

Bachelor of Arts with a major in Philosophy

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS

Oakland University Courses	Macomb Community College Options
PHL 3510 (additional course options available at OU)	PHIL 2120
PHL 3150 (additional course options available at OU)	PHIL 2400

MAJOR ELECTIVES

(additional course options available at OU)

PHL 1000	PHIL 2200
PHL 1100	PHIL 2010
PHL 1300	PHIL 2100

SPECIAL NOTE: Community College courses do not count toward the minimum 24 credits in 3000-4000 level PHL courses that are required for the Philosophy major; therefore, fulfilling all the above requirement areas with MCC courses may result in additional 3000+ PHL credits needed to meet the major requirement. To determine the most efficient course of action in fulfilling the 3000-4000 level requirement, please consult with an OU academic adviser.

Students may transfer an unlimited amount of credit from Macomb, and must complete a minimum of 45 credit hours from OU to meet degree requirements. As programs may limit the transfer credits that can be used toward requirements, **it is highly recommended that students work with both an OU (school/college) academic adviser and their Macomb counselor to maximize the applicability of coursework to specific requirements.**

TRANSFERRING WITH THE MICHIGAN TRANSFER AGREEMENT (MTA):

When choosing to complete MTA to satisfy General Education, please confirm the best courses to take to fulfill the agreement with your academic adviser at MCC or at the [MCC MTA Approved Courses](#) website. In order to completely satisfy OU's transferable General Education requirements when following this major guide, please reference the [MCC General Education Transfer Guide](#) and select one course from OU's **Knowledge Applications** category.

Additional course requirements for MTA when following this major guide (minimum 30 credit hours required for MTA):

- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1180 or 1210
- MTA Approved English Composition Course – ENG 1190 or 1220 (this is a prerequisite for coursework at OU)
- Two MTA Approved Social Science Courses
- Two MTA Approved Humanities and Fine Arts Courses
- Two MTA Approved Science Courses
- One MTA Approved Mathematics Course

TRANSFERRING WITHOUT MTA:

If you intend to transfer without MTA, you can choose to complete additional coursework to fulfill OU's individual General Education categories instead. When following this major guide, please reference the [MCC General Education Transfer Guide](#) for the MCC courses that satisfy these specific OU General Education categories:

- Writing Foundations
- Arts
- Language and Culture
- Global Perspective
- Literature
- Natural Science and Technology
- Social Science
- Knowledge Applications
- U.S. Diversity

EXPLORATORY REQUIREMENT:

Students with majors in the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS) must satisfy an exploratory requirement. This can be done by completing a double major or a CAS minor or concentration; or by completing a minimum of 12 credits in a single CAS rubric, outside of their major rubric. For additional options visit oakland.edu/exploratory . Please confirm transfer course choices with an OU CAS adviser. **Students using MTA or MACRAO must complete the exploratory requirement at Oakland University or another four-year institution.**

NOTES:

Oakland University will always honor the **MACRAO transfer agreement** and apply it to the General Education requirement the same as MTA.

The College of Arts and Sciences requires that a minimum of 16 credits in the major be completed at Oakland University.

Please contact [College of Arts and Sciences Advising](#) at (248) 370-4567 for more information regarding your degree requirements.