Interdivision Transfer Policy

Into School of Engineering & Applied Science

Washington University embraces a student’s opportunity to change academic majors, even across different undergraduate divisions on campus. Exploration and flexibility are attributes of an excellent undergraduate experience.

In order to ensure a proper background for success in the School of Engineering & Applied Science (SEAS), prior to an interdivision transfer request being accepted students must:

1) Complete at least one non-summer semester in residence at the WashU Danforth Campus the semester immediately prior to the requested semester of transfer
2) Successfully complete L59 CWP 100-College Writing 1 or its equivalent (or possess proficiency via acceptable examination scores as stipulated by SEAS)
3) Complete at least one 3-credit class within the intended major being pursued with a “B” or better grade
4) Achieve a cumulative GPA of at least a 3.0 or higher and “B” or better grades in math, science and courses taken in SEAS (some departments may require a higher GPA)
5) Demonstrate a high regard for academic integrity; students who were found to be in violation of the academic integrity policy may be required to delay their entry for a specified time as determined by the transfer dean
6) Meet with the transfer dean or a 4-year advisor in Engineering Undergraduate Student Services in 303 Lopata Hall to ensure curriculum plan is on track for progress toward graduation
7) Be aware that changing majors may result in taking additional semester(s) to graduate

These are the minimum requirements. Each student is evaluated on a case by case basis.