

**THERE'S  
READY.  
THEN  
THERE'S  
JSU READY.**

# Transfer



## A PROUD HISTORY

Jackson State University® was founded in 1877 as Natchez Seminary in Natchez, Mississippi. The college began with only 20 students and a mission to educate newly freed African Americans in becoming ministers and teachers. Today, JSU is Mississippi's Urban University boasting a student population of approximately 7,500 students.

Located in Jackson, Mississippi, JSU is designated, by the Carnegie Mellon Foundation, as a research-intensive university that offers 90+ bachelor's, master's and doctoral programs.

## TRANSFER APPLICANTS

Transfer applicants who initially meet freshman admission requirements at Jackson State University (listed under Freshman Entrance Requirements), but choose to enroll at another regionally accredited institution, may transfer at any time provided the applicant:

- submits a formal application
- submits an official transcript from each college or university attended
- is in good standing at the last college or university attended
- submits documented proof for measles and rubella immunization compliance, if born after December 31, 1956.

Mail your official documents to the following address:

Jackson State University  
Undergraduate Admissions  
P.O. Box 17330  
Jackson MS 39217

Students may also submit transcripts via Escripts, Parchment and National Clearinghouse with password provided.

## TRANSFER COURSE REQUIREMENTS EFFECTIVE SPRING 2012

- Six (6) semester hours of English Composition
- Three (3) semester hours of College Algebra or higher math
- Six (6) semester hours of Natural Science courses
- Nine (9) semester hours of Humanities and Fine Arts
- Six (6) Semester hours of Social and Behavioral Sciences

Students who are in good standing from the last college/university attended but are deficient in the above required courses, must also submit a high school transcript indicating that the applicant qualified initially as a freshman enrollee (See Freshman Requirements).

## TRANSFER OF CREDITS

Students transferring to Jackson State University should know the following:

1. A maximum of 62.00 semester hours of credit for courses completed at the freshman and sophomore levels will be allowed from a community/junior college toward degree requirements. (Transfer Course Equivalence)
2. Jackson State University does not accept transfer courses with D or lower grades.

3. Jackson State University does not accept credit courses that are classified as remedial or developmental.

4. A transient (temporary student who wishes to transfer credits to his/her home institution) or a student who wishes to transfer to another institution must request an official transcript of credits to be issued to that institution in accordance with the transcript.

## STUDENT LIFE

Many programs and services are provided to assist students as they transition into a new academic setting and to support their success inside and outside the classroom. Students are offered a holistic-learning environment through high school and community college programs, visiting student scholars' programs, academic and social activities, internship/co-op and study abroad programs.

Extracurricular Activities: JSU offers opportunities to get involved through 60+ groups which include student government, honor societies, community service, student publications, Greek-letter organizations, NCAA sanctioned athletic programs and intramural sports.

## MAJORS:

### ACCOUNTING

#### ART

- Ceramics, Painting, Printmaking, Sculpture
- Photography
- Graphic Design

### B.S. BIOMEDICAL

#### ENGINEERING

#### BIOLOGY

- Environmental Science
- Marine Biology
- Pre-Health Careers (Dentistry, Medicine, Optometry, Pharmacy, Physical Therapy, Veterinary)
- Pre-Health Careers Prerequisites (Pre-Dental Hygiene, Pre-Nursing)

### BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

#### CHEMISTRY

- Biomedical Science
- Environmental Science
- Forensic Science
- Pre-Chemical Engineering
- Pre-Health Careers (Dentistry, Medicine, Pharmacy)
- Teacher Certification

### CHILDCARE & FAMILY

#### EDUCATION

#### CIVIL ENGINEERING

- Environmental Track
- General Civil Engineering Track

### COMMUNICATIVE DISORDER

#### COMPUTER ENGINEERING

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE

### CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND

#### CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

### EARTH SYSTEM SCIENCE

#### ECONOMICS

#### EDUCATIONAL

#### TECHNOLOGY

### ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

- General Electrical Engineering Track
- Power Systems Track

### ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

- K-3
- K-6
- Science
- English
- Mathematics
- Social Studies
- Special Education
- Reading
- Foreign Language
- Art
- Music

#### ENGLISH

- Certification in English
- Business Administration
- Computer Science
- Journalism

### ENTREPRENEURSHIP

#### FINANCE

### FOREIGN LANGUAGES

- Primary Language - Spanish
- Primary Language - French

### HEALTHCARE

#### ADMINISTRATION

### HEALTH, PHYSICAL

#### EDUCATION &

#### RECREATION

- Health Education - Teaching
- Physical Education - Teaching
- Recreation Administration
- Therapeutic Recreation

#### HISTORY

### INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY

- Computer Technology
- Electronics
- Emergency Management
- Technology Management

### JOURNALISM AND

#### MEDIA STUDIES

- Multimedia Journalism
- Media Production
- Integrated Marketing Communications

### MANAGEMENT

### MARKETING

### MATHEMATICS

### MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

### METEOROLOGY

### MUSIC EDUCATION

- Instrumental
- Jazz
- Keyboard
- Vocal

### MUSIC PERFORMANCE

- Instrumental Performance
- Jazz Studies - Vocal
- Music Technology
- Piano Performance
- Vocal Performance

### PHYSICS

### POLITICAL SCIENCE

### PROFESSIONAL

### INTERDISCIPLINARY

### STUDIES

- General Interdisciplinary Studies
- Commercial Recreation & Resorts
- Faith-Based Leadership
- Human Resource Development

### PSYCHOLOGY

### SCIENCE EDUCATION

### SOCIAL SCIENCE EDUCATION

### SOCIAL WORK

### SOCIOLOGY

### SPECIAL EDUCATION

- Teaching - Mild/Moderate Disability (K-12)
- Endorsement - Mild/Moderate
- Non-Teaching: Disabilities Studies
- Endorsement: Gifted (K-12)

### SPEECH COMMUNICATIONS

- Theatre

### STATISTICS

### ATHLETIC DIVISION A TEAMS:

**Baseball (M)**  
**Basketball (M/W)**  
**Bowling (W)**  
**Football (M)**  
**Soccer (W)**  
**Softball (W)**  
**Tennis (M/W)**  
**Track & Field/X-Country (M/W)**  
**Volleyball (W)**

### KEY UNIVERSITY CONTACTS:

#### Athletics Department

601.979.2291

#### Business Office

866.THEEJSU

#### Office of Admissions

866.THEEJSU

#### Office of Financial Aid

866.THEEJSU

#### Office of

#### Residential Life

601.979.2326

#### Undergraduate

#### Recruitment

866.THEEJSU

#### University Academic

#### Advisement Center

601.979.2127

Jackson State University is accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges to award baccalaureate, masters, specialists, and doctorate degrees. Contact the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges at 1866 Southern Lane, Decatur, Georgia 30033-4097 or call 404-679-4500 for questions about the accreditation of Jackson State University.

