

# TRANSFER TRANSCRIPTS: A guide to decoding transfer credit

## Direct Equivalency: ENG 101 (Prefix + Course Number)

- A direct equivalency will present as a standard UK course prefix and three-digit number.

## Departmental Credit: ENG 1--- (Prefix + Course Level + ---)

- Departmental credit is given for courses belonging to a discipline but do not equate to courses offered at UK. These use standard UK course prefixes, a number indicating the course level, and three dashes to indicate the lack of specific equivalency.

## General Elective Credit: GEED 1--- (GEED + Course Level + ---)

- General elective credit is the category for college level credit that belongs neither to a specific course nor a specific discipline. The course level is still recognized and is indicated by the level number and three dashes.

## General Elective Technical Credit: GEEDTECH

- General elective technical credit is college level credit that does not meet any specific equivalency standard.

## Need Certification: NEEDCERT

- Chemistry Department requires certification that transfer Chemistry labs were enrolled in an in-person modality (versus being taken online). Students will receive an email with information on how to certify chemistry lab modality.

## Need Syllabus: NEEDSYLL

- Some course equivalencies require additional information to establish an official relationship. A student may be required to provide a syllabus for a course to determine its eligibility for direct or departmental credit. Advisors should work with students to submit a syllabus to their equivalency officer for any course with this tag.

## Need Evaluation: NEEDEVAL

- Course equivalency is not an automatic process; it involves the coordination of the Office of Undergraduate Admission and the academic colleges. Once the Office of Undergraduate Admission processes the incoming credit, it is issued to the appropriate academic college and given the tag NEEDEVAL until the college verifies the equivalency.

UK Core	Transcripts Tags
Arts and Creativity	AH ACR or UKC ACR
Humanities	AH HUM or UKC HUM
Social Sciences	SB SCC or UKC SCC
Natural, Physical and Mathematical Sciences Science Lab*	NS NPM or UKC NPM SL NPM
Composition and Communication I	WR CC1 or UKC CCI
Composition and Communication II Oral Communication**	WR CC2 or UKC CCII UKC ORAL COM
Quantitative Foundations	QR QFO or UKC QFO
Statistical Inferential Reasoning	QR SIR or UKC SIR
Community, Culture and Citizenship	SB CCC or UKC CCC
Global Dynamics	SB GDY or UKC GDY

\* A Science Lab requirement is not a part of UK Core; it is often paired with NS NPM or UKC NPM and tagged as SL NPM.

\*\* An Oral Communication requirement is not part of UK Core; however, students submitting coursework equivalent to ENG 101 and a course tagged with UKC COM will complete Composition and Communication I. Students submitting coursework equivalent to ENG 102 and UKC COM will complete Composition and Communication I & II.