BUCKS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE to: University of the Sciences in Philadelphia

Transfer Facts

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General Information

1. Is on-campus housing available for transfer students? Yes Cost? $6,600-$10,000 depending on room type
2. Full-time tuition: $33,046 Part-time tuition: n/a Is evening tuition different? n/a
3. Scholarship availability for transfer students: Merit scholarships $8,000-$11,000 based on GPA, PTK scholarship $1,000
4. Can a transfer student with an associate degree normally expect to receive the baccalaureate degree in two years? Depends on the major, reviewed on a case by case basis
5. Can a transfer student complete baccalaureate programs on an evening schedule? No If so, in what programs?

Transfer Requirements

1. Best time(s) to apply? Fall semester: Late fall through Spring, Spring semester: July-October
2. What grade point average (4.0 scale) do you consider? 2.5 Prefer? 3.0
3. If different averages are required for different curricula, please specify: Professional programs (OT, PT, PA and Pharmacy) require a 3.0 minimum
4. Do you accept GPA as calculated by previous college or do you re-calculate? Re-calculate
5. Maximum number of credits accepted in transfer: no max
6. When does the applicant learn which credits will be accepted in transfer? With their acceptance package
7. Must the SAT or ACT scores be submitted by transfer students? If they do not have an Associate’s Degree
8. Must high school transcripts or GED be submitted by students with an associate degree? No Without the degree but with 30 credits or more? yes With less than 30 credits? yes
9. Is the transfer student required to have had the same high school courses (e.g. foreign language, math) as entering freshman? yes If yes, can these be satisfied by college courses? yes Will these courses also be credited toward the baccalaureate? Possibly
10. Are D’s transferable? no With an AA degree? no Without an AA degree? Explain. We require at least a C or above for any course to transfer
11. Do you accept Prior Learning Assessment (AP, CLEP, credit by certifications or portfolio, etc.) which may appear on the Bucks transcript? AP: yes, CLEP: on a case-by-case basis

Programs

1. Which programs, if any, are closed to transfer students? None
2. Popular majors: Physical Therapy, Biology, Chemistry, Occupational Therapy
3. New or distinctive majors: Biological Sciences

Additional Information

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