

Eligibility

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Grade requirements:

Certificate, diploma and graduate certificate programs – a minimum grade of “C” (60 per cent) is required for a course to be considered for transfer credit for *most* programs.

Degree programs – a minimum grade of “C+” (65 per cent) in a degree level course is required for a course to be considered for transfer credit for *most* programs.

A higher minimum grade may be required by certain programs.

Course equivalency:

Incoming courses are evaluated based on applicability to Seneca’s programs of study and on criteria related to content, learning outcomes, credit value and/or number of teaching hours. If required, and applicable, to the program of study, incoming courses will also be required to include practical and/or lab components.

Seneca reserves the right to limit the time for which a course is considered current and eligible for transfer credit. Such eligibility is determined by each faculty/program. For more details, refer to [“Appendix B: Guidelines for Use in Making Life of a Credit Decisions” in the Transfer Credit Policy](#).

Programs in the Faculty of Applied Science & Engineering Technology require current knowledge and as such any incoming course that is more than five years old will not be granted transfer credit.

Specific science and technology programs include:

- [Bachelor of Engineering \(Software Engineering\) \(BSA\)](#)
- [Biotechnology – Advanced \(BTA\)](#)
- [Business Information Technology \(BTT\)](#)
- [Cannabis Regulation and Quality Assurance \(CAQ\)](#)

- Chemical Engineering Technology (CHY)
- Chemical Laboratory Technician (CLT)
- Chemical Laboratory Technology – Pharmaceutical (CLP)
- Civil Engineering Technician (CVL)
- Civil Engineering Technology (CVT)
- Clinical Research (CRQ)
- Cloud Architecture and Administration (CAA)
- Computer Programming & Analysis (CPA)
- Computer Programmer (CPD)
- Computer Programming (CPP)
- Computer Systems Technician (CSN)
- Computer Systems Technology (CTY)
- Cosmetic Science (CSP)
- Cybersecurity & Threat Management (CYT)
- Database Application Developer (DAD)
- Environmental Technician (ETM)
- Environmental Technology (EMT)
- Honours Bachelor of Commerce – Business Technology Management (BTM)
- Honours Bachelor of Data Science & Analytics (DSA)
- Honours Bachelor of Technology – Informatics & Security (IFS)
- Honours Bachelor of Technology – Software Development (BSD)
- Pharmaceutical Regulatory Affairs and Quality Operations (RAQ)
- Project Management - Environmental (PME)
- Project Management – Information Technology (PMC)

Program specific policy:

Some programs have additional policy requirements that restrict or limit transfer credit. These programs must follow a set of standards outlined by an accreditation body in order to deliver a specific credential or certification.

- **nursing degree programs:** transfer credit requests can be made for liberal studies options, English or psychology courses; transfer credit will not be granted for core

courses in nursing degree programs

- **nursing degree (bridging) program:** transfer credits, based on courses completed in a two-year Practical Nursing diploma program from an Ontario college, will not be granted for any courses in the nursing degree (bridging) program.
- **nursing graduate certificate programs:** transfer credit will not be granted for any courses in nursing graduate certificate programs
- **Opticianry program:** transfer credit requests for core courses can be made for courses successfully completed in a [Accreditation Canada Accredited Optician Program](#) taken at a Canadian College of Applied Arts and Technology
- **paralegal programs:** transfer credit requests for core courses can be made for courses successfully completed in a [Law Society of Ontario accredited paralegal education program](#) taken at an Ontario college of applied arts and technology (transfer credits can only be granted for a maximum of 40% of total courses)
- **personal support worker programs:** transfer credit requests can be made for the required communications course; transfer credit will not be granted for core courses in the personal support worker programs
- **practical nursing programs:** transfer credit requests can be made for general education, communications or psychology courses; transfer credit will not be granted for core courses in practical nursing programs
- **Professional Accounting Practice graduate certificate program:** transfer credit requests must include a Chartered Professional Accountants (CPA) assessment of the previous education along with the official transcript from the previous institution; a minimum grade of 65 per cent is required for transfer credit into this program
- **Public Relations - Corporate Communications program:** transfer credits will not be granted towards CCM701 or CCM702 in the Public Relations - Corporate Communications program
- **Technical Communication program:** transfer credit will not be granted for any course in the Technical Communication graduate certificate program
- **Therapeutic Recreation degree program:** transfer credits will not be granted towards RSC 875 and RSC 885 in the Therapeutic Recreation degree program
- **work term preparation courses:** transfer credit will not be granted for WTP100 or WTP200

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