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# COLLEGE TRANSFER CREDIT POLICY

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## Conversion of Quarter Hours to Semester Hours

Trinity International University courses are offered based on the semester-hour system. Whenever students take courses at another university that is using the quarter-hour credit system, the following policy governs the number of credit hours that will transfer to Trinity. Quarter hours convert to semester hours at the value of 1 quarter hour = 2/3 semester hour.

The mathematical calculation is represented as follows:

$$\text{Semester Hours} = \frac{\text{Quarter Hours}}{1.5}$$

As a general guideline, this conversion chart is based on the above mathematical calculation:

5 Quarter Hrs	<b>is equal to</b>	3.33 Semester Hrs
4 Quarter Hrs	<b>is equal to</b>	2.67 Semester Hrs
3 Quarter Hrs	<b>is equal to</b>	2.00 Semester Hrs
2 Quarter Hrs	<b>is equal to</b>	1.33 Semester Hrs
1 Quarter Hr	<b>is equal to</b>	0.67 Semester Hrs

**DISCLAIMER:** A course from another university or college using the quarter-hour credit system may be approved to fulfill a Trinity College general education requirement. However, students must be aware that the above conversion formula may affect the student fulfilling, in a timely manner, the B.A. 126-degree hour requirement for graduation. Contact University Records or the Trinity College Academic Dean's Office, if questions regarding this transfer/conversion policy.