

**United States Armed Forces / Old Dominion University
2023 – 2024 Catalog
Transfer Pathway**

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES – PROFESSIONAL WRITING

Requirements Potentially Satisfied Outside Classroom				
Military Course, Certification, Experience, or Exam	ODU Equivalent Course			Credits
CLEP ^{1 2 3} - College Composition (NOT Modular)	ENGL	110C	English Composition I	3
DSST – Technical Writing	ENGL	231C	Writing, Rhetoric, and Research: Special Topics	3
CLEP – College Mathematics	MATH	101M	Introduction to Math for Critical Thinking	3
CLEP – Any one of eight available Social Sciences exams EXCEPT Introduction to Educational Psychology	HB	1REQ	Human Behavior Requirement	3
CLEP – American Literature or Analyzing & Interpreting Literature	ENGL ENGL	114L 112L	Literature Requirement	3
CLEP – Biology ⁴	BIOL	121N 122N 123N 124N	Nature of Science Requirement	8
CLEP – Any one of five available History exams	INTP	1REQ	Interpreting the Past Requirement	3
CLEP – Foreign Languages or military linguist or Defense Language Institute Foreign Language Center (DLIFLC) graduate	FR GER SPAN	101/2F 101/2F 101/2F	Language and Culture Requirement ⁵	6
CLEP – Principles of Marketing	MKTG	311	Marketing Principles and Problems*	3
CLEP – Principles of Management	MGMT	325	Contemporary Organizations and Management*	3
DSST – Human Resource Management	MGMT	340	Human Resource Management*	3
Previous or current E7-E9 servicemembers or DSST – Principles of Supervision	SEPS	302	Workforce Supervision*	3
Instructor, recruiter, career counselor, select specialties	OCP	1ELE	Oral Communication Requirement	3
Determined by evaluation of high school, college, CCAF, and/or joint service transcripts and interview	Various	ELE	Electives to meet 120 minimum credit hours	various
Determined by faculty evaluation of academics combined with professional experience, skills, and products	IDS	493	Electronic Portfolio Project	3
Potential total credit hours earned outside classroom				50+

Note: Prior learning credit not to exceed 60 credit hours is also available in specific situations at a cost of 20-50% of the current tuition rate: <https://ww1.odu.edu/academics/academic-records/evaluation-of-credit-prior-learning>

*Select three of the four to satisfy the Organizational Foundations Core courses

¹ Passing CLEP/DSST examination score satisfies ODU requirement. See <https://clep.collegeboard.org/> and <https://ww1.odu.edu/academics/academic-records/score-analysis/clep-dantes> for details.

² Student may forego CLEP/DSST examination and satisfy the requirement at ODU or other regionally accredited school. If a course is taken elsewhere check first with an ODU advisor or at <https://transfer2.odu.edu/equivalency/> to ensure transfer equivalency.

³ Modern States offers CLEP preparatory courses. See <https://modernstates.org/> for details.

⁴ Biology is the only CLEP examination that will satisfy all 8 credit hours for the Nature of Science requirement.

⁵ Language and Culture requirement can be satisfied by 3 years of a foreign language or 2 years of 2 foreign languages in high school. Students whose native language is not English are exempt from taking a foreign language for general education.

