

**NORTHAMPTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE (NCC) & LA SALLE UNIVERSITY**  
**Transfer Guide for General Studies (A.A.) at NCC to various Liberal Arts majors (B.A.) including**  
**Economics, English, History, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology at La Salle University**

<b>NCC Courses</b>	<b>cr.</b>	<b>La Salle University Courses Satisfied</b>	<b>cr.</b>
COLS 101 College Success	1	Does not transfer	0
CMTH 102 Speech Communication	3	COM 150 Presentation Skills	3
ENGL 101 English I	3	ENG 110 College Writing I: Persuasion	3
Social/Behavioral Understanding & Am Exp Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
World Experience & Cultural Understanding Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
Science Elective	3-4	Credit given depends on course taken	3-4
ENGL 151 English II	3	ENG 210 College Writing II: Research	3
Communication Elective – anything except ARTA 161, CMTH 111, 115, 126, 206 and 212	3	Credit given depends on course taken	3
Mathematics Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
CISC 101 Intro to Computers	3	CSC 151 Intro to Computing using Packages	3
Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
Mathematics or Science Elective	3-4	Credit given depends on course taken	3-4
Business/Technology Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
Social/Behavioral Understanding & Am Exp Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
World Experience & Cultural Understanding Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
Elective	3	Seek advisement – see recommendations	3
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**\*Please NOTE: Students may complete the requirements for the bachelor's degree program within two years, although certain majors may require more than 20 courses, which could result in extended time at La Salle.**

**NCC-La Salle Dual Admission Students:** Please refer to the Dual Admission application for eligibility requirements. Students interested in applying to La Salle through the Dual Admission Agreement must complete the online dual admission application before completing 45 college-level credits. The Dual Admission Agreement includes a Core-to-Core component. Under the Dual Admission agreement, La Salle University's Core will essentially be fulfilled by the Core at Northampton Community College. In order to meet the requirements of La Salle's Core, students must take one CORE "qualifier" at La Salle, REL 100: Religion Matters. This course must be taken at La Salle because there is no equivalent course offered at the community college.

**Non-Dual Admission students** who transfer to La Salle University will be required to complete the entire La Salle Core, which includes courses in a number of disciplines. Coursework can be taken at La Salle or prior to transfer. Seek advisement for course options and visit the La Salle website, [www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu), to view the current course catalog.

*\* When equivalent courses are worth different credit amounts, the course will be satisfied and the amount of credit earned will transfer.*

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**Notes for Dual Admission Applicants:**

- 1) The Dual Admission Intent to Enroll form must be submitted before 45 college credits are earned.
- 2) When the student is within one year of completing the associate's degree, the Dual Admission application must be submitted on La Salle University's website, [www.lasalle.edu](http://www.lasalle.edu). Applications are free.
- 3) Additional courses beyond the associate degree can be taken at NCC to meet program requirements at La Salle.
- 4) NCC transcript must be sent one semester prior to graduating to the Office of Transfer Admission, La Salle University, 1900 W Olney Ave, Philadelphia, PA 19141.
- 5) Final official transcripts must be sent by the student as soon as the final semester is completed and associate's degree conferred.
- 6) Students must uphold a grade point average of 2.5 or higher to qualify for Dual Admission.
- 7) All Dual Admission applicants for full-time day programs will be eligible for the Dual Admission Achievement Scholarship.

**Additional Notes for all applicants (Dual Admission and regular transfer):**

- 1) The maximum amount of transfer credits awarded cannot exceed 90.
- 2) At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle.
- 3) For admission review, official transcripts must be sent from all previous colleges attended.
- 4) All full-time day applicants will be eligible for the merit-based Founder's Scholarship. The award amount will depend on grade point average and quality of curriculum.
- 5) The Phi Theta Kappa Scholarship is offered to all full-time day transfer applicants who are members of PTK with a 3.5 cumulative GPA or above. Proof of membership is required to qualify for this scholarship.
- 6) Non-Dual Admission students should seek advisement on General Education Elective courses that will satisfy the La Salle Core.
- 7) Students are strongly advised to use this guide with the assistance of transfer services at NCC. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle, listed below, for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at NCC. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

**Contact Information**

**La Salle University**

**School of Arts & Sciences**, Mary Carmel Etienne, Assistant Dean, [etienne@lasalle.edu](mailto:etienne@lasalle.edu) 215- 951- 1481

**Transfer Admission, Office of Undergraduate Admission**, [admiss@lasalle.edu](mailto:admiss@lasalle.edu) 215 -951 -1500

**Northampton Community College**

**Transfer Advising**, [advinfo@northampton.edu](mailto:advinfo@northampton.edu) Bethlehem Campus 610 861 5346; Monroe Campus 570 369 1871

## Requirements for Completion of B.A. at La Salle University

Per the Dual Admission Agreement, the CORE is satisfied by the associate's degree earned, except for the following CORE Qualifier(s) that must be completed:

Course(s) at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
REL 100 Religion Matters	Not applicable	Must be taken at La Salle

### Free Electives

In addition to the requirements listed below for each major, students must take enough courses to fulfill graduation credit requirements for their School and major.

Majors in addition to those listed below may qualify for Dual Admission but will require the approval. Please contact La Salle University Transfer Admission to learn more. The information in this transfer guide is subject to change. Therefore, students are advised to check periodically with transfer services for up-to-date information and to contact the Assistant Dean at La Salle for advisement on major requirements that can be taken at the two-year school. Following this guide does not guarantee the transfer of credit or admission to La Salle University.

### Economics

Number of major courses required for graduation: 15  
 Total number of courses required for graduation: 38  
 Number of major credits required for graduation: 49  
 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
ECN 150 Introductory Macroeconomics	ECON 201 Macroeconomics	Elective
ECN 201 Introductory Microeconomics	ECON 251G Microeconomics	Elective
ECN 213 Statistics for Econ and Pol Sci		
ECN 314 Econometrics		
ECN 221 Intermediate Microeconomics		
ECN 222 Intermediate Macroeconomics		
ECN 441 History of Economic Thought		
ECN 481 Seminar in Economics		
5 ECN electives		
MTH 114 or MTH 120	MATH 165=MTH 114; MATH 180=MTH 120	Mathematics Elective
1 additional Social Science course (including POL, PSY, SOC & Anthropology)	Most POLI, PSYC, and SOCA courses will satisfy – seek advisement	Elective

### English

Number of major courses required for graduation: 13  
 Total number of courses required for graduation: 40  
 Number of major credits required for graduation: 39  
 Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. No more than 5 courses taken outside the department can count toward the 13 major requirements. Such courses include AP credit, courses taken while studying abroad, and courses taken at another institution.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
ENG 180 Intro to Literary Study		

ENG 245 Survey of Brit Lit to 1798	ENGL 201G British Literature I	Elective
ENG 246 Survey of Brit Lit since 1798	ENGL 251G British Literature II	Elective
ENG 248 Survey of Amer Lit to 1865	ENGL 205G American Literature I	Elective
ENG 249 Survey of Amer Lit since 1865	ENGL 255G American Literature II	Elective
ENG 324 Shakespeare		
ENG 480 Capstone		
1 course in Lit before 1900: ENG 441, 442, 446; note: ENG 351, 567, 370-379, 437 may meet requirement depending on course topic		
2 ENG courses at 400-level		
2 Lit courses at 300- or 400-level		
1-4 free ENG electives	Most ENGL courses satisfy this – seek advisement	Elective

### History

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 36

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
1 of: HIS 200, HIS 202 or HIS 205	HIST 113=HIS 200; HIST 163= HIS 205	Elective
1 of: HIS 206, HIS 251 or HIS 255		
1 additional HIS 300- or 400-level course		
HIS 481 Seminar		
<b>One of the following Concentrations</b>		
<b>Americas Concentration</b>	Americas Concentration:	
5 Americas 300-349 electives and 3 Afro-Eurasian 350-399 electives	HIST 121=HIS 337; HIST 165=HIS 331; HIST 166=HIS 315; HIST 167=HIS 331; HIST 211=HIS 340	Electives
<b>Afro-Eurasian Concentration</b>	Afro-Eurasian Concentration:	
5 Afro-Eurasian 350-399 electives and 3 Americas 300-349 electives	HIST 123=HIS 384; HIST 140=HIS 391; HIST 153=HIS 360; HIST 168=HIS 394; HIST 173=HIS 383; HIST 210=HIS 355	Electives

### Philosophy

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 36

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
PHL 151, PHL 152, PHL 153 or PHL 154	PHIL 201=PHL 151; PHL 202G=PHL 152	Elective
PHL 264 or PHL 325	INTS 101 Critical Thinking=PHL 264	Elective
PHL 311 or PHL 313 or PHL 323		

PHL 326 The Dawn of Reason: Ancient Greek Philosophy	PHIL 211 Ancient Philosophy	Elective
PHL 327 Angels & Demons: Romance of Medieval Phil		
PHL 328 (Early) Modern Philosophy		
PHL 329 Contemporary Philosophy	PHIL Modern Philosophy	Elective
PHL 480 Seminar		
4 Philosophy Electives (may not include PHL 151, 152, 153 or 154)	PHIL 111=PHL 223; PHIL 204=PHL 268; PHIL 220=PHL 310	Electives

### Political Science

Number of major courses required for graduation: 14

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 42

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 7 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
POL 120 European Politics		
POL 151 Principles of American Govt	POLS 110 American National Gvt	Elective
POL 171 Political Analysis		
POL 221 Politics of the Developing World		
POL 240 International Relations	POLS 202 International Relations	Elective
POL 260 Ancient Political Theory		
POL 341 Globalization/Decision-Making		
POL 361 Modern Political Theory		
POL 480 Senior Seminar		
POL 481 Senior Seminar II		
4 POL electives: including, but not limited to: POL 301, 302, 303, 305, 310, 311, 314, 316	POLS 205 = POL 311 POLS 251=POL 301	Electives

### Psychology

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 37

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
MTH 150 Mathematics Myths & Realities	MATH 120 Nature of Mathematics	Mathematics Elective
PSY 155 Intro to Psychology	PSYC 103 Intro to Psychology	Elective
PSY 310 Stats I		
PSY 311 Stats II		
PSY 330 Research Design I		
3 of the following Psychology Electives: PSY 405, 410, 415, 420, 425, 430		
4 additional Psychology Electives	PSYC230=PSY 360; PSYC255=PSY 220; PSYC258=PSY 210; PSAP260, PSYC235, PSYC245, PSYC265=PSY Electives	Electives

**Sociology**

Number of major courses required for graduation: 12

Total number of courses required for graduation: 38-40

Number of major credits required for graduation: 36

Total number of credits required for graduation: 120

The following courses are major requirements for graduation from La Salle. At least half of the courses required by the major department (i.e., major requirements) must be completed at La Salle. Therefore, for this major no more than 6 of the required major courses will be satisfied by transfer coursework.

Required Major Courses at La Salle	Equivalent at Partner School	Notes
SOC 150 Principles of Sociology	SOCA 103 Principles of Sociology	Elective
SOC 151 Social Problems and Social Policy	SOCA 204 Social Problems	Elective
SOC 231 Love, Relations, Family or SOC 260 Men and Women in Cont Society	SOCA 125=SOC 231 SOCA 210=SOC 260	Elective
SOC 262 Dynamics of Race and Ethnicity	SOCA 105 American Ethnicity	Elective
SOC 301 Stat I	MATH 150 Intro Statistics	Mathematics Elective
SOC 302 Stat II		
SOC 310 Social Theory		
SOC 480 Methods		
4 of the following: SOC 233, 238, 265, 237, 270, 306, 308, 312, 481, 340; CRJ 161, 340, 350, 387	HUMA 121=SOC 233 HUMA 150=SOC 238 CJST 101=CRJ 161	Electives