



TRANSFER PATHWAY GUIDE

FOR

KCTCS Associate in Science to Asbury University Bachelor of Science in Leadership & Ministry Effective Date July 1, 2024

Overview

Completion of the following curriculum will satisfy the requirements for an Associate in Science degree at the Kentucky Community and Technical College System and leads to a Bachelor of Science in Leadership & Ministry at Asbury University.

Admission Requirements

KCTCS graduates interested in completing their bachelor's degree at Asbury University, on campus or online, must submit the following:

1. A complete Online Undergraduate Application
2. Official transcripts for all college-level coursework
3. Recommended 2.0 GPA from their previous institutions
4. Character Reference
5. Intent to Enroll Form

Degree Requirements

1. **Complete a minimum total of 124 semester hours.** Students with waivers of any Foundations or other credit requirements must still complete the total 124.0 credits required for graduation with a bachelor's degree.
 - a. Students must complete a minimum of 49 semester hours (not transfer or institutional credit) as an Asbury University student.
 - b. Students must complete the final three consecutive full-time semesters (or a minimum equivalent to 36 credit hours) at Asbury University. Part-time students will require more semesters at Asbury to meet this equivalent.
 - c. It is expected that students will be registered at Asbury while at senior status (having 90 or more earned credits).
 - d. 50% of all required credits/courses of all student's major(s) must be completed at Asbury University. Exceptions: A limited reduction in this percentage may be approved for students in an approved partnership program.
2. **Earn a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade point average.**
3. **Fulfill all Liberal Arts Foundations requirements for Online Bachelor of Science degree.**
 - a. AU Online majors receive a Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degree with no foreign language requirement.

General Transfer Requirements

- Any student accepted into Asbury University who presents an Associate in Arts (A.A.) or Associate in Science (A.S.) degree, awarded by one of the Kentucky Community and Technical College System schools, will be deemed to have satisfied the Asbury University Foundations requirements with the *exception of Bible/Theology* courses NT 100, OT 100, and TH 250 (9 credits).
- After all eligible courses are transferred, student is allowed to waive remaining Foundations requirements.
- Any Foundations course which is also required for a major cannot be waived. Students with waivers of any Foundations requirements must still meet the minimum credits required for graduation in the degree.
- Asbury University does not guarantee transfer of all credit hours earned in the KCTCS degree but evaluates specific courses by regular transfer restrictions.
- Asbury will not transfer credits for courses which have grades below 'C', are remedial, or are usually not accepted in transfer.
- 50% of Asbury major required credits must be completed as a student at Asbury University.
- A maximum of 75 credits may be transferred toward one's bachelor's degree at Asbury.
- Credits from [AP, CLEP, IB or AICE tests](#) may be transferable if they also meet Asbury's institutional academic policies and if test scores are sent officially and directly to Asbury. The maximum number of credits transferred to Asbury from all sources cannot exceed 75 hours.
- One's official transfer credit evaluation will come from the Registrar's office after you have been accepted and have sent in your final official transcripts with all grades included.

KCTCS AS TO Asbury University BS Leadership & Ministry CHECKLIST

Kentucky Community and Technical College System

Category 1: KCTCS General Education Core Requirements (33 hours) [AS](#) requirements linked.

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	Asbury University Course	Completed
ENG 101	Writing I	3	ENG 100	
ENG 102	Writing II	3	ENG 110	
COM 181	Basic Public Speaking	3	COM 130	
<i>HIS 101 OR HIS 102</i>	<i>World Civilization 1 or 2 (Heritage)</i>	3	<i>HIS 101 OR 102</i>	
<i>ART 100 or MUS 100 or PHI 100</i>	<i>Intro to Art Introduction to Music Intro to Philosophy (Humanities)</i>	3	<i>ART 100 MUS 100 PHL 200</i>	
MAT 146 OR MAT 150 OR MAT 141	Contemporary College Math OR College Algebra OR Liberal Arts Math (College Algebra)	3	MAT 120 MAT 111 MAT 120	
STA 210	<i>A Force of Human Judgement (Quantitative Reasoning)</i>	3	<i>General Elective</i>	
<i>BIO 112 and BIO 113</i>	<i>Introduction to Biology/Lab (Natural Sciences with a lab)</i>	4	<i>BIO 100 and 101</i>	
TBS	(Natural Sciences)	3	TBD	
SOC 101	<i>Introduction to Sociology (Social and Behavioral Sciences)</i>	3	SOC 100	

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	Asbury University Course	Completed
<i>PSY 110</i>	<i>General Psychology</i> (Social and Behavioral Sciences)	3	<i>PSY 100</i>	
	Subtotal General Education Core Courses	34		

TBS XXX means to be selected by KCTCS student.

TBD XXX means to be determined by Asbury University based on course selected.

Courses in *italics* are suggested KCTCS courses that fulfill Asbury requirements.

**Minimum grade of "C" required.

*For Social and Behavioral Sciences courses, two disciplines must be represented and different from those in the Arts and Humanities category.

Category 2: KCTCS AS Requirements (6 hours)

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	Asbury University Course	Completed
TBS	Quantitative Reasoning or Natural Sciences	3	TBD	
TBS	Quantitative Reasoning or Natural Sciences	3	TBD	
	Subtotal AS Requirement Courses	6		

A course carrying the Cultural Competence status must also be completed as part of the AA and AS requirements. Approved Cultural Competence courses are listed in the catalog under Academic Services - Cultural Competence Requirement.

Category 3: KCTCS Electives (21 hours)

KCTCS Course	Course or Category	Credits	Asbury University Course	Completed
CIT 105 OR EDU 204 OR VCC 125	Digital Literacy	0-3	ELECTIVE 3	
FYE 105 OR FYE 110 OR FYE 100*	First-Year College Success Course/Experience	0-3	UNV 120 (1 Hour)	
KCTCS Courses Fulfilling Major Requirements for Asbury's BS in Leadership and Ministry				
REL 120	Introduction to the Old Testament	3	OT 100	
REL 121	Introduction to the New Testament	3	NT 100	
REL 240	Life and Teaching of Jesus	3	LMN 342	
REL 241	Life and Letters of Paul	3	LMN 382	
REL 130 OR ANT 130	Introduction to Comparative Religion	3	LMN 397	
	Subtotal Elective Courses	21		
	TOTAL Associate Degree Hours	60 (61)		

*Some colleges have policies that allow students to fulfill the College Success Requirement by waiver or exemption.

Major Requirements for BS in Leadership & Ministry

(50% of Asbury major required credits must be completed as a student at Asbury University)

<https://www.asbury.edu/academics/online/leadership-ministry/>

Asbury University Course	Course	Credits	KCTCS Course	Taken at KCTCS
OT 100	Understanding the Old Testament	3	REL 120	
NT 100	Understanding the New Testament	3	REL 121	
TH 250	Foundations of Christian Thought	3		
LMN 310	Strategies for Success	3		
LMN 322	Old Testament History	3		
LMN 332	Leadership in Ministry	3		
LMN 342	Jesus & The Gospels	3	REL 240	
LMN 352	Studying / Teaching the Bible	3		
LMN 362	Old Testament Prophetic Literature	3		
LMN 372	Dynamics of Spiritual Growth	3		
LMN 378	Growth of New Testament Church	3		
LMN 382	New Testament Letters	3	REL 241	
LMN 392	Congregational Education	3		
LMN 397	Christianity / World Religions	3	REL 130 OR ANT 130	
LMN 412	History of the Early Church	3		
LMN 422	Small Groups	3		
LMN 432	Psalms / Wisdom	3		
LMN 434	Organizational Studies in Ministry	3		
LMN 442	Theology of Mission	3		
LMN 462	Church in Contemporary Society	3		
TBS	ELECTIVES NEEDED (25 Hours)*	25		
Subtotal Asbury University Credit Hours		(Up to 75 total hours transferable)		63-64
Total Baccalaureate Degree Credit Hours				124