BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE to Pennsylvania College of Technology TRANSFER FACT

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Is on-campus housing available for transfer students? Yes Cost? 2011-2012 Estimated Cost of Housing \$5650 (per year) plus required meal plan \$3280 (per year) Exact cost refer to: http://www.pct.edu/reslife/costs.htm

2. Full-time tuition: Part-time tuition:

Tuition is based on a per credit basis. The instate cost for the 2011-2012 academic year is \$453 per credit. For more details please visit http://www.pct.edu/finaid/cost.htm

3. Scholarship availability for transfer students:

Scholarships are available for transfer students the same as any other student, there are no restrictions for either group. There are no specific scholarships available for transfer students.

4. Can the transfer student with an associate degree normally expect to receive the baccalaureate degree in two years?

It depends on the major the student is going to pursue &the credits/degree student will be transferring into Penn College.

TRANSFER REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Best time(s) to apply: Transfer students may apply 1 yr prior to their anticipated start time at Penn College

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 Deadline(s): For Fall Semester: July 1

 For Spring Semester: November 1
- 2. What grade point average (4.0 scale) do you consider? Classes need to be a C (2.0) or higher Prefer: C (2.0) or higher.
- 3. If different averages are required for different curricula, please specify: Health Science majors are selective admissions. For more information on these majors please refer to http://www.pct.edu/catalog/specialadmission.htm.
 Do you accept GPA accepted as calculated by previous college or do you re-calculate? We accept GPS as calculated by where credit is earned.
- 4. Maximum number of credits accepted in transfer: A maximum of 30 credits may transfer into an associate degree program. The maximum number that can transfer into a bachelor's degree program can vary, but a minimum of 36 credits must be completed at Penn College.
- 5. When does the applicant learn which credits will be accepted in transfer? After the Office of Admissions has received the Application, Application Fee, &Transcript, we generally ask for 2 weeks to complete a credit-transfer evaluation. To avoid repeating coursework, it is the student's responsibility to ensure that all courses have been appropriately evaluated for transfer credit prior to scheduling.
- 6. Must SAT or ACT scores be submitted by transfer students? If the student is applying for a bachelor's degree & hasn't completed at least 12 college credits than the student will need to submit SAT scores. If the student is applying for an associate degree or has completed 12 college credits than they won't need to submit SAT scores.
- 7. Must the H.S. transcript or GED be submitted by the student with an Associate degree? If the student has a college degree, a HS Transcript/GED will not need to be submitted. Without the degree but with 30 credits or more? With less than 30 credits? In both instances, the student will need to submit a HS Transcript/GED.
- 8. Is the transfer student required to have had the same high school courses (e.g. foreign language, math) as entering freshman?

 There are no specific HS courses required for freshmen or transfer students; however, each major has recommended HS subjects. For more information please visit www.pct.edu/catalog
- 9. Are D's transferable? As individual courses, D's are not transferable, With an AA degree? If the student is coming for a 2+2 major we will accept technical credits, but academic courses & courses that do not apply directly to a 2+2 major will not be accepted unless they are a C (2.0) or higher

Without a degree? No, course grades must be C (2.0) or higher

10. Do you accept Prior Learning Assessment (AP, CLEP, credit by certifications or portfolio, etc.) which may appear on the Bucks transcript? No, the student needs to submit their AP/CLEP scores, certifications, work/life experience portfolio, etc. directly to Penn College for evaluation.

PROGRAMS

- 1. Which programs, if any, are closed to transfer students? **None**
- 2. Popular majors: Pre-Nursing (AAS), Building Construction (AAS), Residential Construction Technology & Management (BS), Construction Management (BS), Information Technology: Network Specialist (BS), Nursing (AAS), Business Management (AAS), Automotive Technology (AAS), Automotive Technology Management (BS), Manufacturing Engineering Technology (BS)
- 3. New or distinctive majors: Building Science and Sustainable Design (BS), Gaming and Simulation (BS)Health Information Management (BS), Industrial and Human Factors Design(BS), Information Assurance and Security (BS), Renewable Energy Technologies (AAS), Web and Interactive Media (BS)

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