theme)

- **Historical Perspectives** - HIST 115, 116, 120 or 121

- **Philosophical Investigations** - HUM 110

- **Social Inquiry** - ATR 120 or 220, ECN 201, POS 150, PSY 100 or SOC 100

**Major Courses**

Round out your schedule with entry level courses in a major you are interested in pursuing. Wheaton College requires a certain number of courses in the major be taken at Wheaton, so it is best not to take a large number of major courses.

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*Please consult the Wheaton College Catalog online for information on Christ at the Core General Education Program and Major requirements at [www.wheaton.edu/catalog](http://www.wheaton.edu/catalog).*

*For specific questions, please e-mail the Academic Advising Office at academic.advising@wheaton.edu.*