

# MISSOURI SOUTHERN STATE UNIVERSITY POLICY

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Name:	<b>42 Hour Statewide General Education Block</b>				

## 1.0 PURPOSE

In order to facilitate the transfer of previously earned educational credits for students among institutions of higher education in Missouri, the Coordinating Board for Higher Education (CBHE) in Missouri has supported development of a Missouri statewide general education policy, intended to ensure portability of general education credit among Missouri's colleges and universities.

## 2.0 SCOPE

**This Policy applies to University students.**

## 3.0 POLICY

This Policy requires all [participating institutions](#) (public and private) in the state to specify and publish a 42 semester-hour block of general education credits which addresses eight state-defined general education goals that are considered equivalent to corresponding blocks of credits at other participating institutions. For more information about CBHE's Statewide General Education Policy, see [Section II of the Credit Transfer Guidelines for Student Transfer and Articulation Among MO Colleges and Universities](#).

Students who complete the 42 hour general education block of credits at Missouri Southern may transfer to another participating institution and have their block of credits treated as equivalent to the general education block of receiving institution. Areas A-H of general education curriculum constitute the 42 semester hour block that meets the State of Missouri general education goals. If you have completed areas A-H and wish to have this notation added to your transcript, please contact the Registrar's Office.

## 4.0 HISTORY

This policy may be revised, edited, changed or removed at any time with or without notice to applicable individuals.

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