

MEDICAL LAB SCIENCE TRANSFER GUIDE 2024-25

Eastern Mennonite University Bachelor of Science in Medical Lab Science
Associate of Arts and Sciences Degree - College Transfer Program



COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Complete at VCCS					Complete at EMU		
BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		SATISFIED BY			BACHELOR'S DEGREE REQUIREMENT		
Course	Credits	Gen Ed*	CC Course	Notes	Course	Credits	Notes
Non-transferable	1-2		SDV 100 College Success Skills or 101 Orientation		Core: Bible, Religion and Theology course	3	
Core: WRIT 125	3	PUA	ENG 111 College Comp I		Core: Intercultural Social Science	3	
Core: WRIT 135	3	UA	ENG 112 College Comp II		Core: Language Learning	3	
Core: Creative Arts	3	PUA	Any UCGS Art or Humanities		CORE 301 Transfer Portfolio	1	
Core: Literature	3	UA	Any UCGS Literature	This course must come from a different group than prior requirement	CORE 402 Senior Portfolio	1	
Core: History	3	PUA	Any UCGS History		BIOL 307	3	Immunology
Core: Natural Science	4	PUA	BIO 101	AP 3, BIOL 155, AP 4 one course from BIOL 215, BIOL 235, or BIOL 240, AP 5 two courses from BIOL 215, BIOL 235, or BIOL 240 *Labs should be taken on campus	CHEM 315 or BIOCH 152	2-4	Organic Chemistry or Human Biochemistry
Core: Technology Intensive	3	PUA	MTH 245 Statistics	Fulfills CLS Requirement: STAT 220	CHEM 325 Analytical Chemistry I (2) OR *CHEM 345 Analytical Chemistry II (2)	2	
Core: WRIT 160	3	UA	CST 100 Public Speaking, or CST 110 Intro to Communication		Sufficient CHEM and Biology to reach 16H in both		~2 Bio and 2-4 Chemistry
Core: Quantitative Reasoning	3-5		MTH 154 Quantitative Reasoning, 161/162 Precalc I/II, 167 Precalc with Trig		Completion of the clinical program (usually one year) in an approved school of clinical laboratory science/medical technology. In this program the student completes three years of study (a minimum of 90 SH) and a fourth year at the school of clinical laboratory science/medical technology		

Complete at VCCS (cont'd)					Complete at EMU (cont'd)		
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Major Specific: BIOL 215, 235 or 240	4		BIO 102	Students who have taken BIO 101 & 102 will earn credit for two courses from BIOL 215, BIOL 235, or BIOL 240 *Labs should be taken on campus			
Major Specific :BIOL 205 Microbiology	4		BIO 205	*Labs should be taken on campus			
Major Specific: CHEM 223: General Chemistry I	4		CHM 111	*Labs should be taken on campus			
Major Specific: CHEM 224, General Chemsitry II	4		CHM 112	*Labs should be taken on campus			

* **A** = Completion of the Associate Degree satisfies this General Education requirement. **U** = This course satisfies a Uniform Certificate of General Studies requirement. **P** = This course satisfies a Passport requirement.

TRANSFER GUIDANCE

Guaranteed Admission Agreement

Students who complete the prescribed curriculum and meet the criteria below are guaranteed admission into Eastern Mennonite University. (This agreement does not guarantee your enrollment in any specific major. See available Guaranteed Program Admission Agreements for details about majors.)

- Earn a transferable associate degree
- Earn a minimum of 2.5 or higher cumulative GPA
- Earn a grade of C or higher in each VCCS course applicable to the transfer-oriented associate degree program
- Students should apply to transfer to EMU, which serves as their registration of intent to utilize the GAA
- Upon graduation, submit an official transcript showing completion of associate degree to the EMU Admissions

Please visit the TransferVirginia.org portal to find course requirements for different majors and **Transfer Guides** that outline course requirements for specific majors.

IMPORTANT LINKS & DATES:

- **University transfer center:** <https://emu.edu/transfer>
- **Admission Application (rolling admissions):** <https://emu.edu/apply>
- **Financial aid:** <https://emu.edu/financial-aid/transfer>
- **FAFSA - Free Application for Federal Student Aid:** <https://studentaid.gov/>

WHAT SHOULD I CONSIDER WHEN SELECTING COURSES?

- Create a schedule for all required courses, pay attention to prerequisites and when courses are offered, and complete your first math and English courses in your first year. For help, see Transfer Steps and Resource Center at www.TransferVirginia.org.
- Connect with an advisor at your community college and EMU in your first year. College Connect is available in your account at www.TransferVirginia.org.

WHICH MAJORS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ME THROUGH THIS GAA?

Acceptance is required into competitive programs in addition to acceptance to EMU. To participate in this admission agreement, please follow all special program application procedures, deadlines, and grade point average requirements.

IS THIS COLLEGE RIGHT FOR ME?

- **EMU at a glance:** EMU is a smaller private liberal arts university located in Harrisonburg, VA, NCAA Division III.
- **Cost and value:** EMU averages financial aid based on family income. Learn more at <https://emu.edu/financial-aid/prospective/>.
- **Stellar outcomes:** View alumni outcomes and student demographic statistics at <https://emu.edu/about/facts/>.
- **You matter:** When you choose to join the EMU story, you become a part of an inclusive and equitable community of learners who are connected, accepted, valued and respected. EMU will prepare you for a career and develop, mentor, support and challenge you to make the world a better place.
- **Learn more:** www.TransferVirginia.org.

WHAT RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE TO HELP ME SELECT A MAJOR?

- Explore EMU's majors and minors: <https://emu.edu/academics/degree-programs>
- Reach out to your EMU admissions counselor: <https://emu.edu/admissions/counselors/>
- Learn more about career pathways: www.TransferVirginia.org

OTHER THINGS TO CONSIDER:

- Completing your associate transfer degree after high school satisfies all lower division general education requirements and increases the chance of completing your bachelor's degree.
- Exceeding three years or 90 credits at your community college means you may have exhausted your financial aid at that college and have limited your future financial aid at EMU.

WHAT ARE MY CHANCES FOR GETTING ACCEPTED?

If you apply through the general application instead of through the GAA, you will be considered for admission with all other transfer applicants.

EMU evaluates transfer applicants based on satisfactory academic progress criteria. We encourage all students to apply to receive a personalized holistic application review process.

