

# Ohio University Philosophy Bachelor of Arts

Effective beginning Academic Year 2023-24 (Last revised October 12, 2023)

The following table outlines how transfer credits will be applied to the Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy degree at Ohio University for students who completed an Associate of Arts degree via the Ohio Guaranteed Philosophy Transfer Pathway. The OGTP designation guarantees the transfer and applicability of credits, but does not guarantee admission to a program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive, and students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

COURSE EQUIVALENCIES FROM THE ASSOCIATE DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS/OHIO TRANSFER 36		
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved First Writing (TME001) course	ENG 1510	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Mathematics course [Recommended: Quantitative Reasoning (TMM011)]	MATH 1060	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Humanities related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Arts and Humanities course (Recommended: Arts related)	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Social and Behavioral Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Natural Sciences course with lab	Ohio Transfer 36 Elective*	3-4
Any Ohio Transfer 36 approved Second Writing (TME002) course	ENG 2800	3
Up to 9 additional hours of Ohio Transfer 36 approved courses <sup>2</sup>	Ohio Transfer 36 Electives*	9
PRE-MAJOR/BEGINNING MAJOR		
Introduction to Philosophy (OAH045)	PHIL 1010	3
Introduction to Ethics (OAH046)	PHIL 1300	3
Introduction to Logic (OAH061) or Critical Thinking (OAH060)	PHIL 1200¹ (to be submitted)	3
OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS		
Foreign Language	Varies*	6-8
Electives <sup>2</sup>	Varies*	11-13
TOTAL HOURS FROM ASSOCIATE DEGREE:3		

### **Advising Notes:**

<sup>(\*)</sup> Indicates that coursework will be evaluated for applicable equivalency upon transfer at the university. If a Transfer Assurance Guide (TAG) course is taken, the approved course equivalency will be awarded.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "To be submitted" indicates that the course does not currently carry the statewide course equivalency guarantee. However, the institution is working towards this goal and will act in good faith to ensure the appropriate equivalency is given that counts toward the degree.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>OHIO recommends students complete an Ohio Transfer 36 approved TMOC Oral Communication course, which would be equivalent to COMS 1030. Additional general education coursework will be required if not completed as part of the associate degree program.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Students who complete the minimum requirements of the Ohio Transfer 36, as included within the above pathway, prior to enrollment in a degree-seeking program at Ohio University will receive transfer credit equivalent to fulfilling Ohio University's BRICKS general education requirements in Foundations (excluding the Advanced Writing component, which requires completion of TME 002 Second Writing), Pillars, and Arches.



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The following additional coursework will be required to complete the Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy degree at Ohio University after a student has completed their Associate of Arts Ohio Guaranteed Philosophy Transfer Pathway degree. Ohio University also offers majors in Philosophy Pre-Law and Philosophy Pre-Theology. If students are interested in either of these options, they should consult with their Ohio University advisor early on during their associate degree program. Some bachelor-degree granting programs may be competitive and admission into the program is not guaranteed. Students should check with individual institutions for their program admission requirements.

REMAINING COURSE	WORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Course Number	Credit Hours
Major Requirements:	History of Western Philosophy: Ancient	PHIL 3100	3
Major Requirements:	History of Western Philosophy: Modern	PHIL 3120	3
Major Requirements:	Symbolic Logic	PHIL 3200	3
Major Requirements:	Philosophy Courses at the 4000-level	PHIL 4XXX	9
Major Requirements:	Philosophy Elective Courses	Varies	3
Major Requirements:	Senior Seminar	PHIL 4901	3
College Requirements:	Intermediate Foreign Language Sequence (up to 2120 level) <sup>1</sup>	Varies	6
General Education:	Fundamentals of Public Speaking (satisifies Bridges: Speaking and Listening, Ethics and Reasoning, and Diversity and Practice general education requirements) (if not taken as part of the associate degree)	COMS 1030	0-3
General Education:	Bridges: Learning and Doing	Varies	1-3
Electives:	Additional A&S Distribution Courses or General Electives to reach 120 credit hours	Varies	22-26
REMAINING COURSE	WORK TO COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:2		60

### **Advising Notes:**

<sup>1</sup> Assumes the student has completed the first two semesters of the foreign language sequence prior to entering Ohio University.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>To qualify for a bachelor's degree, a student must complete all Ohio University graduation requirements: BRICKS general education, college, major, and residency. Students must complete a minimum of 60 semester hours of A&S courses at the 2000-level or above, and must complete at least 33 hours of courses from the list of approved A&S distribution area courses including 9 semester hours each of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Natural Sciences. Courses transferred in as 2000-level or higher A&S courses will count toward the 60 semester hours. Ohio University requires a minimum of 120 credit hours to earn a bachelor's degree. The total number of hours to complete the bachelor's degree may vary depending on the individual course selections made during the associate degree program.

COMPLETE BACHELOR'S DEGREE	Total Credit Hours
BACHELOR'S DEGREE TOTAL:	120

## **SPECIAL NOTES**

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## SAMPLE DEGREE MAP

### THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER 5		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
HIST 3100 History of Western Philosophy - Ancient	3	
COMS 1030 Public Speaking or A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
PHIL 3200 Symbolic Logic	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
Foreign Language 2110	3	
Total Semester 5 Credit Hours	15	

SEMESTER 6		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
HIST 3120 History of Western Philosophy - M0dern	3	
PHIL Elective	3	
PHIL 4XXX	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
Foreign Language 2120	3	
Total Semester 6 Credit Hours	15	

## **FOURTH YEAR**

SEMESTER 7		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
Bridges: Learning & Doing	1-3	
PHIL 4XXX	3	
PHIL 4XXX	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	0-3	
Total Semester 7 Credit Hours	16-18	

SEMESTER 8		
Course Name & Number	Credit Hours	
PHIL 4901 Senior Seminar	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
A&S Distribution Course or General Elective	3	
Total Semester 8 Credit Hours	15	