Credit Transfer & Exemption

JUPAS

As students applying through the JUPAS route are seeking admission on the strength of their HKDSE results, they will be considered for admission to the first year of our 4-year degree scheme / programme. Requests for credit transfer based on other qualifications will normally not be considered.

Non-JUPAS/Non-Local

Students holding A-Level or IB qualifications may be given credit transfer upon their admission to the 4-year full-time undergraduate degree schemes / programmes. Normally, they will be given credit transfer from 9 credits (including 6 credits for the broadening subjects and 3 credits for University English under the Language & Communication Requirements) to a maximum of 25% of the award requirements, depending on their previous study and grade attainments.

Credit transfer for the Discipline-Specific Requirements (DSR) subjects can be granted depends on the specific grade and subject attained as below table:

Subjects	Subject title	PolyU Equivalent Subject (Code and Tile) and (Credit)	Min. Grade Required
GCE-A Level subject	Design and Technology (A-Level)	SD1108 Integrated Design Process (3 Credits)	Grade A or above
IB Diploma subject	Design and Technology (Higher Level)	SD1108 Integrated Design Process (3 Credits)	6 or above

Table 1 – a subject mapping list for credit transfer for DSR subjects

(this table will be reviewed and updated annually)

For students admitted based on other qualifications, the number of credit transfer to be granted at admission will be considered on individual merits.

Normally there is no need for new students to apply for credit transfer at the application stage. The number of credits required for completion of a scheme / programme by individual students will be shown on the online notice of offer. For students who have not been given credit transfer at the admission stage, they may consider submitting an application for credit transfer after enrolment on the programme together with relevant supporting documents, e.g. transcript of study and subject syllabus to their home departments before the end of the add / drop period of the first semester of their first year of study for their consideration.

Non-JUPAS Local Senior Year Admissions

We provide a flexible curriculum for students admitted to our articulation degree programmes or the senior year of our 4-year full-time undergraduate degree schemes / programmes.

These students will follow a reduced curriculum, and further credit transfer will normally not be possible.

Students are also expected to meet the equivalent standard of the Undergraduate Degree Language and Communication Requirements (LCR). Students not meeting the equivalent standard of the LCR will be required to take degree LCR subjects.