

Illinois State University
Office of Admissions
Transfer/Readmit Major Admission Guide
Summer, Fall 2010, and Spring 2011

1. Please use this information as a guide. It may not be possible to offer admission to all qualified applicants because of a competitive applicant pool and space limitations.
2. The “average admitted profile” column indicates the typical range of students who were admitted to the major/sequence/program during the last application cycle. The range is intended to give applicants a better indication of the quality of students recently admitted.
3. Highest admission priority will be granted to transfer students with the strongest academic records. The average grade point average for transfer students admitted for the Fall 2009 was 3.1 on a 4.0 scale.
4. Transfer students may be admitted to the University as “Undeclared” if program prerequisites were not met or if the preferred major has reached its target enrollment. Students with 75+ semester hours completed will not be admitted to the University as “Undeclared”.
5. All transfer students are encouraged to complete the course equivalencies of ENG 101, ENG 145, COM 110, and an IAI Math course prior to enrolling at Illinois State.
6. The Illinois Basic Skills Test is encouraged for all students pursuing an education major in any field. Passing this exam prior to enrollment ensures progression in the selected education major.

Department, major, or sequence	Courses <u>required</u> for admission into major	Minimum GPA to be considered	Average Admitted Profile	Additional <u>Recommended</u> Courses
Actuarial Science	Require grades of "B" or better in Calculus I and II (MAT 145 and 146)	2.5	3.43-3.97	
Agriculture - all programs		2.0 Ag. Ed: 2.5	2.38 – 3.31	CHEM 110 and 112, MATH 120, AG 109
Anthropology		2.25	2.50 – 3.25	
Art - all programs	Portfolio required for admission. Art History majors are required to write a statement of interest in this field in lieu of a portfolio. For specific requirements and deadlines visit www.cfa.ilstu.edu/art/admissions/	2.0	2.83 – 3.50	
Arts Technology	Portfolio Review and/or interview with department	2.0	2.36– 3.00	
Athletic Training	Summer/Fall Admission only ; Completion of 25 semester hours or more	2.75	2.89 – 3.48	PHY 105 or 108, BSC 181 or KNR 181
Bilingual/Bicultural Ed.		2.70	2.70 – 3.36	12 hours of science
Biochemistry/Molecular Biology	If 45 or more hours: Grade of "C" or better in Calculus I (MAT 145), General Chemistry I (CHE 140) and General Chemistry II (CHE 141) or course equivalents	2.0	2.75 – 3.69	Calculus I and II (MATH 145 and 146)
Biological Sciences	If 45 or more hours: Grade of "C" or better in Fundamentals of Chemistry with Lab (CHE 110/112) or General Chemistry I (CHE 140), Finite Math or Calculus (MAT 120 or 145), 4 hour course in Biological Sciences with lab	2.50	2.86 – 3.46	2-4 semesters of chemistry, BIO 196 and 197 Pre-med students should be working or volunteering in a medical facility
Biological Sciences Education	If 45 or more hours: Grade of "C" or better in General Chemistry (CHE 140), Finite Math or Calculus (MAT 120 or 145), 4 hour course in Biological Sciences with lab, Speech (COM 110), and English (ENG 101)	2.50	2.88 – 3.38	PSY 110 (Introduction to Psychology)
Business - all programs	Students with fewer than 45 hours are evaluated on collegiate coursework and grade point average. <u>45-59 hours</u> : C or better in the following courses: Financial Accounting(ACC 131), Macro and Micro economics (ECO 105), College Algebra (MATH 119) and Finite Math (MATH 120) or Applied Calculus (MAT 121) or Calculus I (MATH 145) <u>60 hours or more</u> : C or better in the following courses: Financial Accounting(ACC 131), Managerial Accounting (ACC 132), Macro and Micro economics (ECO 105), Statistical Reasoning (MQM 100) and Applied Calculus (MAT 121) or Calculus I (MATH 145) <u>BTE majors</u> : must complete MAT 120, or 121, or 145	2.50	2.76 – 3.42	BUS 100, ENG 101 & 145, and one of the following: ACC 166 or ITK 150 COB students are encouraged to get an AA or AS
Chemistry	If 45 or more hours: Grade of "C" or better in Calculus I (MAT 145), General Chemistry I (CHE 140) and General Chemistry II (CHE 141)	2.0	2.76 – 3.22	Calculus I and II (MATH 145 and 146)

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Chemistry Teacher Education	If 45 or more hours: Grade of "C" or better in Calculus I (MAT 145), General Chemistry I (CHE 140) and General Chemistry II (CHE 141)	2.50	2.76 – 3.15	
Communication – all programs	Very Limited Spring Admission	2.80	2.80 – 3.36	ENG 101 & COM 110 Journalism: COM 160 Communication Studies: COM 123, 223
Construction Management		2.60	2.84 – 3.31	PSY 110 and MATH 120
Criminal Justice		2.40	2.64 – 3.38	CJS 101, PSY 110 or 111, ENG 145, SOC 106
Early Childhood Education		3.0	3.06 – 3.45	C&I 210, C&I 111, PAS 115, SED 101, Foreign Language. Illinois Basic Skills Exam
Economics	Grade of "B" or better in Finite Math (MAT 120)	2.0	2.22 – 2.80	
Elementary Education	AA/AS degree or if transferring from a four year school at least 60 semester hours	3.25	3.36 – 3.73	12 hours of science, C&I 210, PSY 111, SED 101, ENG 170, MAT 152 Illinois Basic Skills Exam
English – all programs	Grade of "B" or better in ENG 101 or COM 110 and grade "B" or better in one of the following: ENG 100, 110, 130, 170, 227/247	2.5	2.66 – 3.50 Eng Ed.: 2.91 – 3.64	Foreign Language equivalent to Illinois State's 115 level and American, British, and Non-Western Literature courses
Exercise Science		3.1	3.16 – 3.59	PHY 105 or 108, BSC 181 or KNR 181
Family and Consumer Sciences	Human Development/Family Resources: (Fall and spring admission) Apparel Merchandising and Design (Fall Admission only) Food, Nutrition, and Dietetics: (Fall Admission only) Human Development/Family Resources Education: (Fall Admission only) Interior and Environmental Design: (Fall Admission only)	2.50 Int Design: 3.25 Nutrition: 3.05	2.92 – 3.57 Int. Design: 3.25 – 3.62 Nutrition: 3.26- 3.80	Human Development: PSY 111 or SOC 106 Family Resources Education: PSY 111 or SOC 106 Apparel Merch. And Design: ECO 105
Foreign Languages, Literatures and Cultures		2.0	2.69 – 3.43	Foreign Language equivalent to Illinois State's 115 level or higher, and PSY 111, ENG 101, and COM 110
Geography/Geology		2.0	2.46 – 3.12	Geology: CHE 140 and Introduction to Geology course.
Health Sciences – all programs		2.0 Health Ed: 2.5	2.50 – 3.09	Clinical Laboratory Science: CHE 140, BIO 197
History	If 60 hours or more: 2.5 GPA in 9 hours of these history major required courses – Western Civilization (HIS 101), Modern Western Civilization (HIS102) , History of the US to 1865(HIS 135), History of the US since 1865 (HIS 136)	2.50	2.79 – 3.60	Am. History (135 and 136) and Western Civ. (101 and 102) History
History – Social Science Teacher Education	3.0 GPA in 9 hours of these history major required courses – Western Civilization (HIS 101), Modern Western Civilization (HIS102) , History of the US to 1865(HIS 135), History of the US since 1865 (HIS 136)	3.0	3.00 – 3.50	POS 105, GEO 135 or 140, and ECO 105, PSY 111

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Information Technology- all programs		2.2 Computer Science: 2.3	2.46 – 3.22	ITK 160, 168, & 261 ITK 169 (or IAI course CS912) for all programs except Telecommunications
Mathematics Math Teacher Education	Math and Statistics sequence: Require grades of “C” or better in Calculus I and II (MAT 145 and 146) Math Teacher Education: 2.2 GPA in math courses; Require grades of “C” or better in Calculus I and II (MAT 145 and 146)	2.0 Math Ed: 2.5	2.93 – 3.78 Math Ed: 3.28-3.85	Math Education majors with 60 hours – MAT 147 and 175
Middle Level Teacher Education		2.75	2.89 – 3.50	C&I 210, PSY 111, SED 101 Math Specialization: MTH 130. Illinois Basic Skills Exam
Music – all programs	Application and auditions required.	2.0 Music Ed: 2.75	2.92 – 3.47	
Nursing - Prelicensure	AA/AS degree or IAI with 57 hours C or better grades in the following course requirements: (CHE 110/112 or CHE 140, ECO/GEO/POL/PSY 138 or MQM 100 or SOC 275, PSY 110 and 213, BSC 160, 181, 182, and FCS 102) Students interested in being admitted for Fall 2012 must have the equivalent to HSC 105 (Medical Terminology)	3.0	3.64 – 3.90	HSC 105
Nursing – RN-BSN	Admission by Mennonite College of Nursing	2.8	3.02 – 3.61	
Philosophy		2.0	2.27 – 3.20	
Physical Ed Teacher Ed		2.90	2.90 – 3.39	PHY 105 or 108, BSC 181 or KNR 181
Physics Physics Teacher Ed.	Grade of C or better in Calculus I (MAT 145)	2.0 Phy Ed: 2.50	2.40 – 3.16 Phy. Ed: 2.91 – 3.54	PSY 110 Physics Education: CHE 140 and 141
Politics and Government		2.0	2.47 – 3.21	
Psychology	If 30 hours or more: grades of C or better in each of the following: General Psychology, one of the Mathematics courses approved for the PSY major (equivalent to ISU's MAT 120, 121, 144 or 145) and one laboratory science course 75 hours or more: Limited admission – individual review	2.50	2.90 – 3.50	A foreign language equivalent to Illinois State's 112 level or higher, ENG 145, philosophy course, two laboratory sciences MATH 120, 121, 144 or 145 strongly encouraged before transfer
Recreation and Park Administration		2.0	2.34 – 2.88	
Renewable Energy		2.5	2.66 – 3.40	

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Social Work	<p>If 45 hours or more: AA or AS degree or IAI completed</p> <p>Grade of "C" or better in Introduction to Social Work (SWK 170), Psychology (PSY 110 or 111), Statistics (ECO/GEO/POS/PSY 138 or SOC 275), Human Biology (BSC 101, 145 or 181), Sociology course (SOC 111, 112 or 131), Abnormal Psychology (PSY 350 or similar)</p> <p>25 hours of volunteer or paid experience</p> <p>Supplemental department application required. To download an application visit: http://www.socialwork.ilstu.edu/prospective/bsw/index.shtml</p>	2.50	2.67 – 3.35	
Sociology		2.50	2.50 – 3.25	"C" or better in SOC 106
Special Education Deaf and Hard of Hearing Learning and Behavior Low Vision and Blindness	Completion of at least 24 credit hours	2.70	2.87 – 3.45	SED 101, C&I 210, PSY 111, and PSY 215 In addition, for Specialist in Learning & Behavior 6 hours of Math
Speech Pathology and Audiology		3.0	3.23 – 3.78	SED 101, PSY 110 or 111, C&I 210 or PSY 113
Technology Industrial Technology Graphic Communication Technology Education		2.0 Tech. Ed: 2.5	2.62 – 3.33	
Theatre	Performance Sequence (Acting, Dance and Dance Education): Auditions required. Design/Production Sequence: Portfolio Review and Interview required	2.0	2.57 – 3.50	