

# Northern Michigan University

## Transfer Planning Guide

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Public Enrollment: 7,700  
Calendar: Semester System  
2019-20 Non-resident Tuition & Fees: \$16,226  
2019-20 Room & Board: \$10,666  
Financial Aid/Scholarships:  
[www.nmu.edu/finaid](http://www.nmu.edu/finaid) or [www.nmu.edu/scholarships](http://www.nmu.edu/scholarships)

This transfer guide is designed to assist students with their academic planning. Every effort is made to maintain accurate information; however, this information is subject to frequent change. Students should contact the member institution to keep informed of changes, as final responsibility for verifying information rests with the student.

### TRANSFER OPTIONS

- **Completed AA or AS degree:** all courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis. Having the AA/AS degree completed does not necessarily meet the General Education core at NMU.
- **IAI GECC:** NMU is NOT a participant in the IAI; however, our General Education Program aligns well with IAI courses.
- **Completing some courses at CLC:** all courses will be evaluated on a course-by-course basis. To be eligible for transfer student merit scholarships, at least 12 college-level courses must be completed prior to transferring.
- **Can transfer Fall, Winter or Summer semester**

### TRANSFER CREDITS

The maximum number of semester hours transferable from a community college is 64 plus 4 hours of P.E. activity courses. Additional credit for military service is possible. Only courses that have been passed with a grade of "C-" or higher will transfer to NMU.

Course equivalencies can be viewed at: [www.nmu.edu/transfercredit](http://www.nmu.edu/transfercredit)

Transfer Guides can be viewed at: [www.nmu.edu/admissions/transfer-guides](http://www.nmu.edu/admissions/transfer-guides)

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0/4.0 and 12 hours or more of transferable college credit. Some programs require a higher GPA for admission or specific course pre-requisites.
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### CALCULATION OF ADMISSION GPA

This GPA includes **all** college-level courses; exception: only the last repeated grade will be used in calculation for admission.

### **APPLICATION**

Rolling Admission (i.e., applications accepted and decisions made year-round)

The Online Application can be found at: [www.nmu.edu/apply](http://www.nmu.edu/apply)

### **FOREIGN LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT**

Students seeking a BA degree must complete a language offered at NMU at the 202 level (CLC's 222 level). Students seeking a BS degree do not have a specific foreign language requirement.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS (2019-20)**

Each scholarship below is awarded to all who qualify; no scholarship application is required; no deadline. Must maintain 3.0 cumulative GPA or higher at NMU for automatic renewal (up to three years of full-time work).

**Transfer National Academic Award:** \$5,600/year; 3.0 GPA with at least 12 hours of transferable college credit; awarded to all "nonresidents for tuition purposes" who qualify.

**Wildcat Transfer Achievement Scholarship** (varies, and stackable with the Transfer National Academic Award: awarded to all who qualify):

**Level I:** \$1,000/year; 3.0-3.29 GPA

**Level II:** \$1,500/year; 3.30-3.49 GPA

**Level III:** \$2,000/year; 3.5-3.89 GPA

**Level IV:** \$3,000/year; 3.9-4.0 GPA

**Phi Theta Kappa Award:** \$500/year with proof of PTK membership (e.g., copy of membership certificate or ID, or designated on official CLC transcript) and transfer to NMU directly after attending a two-year/community college. Stackable with other awards and scholarships.

Additional awards are available, check out: [www.nmu.edu/scholarships](http://www.nmu.edu/scholarships)

### **SPECIAL NOTES**

- NMU accepts CLEP, IB and AP scores – For more information about passing scores at NMU, see the [Exam Equivalencies](#) table or contact NMU Admissions for more information.
- Tuition and fees includes a laptop computer. NMU is a Lenevo Thinkpad University.
- 12-16 per semester is included in the flat-rate tuition amount.