

**Program to Program Articulation**

**Westmoreland County Community College Associate in Liberal Arts  
Penn State Baccalaureate in Communications**

The evaluation of prior college courses not appearing below is done on an individual basis by the Penn State Admissions Office. Students should work closely with their academic adviser at WCCC and with the Penn State Admission office when scheduling courses.

*Program delivered at Penn State Brandywine and New Kensington*

WCCC Associate in Liberal Arts (A.A.) <a href="https://westmoreland.edu/academics/programs/22-23-catalog-pages/liberal-arts-aa-may2022.pdf">https://westmoreland.edu/academics/programs/22-23-catalog-pages/liberal-arts-aa-may2022.pdf</a>	Penn State Communications B.A. (COMUC_BA) <a href="https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/colleges/university-college/communications-ba/">https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/colleges/university-college/communications-ba/</a>
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Requirement	Course	Credits	Requirement	Course	Credits	Direct or Substitution
College Writing	ENG 161	3	Writing & Speaking (GWS)	ENGL 15 (GWS)	3	Direct
Advanced Composition	ENG 164	3	General Education Humanities (GHA)	ENGL XFRGH	3	Direct
Tech Literacy Elective - Recommended	CPT 150 or BUS 145	3	Elective	CMPSC 100 or BA XFR100	3	Direct
Math Elective- Recommended: College Algebra	MTH 157	3	Quantification General Education (GQ)	MATH XFR22P	3	Direct
Effective Speech	SPC 155	3	Writing & Speaking (GWS)	CAS 100 (GWS)	3	Direct
Humanities Electives (recommended)	Choose one from:	3	Humanities General Education (GH)		3	

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	ENG 225			ENGL (GH)	3	Direct
	ENG 240			ENGL 191 (GH)	3	Direct
	ENG 255			ENGL 101 (GH)	3	Direct
	ENG 270			ENGL 221 (GH;IL)	3	Direct
	PHL 155			PHIL 10 (GH)	3	Direct
	PHL 160			PHIL 1 (GH)	3	Direct
	PHL 161			PHIL 3 (GH)	3	Direct
	REL 171			RL ST 3 (GH; IL)	3	Direct
Natural Science Electives and/or Foreign Language	Choose one or two from:	8	Natural Science General Education (GN). Extra credits will apply to Electives		8	
	BIO 155			BIOL XFRGEN	4	Substitution
	BIO 156			BIOL 230W (GN)	4	Direct
	CHM 150/151			CHEM XFRGN (GN)	3 +1	Direct
	EPS 150			ASTRO 001 & ASTRO XFRGEN	3+1	Direct
	EPS 163			GEOSC 20 & GEOSC XFRGN0	3+1	Direct
	GEO 160			GEOG 210 (GN) & GEOG XFR200	3+1	Direct
	CHM 107			CHEM 101 (GN) & CHEM XFRGN	3+1	Direct
	If only one was selected above, select one from appropriate level of foreign language		B.A. Foreign Language. Completion of this requirement occurs when the student completes the 003 level of proficiency in a language	Select from appropriate foreign language course.		Direct or Substitution, depending on course

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Social Science Electives	Choose three from:	9	Social & Behavioral Sciences General Education (GS). Extra credits will apply to Electives		6	
	ECN 255		PR/Marketing Option	ECON 104 (GS)	3	Direct
	ECN 256		PR/Marketing Option	ECON 102 (GS)	3	Direct
	POL 155			PLSC 1 (GS)	3	Direct
	POL 256			PLSC 14 (GS; IL)	3	Direct
	SOC 155			SOC 1 (GS)	3	Direct
	SOC 161			SOC 30 (GS)	3	Direct
	PSY 260			PSYCH 221 (GS)	3	Direct
	PSY 161			SOCW 290 (GS)	3	Direct
	PSY 160			PSYCH 100 (GS)	3	Direct
General Electives	SPC 156	3	Digital Journalism Option or Strategic Communication Track	CAS 203 (GS)	3	Direct
General Electives		3	Refer to General Education Transfer Tables		3	
General Electives	VPP 110	3	Major prescribed course sub for COMM 100 and US requirement	COMM XFRSU1	3	Substitution
General Electives	Select two from:	6	Arts General Education (GA)	Select two from:	6	
	ART 155			ART H 100 (GA, IL)	3	Direct
	ART 162			ART 20 (GA)	3	Direct
	ART 165			ART 50 (GA)	3	Direct
	ENG 165			ENGL 50 (GA)	3	Direct
	VPP 160			PHOTO GA1	3	Direct
	MUS 155			MUSIC 5 (GA)	3	Direct
General Elective	Choose from:	3	General Education Health & Wellness (GHW)		3	

Requirement	Course	Credits	Requirement	Course	Credits	Direct or Substitution
	FSM 159			NUTR 100 (GHW)	3	Direct
	HPE 156			KINES XFRGHA		Substitution
General Elective		3			3	Direct or Substitution, depending on course
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*Penn State requires three credits of International Cultures (IL) and three credits of United States Cultures (US). The two courses that fulfill the IL and US requirements can also be used to fulfill General Education Arts, Humanities or Social Science requirements.*

*Penn State requires two units in a single world language other than English. A student may be admitted with fewer than two units in a world language other than English, but must correct this deficiency by the time s/he earns 60 credits or graduates from Penn State, whichever comes first. This deficiency may be corrected by passing one three- or four-credit college level world language course or by demonstrating proficiency equivalent to two units of high school world language study.*