

Using TES.Collegesource.com to find Equivalent Courses for NDCS | NDSU

TES is the website/database used by NDCS and NDSU to find replacement courses (also called equivalent courses). *Please note there are name conventions which will make your search easier.

Step 1: Analyze your graduation requirements and decide which course you are trying to replace.

Example: In the examples an NDCS student is searching for the replacement options for BIOL. The same process is used for NDSU students – although the web interface looks slightly different, it is the exact same database.

Step 2: Navigate to your college's link.

[NDCS TES Link](#) or [Transfer to NDCS](#) ->> NDCS TES Transfer Evaluation System

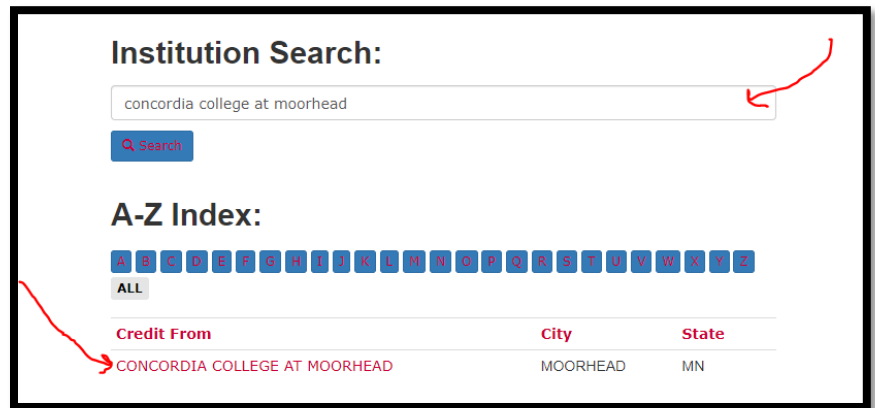
[NDSU TES Link](#) or [NDSU Transfer Credit Degree Completion](#) ->> Access TES Database

Step 3: In the **institution search box**, type in the name of the college where you want to take the class then

Step 4: Click on the college name select the college once displayed.

*These are the naming conventions for each college:

- Concordia College at Moorhead
- M State – Moorhead Campus
- MSUM
- NDSU
- NDCS



Step 5: All the equivalent courses are listed – scroll down to see all your options. Avoid using the Search.

1st column in red -- the host college | 2nd column in black -- the home college.

CONCORDIA COLLEGE AT MOORHEAD	NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE
BIOL 101 GENERAL BIOLOGY (4)	BIOL 111 CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY (3) BIOL 111L CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY LAB (1)
BIOL 207 FUNDAMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY (4)	MICR 202 INTRODUCTORY MICROBIOLOGY (3) MICR 202L INTRODUCTORY MICROBIOLOGY LAB (1)

Examples

Concordia equivalent

Concordia BIOL 101 (4 credits) is equivalent to BIOL 111 (3 credit) + BIOL 111Lab (1 credit)

Transfer Information Guide			
NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE			
INSTITUTION LIST / EQUIVALENCY LIST			
		Search	Reset
		+ Add/View My List	
CONCORDIA COLLEGE AT MOORHEAD	NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE	Note? Begin	End <input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 101 GENERAL BIOLOGY (4)	BIOL 111 CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY (3) BIOL 111L CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY LAB (1)	01/01/1994	<input type="checkbox"/>

M State Equivalent

M State does not offer BIOL 101 – however, BIOL 1122 (4 credit) is the equivalent of BIOL 151 (3 credit) + BIOL 151L(1 credit)

M STATE - MOORHEAD CAMPUS	NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE	Note?	Begin	End	<input type="checkbox"/>
ACCT 1012 FOUNDATIONS OF ACCOUNTING (3)	ACCT 102 FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTING (3)				<input type="checkbox"/>
ACCT 2211 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING I (3)	054070 TRNSFR: GEN ED:FREE ELECTIVE		01/01/1994		<input type="checkbox"/>
ACCT 2211 FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING I (3)	ACCT 200 ELEMENTS OF ACCOUNTING I (4)				<input type="checkbox"/>
ART 1110 INTRODUCTION TO ART (3)	054062 TRNSFR: GEN ED:HUM/HIST		01/01/1994		<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 1107 ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE ISSUES (3)	054065 TRNSFR: GEN ED:SCIENCE W/O LAB		01/01/1994		<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 1122 GENERAL BIOLOGY I (4)	BIOL 151 GENERAL BIOLOGY II (3)		01/01/1994		<input type="checkbox"/>
BIOL 1123 GENERAL BIOLOGY II (4)	BIOL 151L GENERAL BIOLOGY II LAB (1)				<input type="checkbox"/>

MSUM Equivalent

MSUM does not offer BIOL 101 – however, BIOL 125 is the equivalent of BIOL 220 + BIOL 220L

BIOL 125 HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I (4)	BIOL 220 ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I (3)
BIOL 126 HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II (4)	BIOL 220L ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY I LAB (1)
	BIOL 221 ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II (3)
	BIOL 221L ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY II LAB (1)

NDSU Equivalent

The course numbers for BIOL 111 + BIOL 111L align exactly. This is because both NDSU and NDSCS are with the North Dakota University System (NDUS) and there are common course numbers.

BIOL 111 CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY (3)	BIOL 111 CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY (3)
BIOL 111L CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY LAB (1)	BIOL 111L CONCEPTS OF BIOLOGY LAB (1)

Step 6 Navigate to the course schedule for each of the campuses to find out if the equivalent course is available, and schedule a meeting with your advisor to review and confirm your research on classes. Look for course schedule links at https://www.tri-college.org/course_exchange/links_resources/

Step 7 Submit the completed Tri-College Registration form to your home campus registrar EARLY! Registration between the colleges is a manual process, and your registrar needs additional time for processing. Registration forms are processed on a first-come, first serve basis.

Step 8 Requests are processed during *open enrollment*. Visit https://www.tri-college.org/course_exchange/tri_college_academic_calendar/ to see when course schedules are available and when open enrollment begins.